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128-1-5



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 205-11A
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

REGINA, SASK. October 5, 1925.

Sir:-

I beg to enclose herewith for payment The Pas Agency Voucher No. 267, \$210.78 in favour of Charles W. Hill, The Pas, Manitoba for expenses incurred installing the pumping machinery in the pump house as shown on the Voucher for the MacKay School, under the Department authority last January.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham
Indian Commissioner

INDIAN EDUCATION

[Handwritten signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

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MACLEOD'S LIMITED
WINNIPEG

M 8232.

Date _____

April 22/25.

STATEMENT OF ORDER

The Goods Supplied on **57.25**
this Order amount to

The Carriage Charges we
have Paid on this Order **8.02**
amount to

65.27

TOTAL 65.21

REMITTANCE

BALANCE DUE YOU.....

Chgo 65.27

YOU OWE US.....

Name Inuit & Eskimo Commission.
Post 41 Bible House.
Office

R. R. No.	Box No.	Prov.
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Shipping Point

Freight Charges Collect	Freight Charges Prepaid	Express Charges Collect	Express Charges Prepaid	Parcel Post	C.O.D. by Freight	C.O.D. by Express	Taken
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X

**EVERYTHING
FOR
THE
FARM**

QUANTITY	CATALOG NO.	DESCRIPTION	SIZE	PRICE	EXTENSION	TOTAL
1	220	Steel Wheel truck			53.00	
1	44	Wagon Set			4.25	
						57.25
		Ship to				
		Rev. B. E. Bird,				
		Principal McKay School,				
		Th Pass, Man.				
		C.N.R.				
		Receipt attached				
		* original acct				
		<i>[Signature]</i>				

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FORWARD

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128-1-5.

Vote No.

Treaty No.

Department of Indian Affairs

To The Field Secretary, M. S. C. C.,

The Bible House, Alexander Ave.,

Winnipeg, Man.

DATE		SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
1925			
Oct.	16	To reimburse the Church Authorities for expenditure incurred for agricultural implements at the Mackay Indian Residential School. The receipted account is attached.	\$57.25
Certified Correct <i>Russell H. Harris</i> Supt. of Indian Education, 16/10/25. <i>Subd. [unclear]</i> 3493 sent Oct. 19/25			
			TOTAL, \$57.25

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a just charge against the Government of Canada.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

D REGINA, SASK., Oct. 13th, 1925



Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 10th instant #128-1-5 with reference to the proposed workshop and store at the Mackay Indian Residential School. I would ask the Department if they are aware of the fact that part of this building is to be used as a store for the purpose of trading with the Indians, and if the Department have given official consent for such an enterprise. I have never yet heard of the Government putting up buildings to allow private concerns to operate a store, and that is what the Principal of the Mackay Boarding School wishes to do.

In submitting this plan to me, Mr. Waddy makes the following comment,-

"The cost will be proportionately less if the
" workshop alone is built; I recommend that this
" be allowed. I do not recommend the store part
" be built by the Department. The Church
" Authorities will no doubt make a profit if they
" run a store and can pay the cost of it. However,
" as the Principal thinks he is within his rights
" in asking for it I have put it on the plan."

My own opinion is that Mr. Waddy could have told the Principal very emphatically that it was against the law, and even if it were not against the law it would have been wrong to allow him to trade with Indians.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
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I bring this matter to your attention because I do not know what took place between the Department and the school authorities before the matter was brought to my attention.

I have discussed this matter with Mr. Inspector Christianson and he is of the opinion that a workshop is not very badly needed at that point, and in any case there is sufficient material in an old hospital building quite close to the school to build a workshop if the school authorities wish to use it for that purpose. I will, therefore, not proceed with this until I hear further from you.

The plan as submitted to you showed clearly the store part mentioned, with counter, private passage, etc. and you have made no comment on this.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

*Arrange meet workshop without delay
using materials in old hospital Bldg as far
as possible*
RA

Ottawa, October 19, 1925.

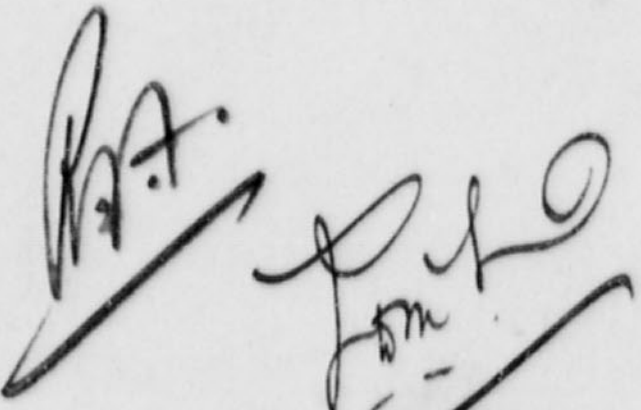
Sir:

I have your 205-11A of the 13th instant, with reference to the workshop and storeroom at the Mackay Indian Residential School. I note that the storeroom is not for the regular purposes of an Indian residential school and, of course, the Department cannot authorize its erection. Please arrange to build a workshop, however, without delay. Use the materials in the old hospital building as far as possible and incur no unnecessary expense. Arrange for the school management to supply as much labour as possible in this connection.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

Vote 7

Treaty 5.

The Pas, Man.

Oct 8, 1925

Rept of Indian Affairs

In acct with

G.H. Halliday

The Pas Man

Constructing 2 chimneys at Mackay School

Oct 2.	Self	8 hours bricklaying @ 1.25	10.00
	Helper	10 .. cleaning brick & helper on	5.00
		@ 50¢	
Oct 3.	Self	8 .. @ 1.25	10.00
	Helper	10 .. @ 50¢	5.00
			20.00

Certified correct

G.H. Halliday

Work performed.
Price just and fair.
Certified correct.

N o. 302.

Indian Agent.

3630
W. L. Brady
sent Oct 22/25
EXAMINED and
found correct.

E. J. Evans

128-1-5

Letter No. 302

R



Office of the Pas Indian Agency,

advt

The Pas, Man., Oct. 13th, 1925.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 302

EXD.

amounting to \$ 30.00 in favour

of G. H. Halliday, The Pas, Man.,

for building chimneys at the McKay Boarding school.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

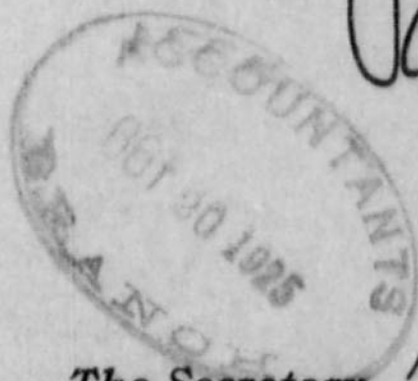
Letter No. 128/1/5 dated Sept. 16th, 1925.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]

[Signature]

Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Key

EXTRACT FROM CANON GOULD'S LETTER OF NOVEMBER 2, 1925.
PLACED ON FILE 160-2. THE GENERAL LETTER HAD REFERENCE
TO PREPARATION OF ESTIMATES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1926-27.
ALL HAVE BEEN NOTED.

EXD.

MACKAY:

Enlarging hogpen; and henhouse; Corrugated shed
for gas and oils; Repairs to heating; Fencing; Stock and
equipment; Conversion hospital building to drill hall.

Estimated cost \$3,500.00

*Noted
HAT*

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128-1-5-
INDIAN OFFICE

At The Pas, Man.

4782-135

November 18th 1925.

19

Sir;-

In reference to laundry machinery shipped by the Beaver Laundry Machinery Co to the Principal of the Mackay Indian Residential School, The Pas, Man, I would be obliged if the Department will inform me if any engine is to be supplied for power purposes to run these machines.

The only engine on hand is a small one that was in use at Battleford School prior to being shipped here in 1914 and it would not run these two large machines.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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4782-135.

Ottawa, November 24th, 1925.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 18th instant, and in reply beg to inform you that Mr. Inspector Bunn is being requested to arrange for the purchase of a 5 H.P. "Z" Type Fairbanks-Morse Engine, with the necessary line shafting and belting, to be used for power purposes in operating the laundry machinery which has recently been supplied for the use of the Mackay Indian Residential School. It will be necessary for you to furnish Mr. Bunn as soon as possible with full particulars regarding the line shafting and belting required. Mr. Bunn is being informed that you will furnish him with this information.

It is expected that, when the engine arrives, the school authorities will be responsible for the installing of the laundry equipment and the engine to operate same.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. W. Waddy
J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

*changed
See letter
17th
B. D.*

Ottawa, November 24th, 1925.

Sir:

I have to request that you will arrange for the purchase, after obtaining competitive prices if possible, of a 5 H.P. "Z" Type Fairbanks-Morse Engine, with the necessary line shafting and belting, for power purposes in operating the laundry equipment which has recently been supplied for the use of the Mackay Indian Residential School. We are requesting Mr. Agent Waddy to furnish you with particulars as to the line shafting and belting required, and when you receive this information you should arrange as soon as possible thereafter for the purchase and shipment of the above mentioned equipment.

Properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, should be forwarded by you covering the expenditure incurred, together with a memorandum showing the names of the firms asked by you to quote and the prices quoted.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. R. Bunn, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Chambers of Commerce,
Princess St.,
Winnipeg, Man.

PAS AGENCY.

Vote No. 7

Treaty No. 5

Department of Indian Affairs

To Beaver Laundry Machinery Co Ltd
393 Sorauren Ave
Toronto

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
1925		
November-		
October 26th.	1- V type washer-Beaver roller bearing size 36x54 one door, one compartment, serial #633 1- 26" Beaver solid curb extractor serial # 634.	895.00
#355		
Ant 26-11-25 4347 EXAMINED and found correct.		
Machinery received in good order.		TOTAL, 895.00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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INDIAN OFFICE



At The Pas, Man.....

4781-142

November 18th 1925.....

Sir;-

I have the honor to enclose voucher #355 for \$895.00 in favor of the Beaver Laundry Machinery Co, 393 Sorauren Avenue, Toronto, Ont., for two washing machines for the Mackay Indian Residential School, The Pas, Man.

No information is on hand at this office in regards this machinery, but I have certified that it was received in good order.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John A. Duddy
Indian Agent.

John A. Duddy
Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA

Dundas & Bloor,
Toronto

BR. Nov. 21/25/91

Sir,

Please take notice that the amount due by you
Beaver Laundry Machinery Mfg. Co. Ltd.
to
their
which appears by books to be
895.
\$ has been absolutely assigned
to this Bank, and that all payments must be made direct to
the Bank.

I will thank you to acknowledge receipt of this
notice and advise me as to the correctness of the amount
and when payment may be expected.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be "M. H. [unclear]".

Manager.

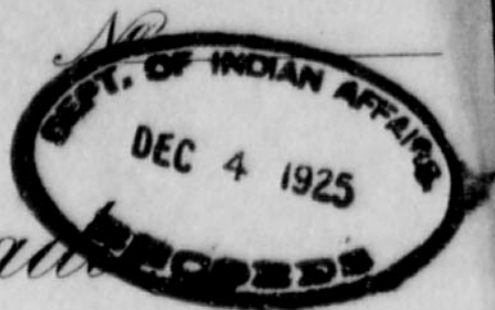
To Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Onto.

Re. La Pas, Manitoba installation.

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Imperial Bank of Canada

Ottawa, Ont.

December 3, 1925.

OK

R

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

Dear Sir,-

Re Beaver Laundry Machinery Mfg. Co. Ltd.
Toronto:

I enclose herewith notice of assignment from our Dundas and Bloor Sts. Branch, Toronto, covering an amount of eight hundred and ninety-five dollars (\$895.00) due by your Department to the Beaver Laundry Machinery Co. Ltd.

Please be good enough to acknowledge receipt.

Faithfully yours,

J. H. Johnston

Manager.

*OK was sent
HLC*

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RECEIVED

Ottawa, December 4th, 1925.

Dear Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 3rd instant enclosing notice of assignment from the Beaver Laundry Machinery Manufacturing Co. Ltd., Toronto, I beg to say that a cheque in payment of this account was sent to this firm on the 26th November last.

Yours truly,



(F.H. Paget)
Chief Accountant.

Imperial Bank of Canada,
Ottawa, Ont.

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128-1-5

(Original on #132-2-5)

File
Ottawa, December 12th, 1925.

Rev. Sir:

I have your letter of the 3rd instant, with reference to carrying charges and rental on films for picture shows at the Lac la Ronge and Mackay Indian Residential Schools.

In reply I regret to inform you that the Department does not meet the current expenses in connection with this activity. The per capita or other earnings should be responsible for the costs.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. T. B. R. Westgate
Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D.D.,
Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.,
41-43, The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

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Ottawa, December 17, 1925.

Reverend Sir:

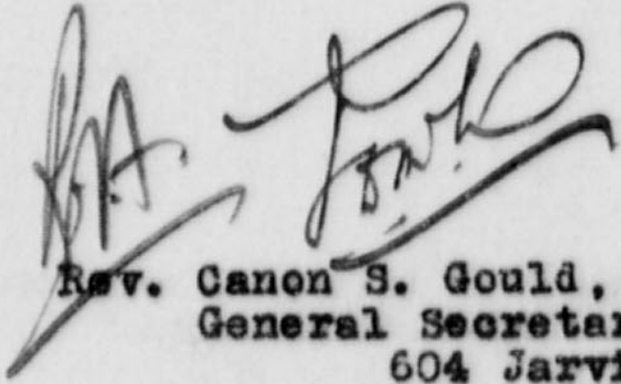
I am enclosing the papers you left with the Superintendent of Indian Education, which are relative to the cost of installing the new gas engine in the Mackay Indian Residential School. I am today writing to Mr. Indian Agent Waddy, informing him that the Department will be responsible for the installation.

Your obedient servant,

Encl.

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


Rev. Canon S. Gould, M.D., D.C.L.,
General Secretary, M. S. C. C.,
604 Jarvis St.,
Toronto, Ont.

EX-100
Ottawa, December 17, 1925.

Sir:

I wish to refer to my 128-1-5 of the 24th ultimo. You should delete the last paragraph and substitute therefor the following: "The Department will pay for any expert labour that is required in connection with the installation of this equipment."

Your obedient servant,

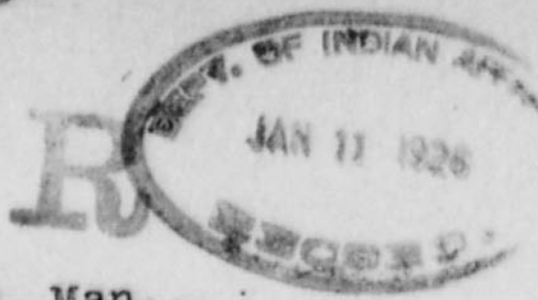
J. D. McLEAN *over*

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. W. Waddy
J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

128-1-5

INDIAN OFFICE



At The Pas, Man.

Jan. 5th, 1926.

4891/135.

Sir:

I have the honor to report that the Principal of the McKay Indian Residential School reports that the storage batteries of the electric light plant of the school are not giving any service; that it is necessary to keep the dynamo running continually. During the summer, 1925, the batteries partly filled up with sediment. The Principal thinks it will be necessary to supply new batteries.

This plant has at times jumped from positive to the negative without any cause, thus reversing the electric current. When this occurs a few of the wires are changed on the switch board, and the plant runs for a short time, when it will again jump from the positive to the negative.

I beg to recommend that an electrician be supplied for the purpose of thoroughly examining this plant, and if necessary to obtain batteries that instructions be given me ^{where} to obtain the same.

The plant was supplied by the Star Electric Company, Winnipeg.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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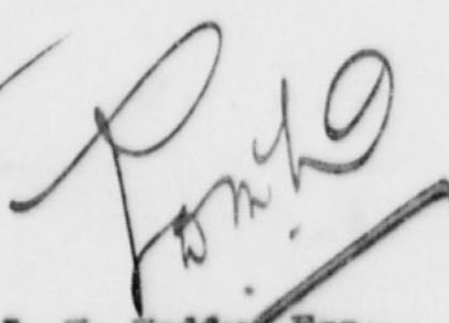
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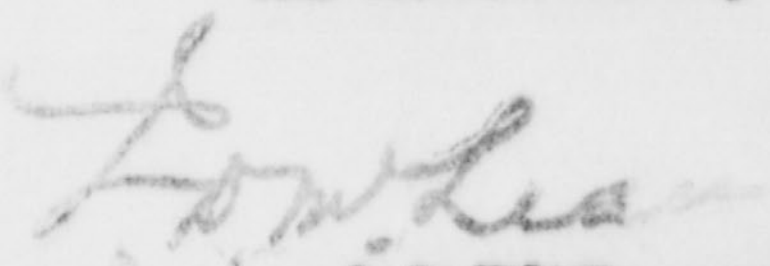
Ottawa, Jan. 13, 1926.

Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the 5th instant, with reference to the electric lighting plant in the McKay Indian Residential School, I beg to say that this plant was installed by the Star Electric Co. of Winnipeg in 1924, and there is no reason why the equipment if properly looked after and operated, should not be in perfect condition. You may make arrangements to have a competent electrician examine the plant, and put same in proper working order. The electrician should submit a report to you stating whether the trouble with the generating outfit was caused by neglect. If the trouble is due to improper operating of the system, the Department will expect the school to pay for the necessary overhauling and repairs.

Your obedient servant,



J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.


J. D. McLean.
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

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ONE QUEEN 499

128-1-5

BOAT HOUSE
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KETCHUM & COMPANY, LIMITED

SPORTING AND ATHLETIC GOODS

CLEVELAND BICYCLES—EVINRUDE MOTORS—CHESTNUT CANOES—FISHING TACKLE
GUNS AND AMMUNITION

"FIRST BECAUSE THEY LAST"

OTTAWA January 15, 1926
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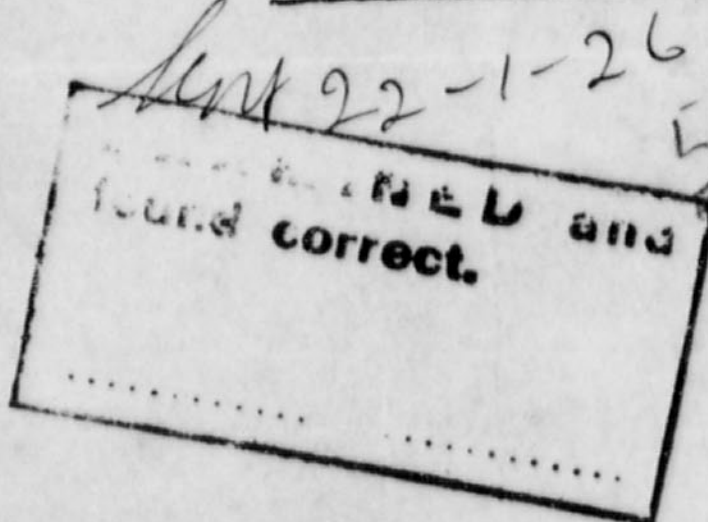
Sold to Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Booth Bldg.

Order # 128-1-4

To 3 Footballs @ 4.75

\$14.25

For McKay Indian Residential School



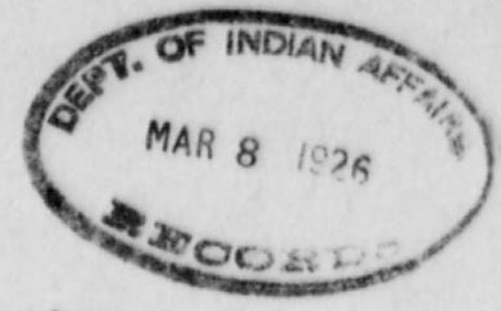
Certified correct;
supplies furnished;
charges fair and just

Seh Par
J. H. Duthart
20/1/26

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ter No. 483

Office of the.....Pas.....Indian Agency,

[Handwritten signature]

R

The Pas, Man., March 2nd, 1926.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 483

amounting to \$ 4.42 in favour

of Monarch Lumber Co., Ltd., The Pas, Man.,

for cement for foundations of ^{laundry} machinery at McKay Boarding School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128/1-5 dated Dec. 17th, 1925.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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128-1-5



Extract from Report of Agent Waddy on the
Mackay Residential School

dated Feb. 26, 1926.

noted
[Signature]
Original on file 128-1-5

The machinery for the laundry has all been received and will be installed this week. The electric light plant will be overhauled at same time.

The sanitary arrangements throughout the building are in good order. There is an outside toilet for the girls and it is not satisfactory. I think that there is a toilet in the basement we can have put in shape at little expense, I will have the plumber make a report on it when he is at the school. This toilet has never been completed, it would be more sanitary than the outside one used as noted above.



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LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

LOCAL PURCHASE ABSTRACT

Tenders called	Jan 19 1926	letter Due	Jan 25 1926	Opened	Jan 26 1926	by	H. H. H. H. H.
		by phone					
FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE							

[illegible]

UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed J. J. J. J. J.
Dept. of Vietnam Affairs
City of Hanoi Province Northern

WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR PARCELS DELIVERED TO US FOR
ENCLOSURE

WINNIPEG, Feb. 16-1926.

**TO THE CANADIAN FAIRBANKS-MORSE COMPANY DR.
LIMITED**

NO CLAIMS ALLOWED UNLESS MADE WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF GOODS
ALL REMITTANCES MUST BE AT PAR WINNIPEG

INTEREST WILL BE CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS AT 10% PER ANNUM
ALL GOODS SOLD STRICTLY F.O.B. OUR WAREHOUSE

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200 74-26*
The Dept of Indian Affairs,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
304 Chambers of Commerce,
Winnipeg.



ORDER NO. FILE NO. 4764

NO CASH DISCOUNT

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION OF GOODS	LIST PRICE	GROSS EXTENSION	DISCOUNT	NET
1	Only 6 HP type "Z" Hopper Cooled Engine with foundation bolts #646661. One hundred and ninety two & 99/100 dollars only. For Indian Agent, McKay Indian School, The Pas, Man. Authority. Letter 128-1-5. November 24th, 1925.				192.99

*EXAMINED
found correct.*
Certified Correct.
93
sent 10-4-26
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

RETURN NO GOODS BEFORE ADVISING US REASON AND RECEIVING OUR CONSENT. OTHERWISE CREDIT OR FREIGHT WILL NOT BE ALLOWED. REFER TO DATE AND FILE NUMBER OF INVOICE.

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WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR PARCELS DELIVERED TO US FOR ENCLOSURE

128-1-5
WINNIPEG, Feb. 16, 1926

THE
CANADIAN

FAIRBANKS-MORSE

COMPANY
LIMITED

NO CLAIMS ALLOWED UNLESS MADE WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF GOODS
ALL REMITTANCES MUST BE AT PAR WINNIPEG



INTEREST WILL BE CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS AT 10% PER ANNUM
ALL GOODS SOLD STRICTLY F.O.B. OUR WAREHOUSE

Dept. of Indian Affairs for Canada,

Ottawa, Ont.

Ship to - Indian Agent, for McKay Indian School, the Pas, Man.

ORDER NO.

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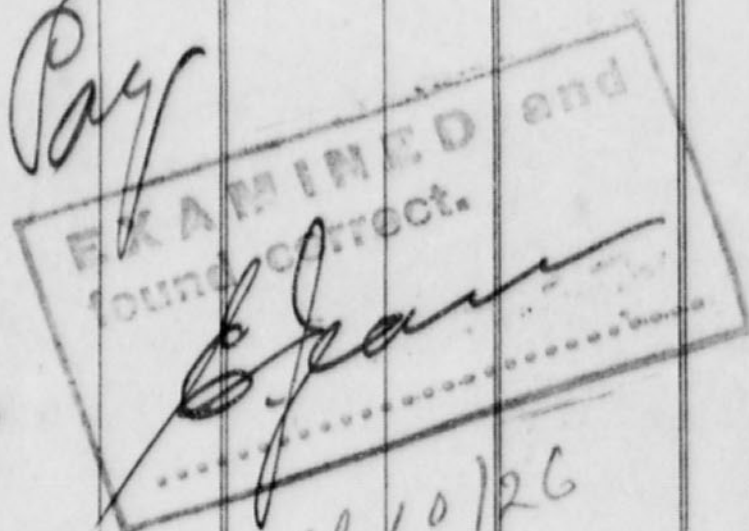
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NO CASH DISCOUNT



QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION OF GOODS	LIST PRICE	GROSS EXTENSION	DISCOUNT	NET
100	Ft. 6" Piping Galv. 3/4"	10 50 C.Ft.			10 50
2	Only Tees Galv. 3/4"				33
8	" Elbows " 3/4"				58
1	" Tee "3 x 3/4 x 1 reducing				2 60
1	" Elbow " 1"				20
2	" Valves Globe 3/4" Brass				3 96
2	" Unions Galvd. 3/4"				56
6	Feet Piping Galvd. 1"				75
1	Only Reducer Galvd. 2 x 1"				42
1	" Nipple " 2" short				12
2	" Elbows blk. 2" Iron Size of exhaust on engine				35
20	Feet Piping Blk. Iron Type "Y" 6 H.P.				5 25
6	Only Iron Lag Screws #4x1 1/2				1 80
26	Feet Belting Leather 4" Single ply engine drive G.K.				18 72
40	" " " 2" " Extractor G.K.				14 40
18	" " " 1-1/2 " ply "				4 96
20	" " " 1-1/4 " " "				4 50
1	Box lacing Bristol #111				1 50
15	Feet Shafting C R 1-7/16				6 80
4	Only Hangers drop 1-7/16				22 80
4	" Collars Steel 1-7/16				2 00
12	Bolts iron 16" long for above hangers Square head and nuts 30 lbs.				3 60
---One hundred and twenty two & 19/100 dollars only. Certified Correct.					106 60
---Authority, Letter 128-1-5. Prepaid charges					15 59
Novr. 24, 1925.					122 19

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Sent April 10/26

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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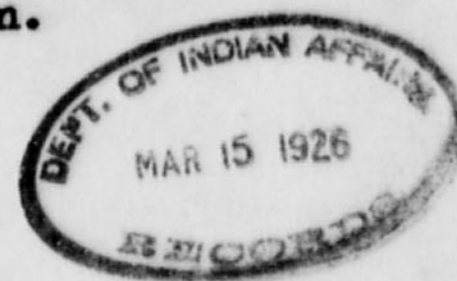
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604 JARVIS STREET

~~DECEMBER 10, 1925~~ March 10, 1926.

41-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Avenue,
Winnipeg, Man.



The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

I have just returned from a visit to the Mackay School, The Pas, Manitoba, and after consultation with the Principal and Mr. Indian Agent Waddy with regard to repairs and extensions to buildings etc, at this institution this year, I beg to state that it would be a very great help and convenience to our staff if you can sanction the following expenditure in the immediate future:-

1.	2000 ft. of shiplap to complete the store erected last year. Estimated cost f.o.b. The Pas	\$ 100.00
2.	5 rolls of paper to be placed between the shiplap and the side. Estimated cost	12.00
3.	Nails	5.00
4.	Freight to the school	15.00
	Total for store -	\$ 132.00
5.	Lumber for mangers in the stables	50.00
6.	Shingles for the implement shed	50.00
		\$ 232.00

In addition to the above the Principal and his staff would welcome an authorization from your Department to utilize some of the lumber in the hospital building to enlarge their implement shed. The above matters have the

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approval of Mr. Indian Agent Waddy and in planning the year's work it would be a great help to the staff if they could have the lumber etc, to complete the store room, the mangers and the implement shed before the rush of garden and farm work comes on them in the spring.

I shall be obliged if you will furnish me with your reply at your earliest convenience.

Believe me,
Yours very truly,

L. A. R. Westgate

Field Secretary M.S.C.C.

TBRW/JF.

INVOICE

The Pas, Man.,

March 15.

1926.

M. Dept of Indian Affairs.

Vote 5 .45

" 7 5.00 - 96

" 11 1.35

6.80

The Pas.

In Account
with**E. Carroll**

Treaty 5.

DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE, TOOLS, CUTLERY
HOUSE FURNISHINGS, CAMP SUPPLIES, ETC.

10 per Cent. Interest charged on Overdue Accounts

Date	ARTICLES	Folio	Debit	Credit	Balance
Feb. 9.	49 paper bags and one ball twine. (Warehouse)		.45	Vote 5	
March 1.	2 stone jars. (5 gal) 3 60 watt. Elec. Bulbs. Supplies received. (MacKay School) Prices just and fair. Certified correct.		5.00 1.35 ----- 6.80	" 7 School " 11 Agency	
No. 508.	Indian Agent.				

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128-1-5

R



Letter No. 508

Office of the Pas. Indian Agency,

[Handwritten signature]

The Pas. Man. March 16, 1926.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 508,
amounting to \$ 6.80 in favour
of E. Carroll, The Pas. Man.

for supplies for warehouse, electric lights for
Agency, and stone jars to use while repairing
batteries at McKay Boarding School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Estimates 2.

Letter No 128/15/1/5 dated Jan. 13/26.

[Handwritten signatures: Schooner, M. S. D., and others]

1926-27

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

The Pas, Man. March 34th. 26.

Sir:-

Yesterday acting on your instructions I visited The McKay School, and herewith is submitted my report following my inspection.

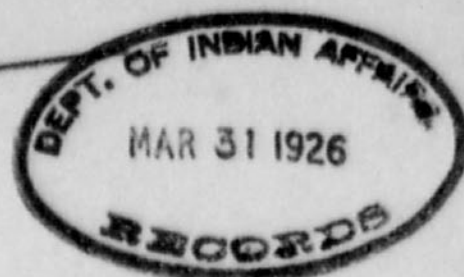
The general health of the pupils is excellent. There has been considerable number of cases of colds and influenza during the past winter season but these have been very efficiently handled by the staff. There are some half dozen pupils with defective vision and I would advise that these be fitted with suitable lenses at the earliest opportunity.

Inspected food and clothing of pupils and have no criticism to offer in regard to these.

Inspection of building showed that Dormitories, classrooms, playrooms, washrooms etc in the building were clean and in the case of the former, being well ventilated during the time that the children were excluded from them. The staff complain that it is difficult to keep the sleeping quarters well aired at night as the pupils close the windows left open as soon as the members of the staff have retired. In their own homes there is a notorious want of ventilation even the key hole in the doors being plugged. It would seem advisable to devise some system of obtaining fresh air in these rooms by some contrivance which the pupils could not manipulate themselves.

I have previously reported on the outside water closets at this Institution. As seen yesterday at inspection it is impossible to describe the filth of these two out buildings. Even the floors are piled with excreta in the girls' W.C. and from the looks of the floor in the Boys' it would appear that the floor there had just recently been relieved of a similar load. By this report it is not intended to cast any reflection on the staff for this condition of affairs. The closets in the building off the Dormitories are closed during the day and pupils must use the outside closets. Owing to the nature of the soil it is said to be impossible to dig latrines of sufficient depth. Latrine pails that could be emptied in an incinerator every morning would answer for the summer months but would be impracticable in the cold weather. The only solution I can see is to either build an outhouse that would be connected with the water system of the institution and be heated from it, or to fix up W.C.s in the building. I went over the ground with Mr. Hill the plumber and he states that at least three seats could be put in off the boys' play room, together with a urinal. These could be fitted with an automatic flush which would do away with the main objection to the inside W.C. system, viz: that the pupils forget to flush them after using. There are two closets now in the building section that only need to be connected to the present system.

128-1-5-



EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. AGENT WADDY FOR THE
MONTH OF MARCH ON THE MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL
SCHOOL.

R

Original on File 128-1-7.

The laundry equipment which was supplied
to this school was tested out during my visit.
It appears to be satisfactory.

The electric light plant is being overhauled
and will be in good shape by the end of the week.

I had the Medical Officer make a report on
the outside closets in use at this place. They
should be done away with entirely.

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 SUNDAY
 HOURS
 —
 2 to 4 p.m.
 8.30 to 1.

BURT'S DRUG STORE

"THE NYAL QUALITY STORE"

Prescription Druggists

Vote 7
Treaty 5.

Owing to the
 very small
 margin of profit
 on
 School Books
 these must
 be paid for in
 cash.

THE PAS, MAN., *March 10* 192 *6*

Sold to *Dept of Indian Affairs*
The Pas Agency for *John A McKay School*

DATE	PARTICULARS	DEBIT	CREDIT	BALANCE
<i>March 10</i>	<i>To 3 quarts Sulphuric Acid CP</i>	<i>13 50</i>		
	<i>Telegram</i>	<i>55</i>		<i>14 05</i>
	Material received.			
	Price just and fair.			
	Certified correct.			
	No. 517.			
	<i>Indian Agent.</i>			

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John A McKay
10/26
April

EXAMINED and
 found correct.
[Signature]

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Letter No. 517

128-1-5



Office of the Pas Indian Agency,

The Pas, Man. March 25th, 1926.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 517,

amounting to \$ 14.05 in favour

of Mr. Wm. Burt, The Pas, Man.

for repairs to electric lighting plant at McKay School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128/1/5 dated Jan. 13/26.

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Your obedient servant,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Indian Agent.

DEPARTMENT *Indian Affairs*

LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called *9 March* 192*6* by *letter* Due *9 March* 192*6* by *phone* Opened *9 March* 192*6* by *J.P. Bann*

ARTICLES		FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE		REMARKS
<i>and other for</i>		<i>Garland & Co</i>	<i>A. Williams</i>	
<i>McKay Indian School</i>				
<i>The Mac, Man</i>				
<i>for wash macty</i>				
<i>3 Butlers</i>		<i>1805</i>	<i>20.10</i>	
<i>40 ft 3 in Safe & part</i>				
<i>Belting</i>		<i>24.48</i>	<i>23.04</i>	
<i>fasteners</i>				
<i>Note - Orders placed and marked</i>				
			<i>3643</i>	
			<i>3645</i>	
			<i>3644</i>	

UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed *J.P. Bann*

Dept. of *Indian Affairs*

City or town *Winnipeg* Province *Man*

DATE *9 Mar 1926*

**RAILWAY COMPANY
STEAMBOAT LINE**

THIS MEMORANDUM

Shipper's No.

Agent's No. _____

at Winnipeg, Man.,

192

From **The CANADIAN FAIRBANKS-MORSE CO., Limited**

The Rate of Freight from WINNIPEG, Man., To

is in Cents per 100 Lbs.

If Special

[illegible]

Per.

(Mail Address—Not for purposes of Delivery.)

Consigned to

Destination.

Province or
State of

County of _____

Winnipeg

Route

Car Initial.

Car No.

NO.
PACKAGES

DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES AND SPECIAL MARKS

WEIGHT
(Subject to Correction)

CLASS
OR RATE

**CHECK
COLUMN**

3 Wood pulleys

65

1	Cable Belting
---	---------------

15

1- Col Type

115

charges are to be prepaid, write or stamp here, "To be Prepaid."

Received \$ _____
to apply in prepayment
of the charges on the prop-
erty described hereon.

Agent or Cashier.

Per.

(This signature here acknowledges
only the amount prepaid.)

Charges Advanced :

2

AUTOREADING REGISTER SYSTEMS, LIMITED 27305 MONTREAL TORONTO WINNIPEG

THE CANADIAN FAIRBANKS-MORSE CO., Limited, Shippers.

9034

Per.

Per

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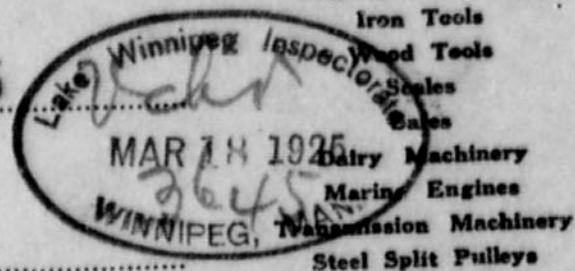
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Engines and Boilers
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Winnipeg, Mar. 11/26



Sold to The Dept. of Indian Affairs for Canada,
Ottawa, Ont.

Terms Net Cash

Your Order No.

Our Order No.

6677 I

Invoice No. 1578

40' Belting, waterproof, single, 3" and
fasteners

.72

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Less 20%

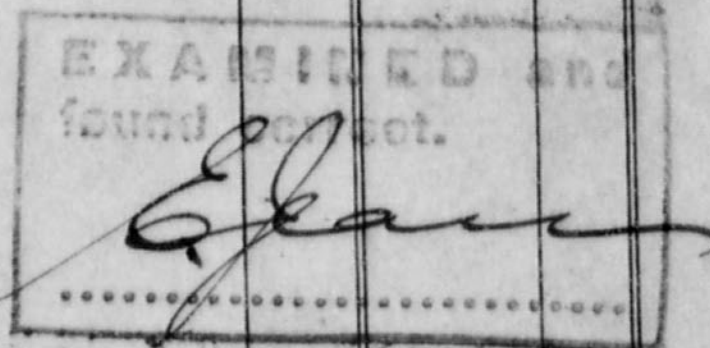
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---Twenty three & 04/100 dollars only
Shipped to The Indian Agent, (for the
McKay Indian School), the Pas, Man.

Certified Correct,

---Authority,
Letter 128-1-5.
24th Nov, 1925.

Ino R. Shaw
Inspector of Indian Agencies.



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Sent 10-4-26

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WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR PARCELS DELIVERED TO US FOR
ENCLOSURE

Mar. 12-1926.

WINNIPEG,

To **CANADIAN FAIRBANKS-MORSE COMPANY DR.
LIMITED**

NO CLAIMS ALLOWED UNLESS MADE WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF GOODS
ALL REMITTANCES MUST BE AT PAR WINNIPEG

INTEREST WILL BE CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS AT 10% PER ANNUM
ALL GOODS SOLD STRICTLY F.O.B. OUR WAREHOUSE

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

7919.

ORDER NO.

FILE NO.

NO CASH DISCOUNT

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION OF GOODS	LIST PRICE	GROSS EXTENSION	DISCOUNT	NET
1	Only Pulley Wood Split 24 x 5" shaft				6.20-
	Crow face				6.40-
1	do 16 x 10 straight				5.45-
1	do 18 x 8 "				18.05-
---Eighteen & 05/100 dollars only.					
---Authority, Indian Agent McKay Indian School, The Pas, Man.					
Letter 128-1-5 24 November, 1925					
Certified Correct, Inspector of Indian Agencies.					
RETURN NO GOODS BEFORE ADVISING US REASON AND RECEIVING OUR CONSENT, OTHERWISE CREDIT OR FREIGHT WILL NOT BE ALLOWED. REFER TO DATE AND FILE NUMBER OF INVOICE.					

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WINNIPEG, ~~Mar. 13-1936.~~

TO THE CANADIAN FAIRBANKS-MORSE COMPANY DR.
LIMITED

NO CLAIMS ALLOWED UNDER
ALL RIGHTS RESERVED

PAID WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF GOODS
CASH MUST BE AT PAR WINNIPEG

INTEREST WILL BE CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS AT 10% PER ANNUM
ALL GOODS SOLD STRICTLY F.O.B. OUR WAREHOUSE

Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

7895.

ORDER No. Mr. Bunn. FILE NO

NO CASH DISCOUNT

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION OF GOODS	LIST PRICE	GROSS EXTENSION	DISCOUNT	NET
101' 11 3/4"	Galv. Pipe Prepaid charges	8.45 cft			8.61 - 3.25 - <u>10.86 -</u>
---Ten & 86/100 dollars only. Authority letter 128-1-5.. 24 Nov. 1925.					
CERTIFIED CORRECT PIPE TO OFFICE ALL INFORMATION					
XXXXXXXXXXXXX GALV PIPE ON R. 1888					
WHEN IN BLACK PIPE XXXX SHIPPED XXXX CHARGES					
XXXXXXXXXX					
Indian Agent McKay Indian School, Inspector of Indian Agencies The Pas, Man.					
M. D. Gunn 192.99 10.86 18.05 <u>1.90</u> 93 sent April 10/26					
RETURN NO GOODS BEFORE ADVISING US REASON AND RECEIVING OUR CONSENT. OTHERWISE CREDIT OR FREIGHT WILL NOT BE ALLOWED. REFER TO DATE AND FILE NUMBER OF INVOICE.					

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CHAS. W. HILL

P. O. BOX 812

ENGINEER AND MODEL MAKER
REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND FIREARMS
WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED

THE PAS, 12th. April 1926. 192
MANITOBA

J. W. Waddy Esq.
Indian Agent,
The Pas.

Dear Sir,

In connection with your inquiry re the cause of improper functioning of the Storage Battery at the McKay School, I might state that there is no evidence of neglect on the part of the operators of the plant.

As a matter of fact they appear to be very careful with it. They are not experts of course, but do their best. The condition of the batteries is quite a common one and is attributal to ordinary wear and tear.

I am, Dear Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Chas W Hill

THE PAS. April 1926. 192
MANITOBA

The Department of Indian Affairs.

The Pas.

Vote 7
Treaty 5

IN ACCOUNT WITH

CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician

REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND FIREARMS UNDERTAKEN. WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED.

TERMS NETT. INTEREST AT EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

March 23

1926

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To attention Electric Lighting Plant,
McKay Boarding School, Big Eddy.
48 BatteriesTaking out heads, washing plates and separators
washing out jars, refilling with new acid
replacing heads, and sealing.

Connecting up and charging.

Electricians time 37 hrs

Helpers - 37 :

1.00 37 00
50 18 50Services rendered, price just and fair.
Certified correct,

\$55 50 ✓

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Indian Agent.

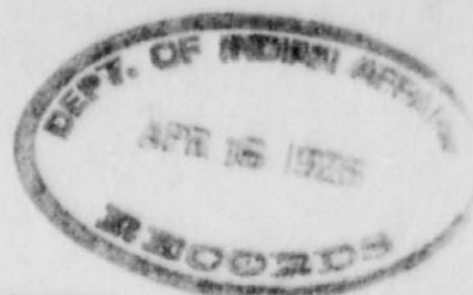
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Letter No. 537



Office of the The Pas Indian Agency,

dict

The Pas, Man. April 12th 1926

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 537

amounting to \$ 55.50 in favour

of Chas W. Hill The Pas Man

for repairs to electric light plant at Mackay School.
report attached on condition of plant.
electrician put in his time at \$1.00 instead of
usual charge of \$1.25 per hour as he did the work
This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
in off time while he was at the school on other work,
he remained at the school at night and did the odd jobs.
Letter No. 128-1-5 dated January 13th 1926

Your obedient servant,

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Indian Agent.

THE PAS. April 1926. 192
MANITOBA

The Department of Affairs.

The Pas.

Vote 7
Treaty 5

IN ACCOUNT WITH

CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician

REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND FIREARMS UNDERTAKEN. WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED.

TERMS NETT. INTEREST AT EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

1926.

March 4
to 24.

To the Installation of Washing Machinery, at The McKay Boarding School.
 6. H.P Fairbanks Engine. Beaver Washing Machine & Extractor.
 Taking out double window & frame to get machines in basement, and
 altering position of one ceiling radiator. Replacing window etc.
 Making concrete base for engine, cutting out drain ways in floor.
 cutting holes for bolting down machines. Piping in drains & re-concretig
 floor, to sewer. Piping out engine exhaust through basement wall.
 Piping H & C water to washer. Drilling Ceiling joists, bolting up
 hangers. Putting in line shafting, pulleys. fastening down all machines
 bolting up & testing. Erecting guard rails around engine with gate.

Mechanics time 154 hrs

Helpers time 154

Materials.

6 ft 2" Gal pipe

4 2" Nipples

3 2" Elbows

4 1/2" Nipples

1 1 1/2 Elbow 20 1-1 1/2 nipple 15

Belt lacing. 1.35 1 Hose Faucet 1.25

Supplies received, services rendered, price just
and fair, certified correct.

1.25 192 50

50 77 00

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35 1 40

25 75

12 48

35

2 60

\$277 48 ✓

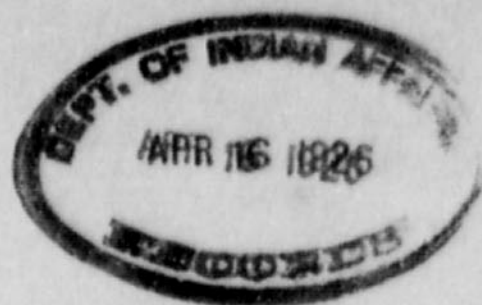
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R

er No. 538

Office of the The Pas Indian Agency,

Chas W Hill

The Pas, Man. April 12th 1926

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 538

amounting to \$ 277.48 in favour

of Chas W Hill The Pas Man

for installation of laundry machinery etc at Mackay School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated Dec 17th 1925

INDIAN EDUCATION

Your obedient servant,

Payd

W. L. A. D. G.
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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THE PAS. April 1926. 192
MANITOBA

The Department of Indian Affairs,

The Pas.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

Vote 7
Treaty 5**CHAS. W. HILL**

Engineer and Electrician

REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND FIREARMS UNDERTAKEN. WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED.

TERMS NETT. INTEREST AT EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

1926.
March26
27*R. W. Hill*
The Big Eddy Boarding School.To Wiring in Electric Lights, and making
connection to Power Line, Pump House.

2 Condulets @ 30

2 : 50

1 : 65

1 Flush switch & cover

2 Service Insulators @30

1 Service Switch & fuses

2 Waterproof Sockets @ 45

50 Feet #12 Wire

60 : 14 : D.B.

20 : Conduit @14

Screws, Solder & tape Pipe Clips.

Time Electricians 6 hrs @ 1.25

: Helpers 6 : .50

Service rendered, material applied, price just and
fair.

Certified correct.

#536

EXAMINED and
found correct.

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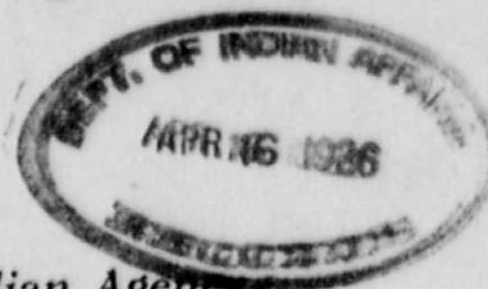
Indian Agent.

W. L. A. D. D.
Sent May 10/26

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128-1-5
Letter No. 536



Office of the.....The Pas.....Indian Agency,

The Pas, Man. April 12th 1926

Accountant
Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 536

amounting to \$ 22.70 in favour

of Chas W Hill The Pas Man

installation electric lights in pump house at
for Mackay School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. telegram dated January 12th 1925

n 17
Your obedient servant,

INDIAN EDUCATION

[Signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

[Signature]
Indian Agent.



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PHONE A 1419

185 LOMBARD STREET,

WINNIPEG, Man.

975

No.....

Indian Agent,

The Pas,

Man.

Vote 7

Treaty 5.

In Account With

STAR ELECTRIC CO., LTD.

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS AND ENGINEERS

JOB No.....

Electrical Supplies and Equipment of All Kinds

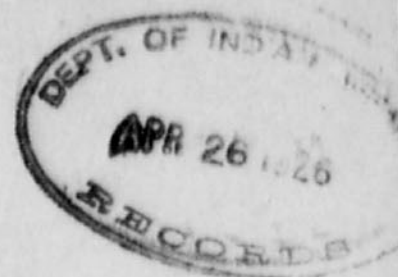
Date		Order No.	Debit	Credit	Total
1926.					
Mar. 31	1 set (4) new brushes for generator X37052 - Frame 41 @ 1.00		4.00		
	1 set (3) rings for type Z. 6 H.P. Engine @ 1.50		4.50		\$ 8.50
	(for MacKay School)				
	Supplies received. Price just and fair. Certified correct.				
	No. 20.				
	Indian Agent.				
	EXAMINED and found correct.				
	sent May 5/26				
	744				

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128-1-5-
R
Le No. 20



Office of the Pas Indian Agency,

The Pas, Man., April 20th, 1926.

C. M.
Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 20,

amounting to \$ 8.50 in favour

of Star Electric Co., Ltd., 185 Lombard St.,
Winnipeg, Man.

for repairs to electric Light plant at McKay Boarding
School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128/1/5 dated Jan. 13, 1926.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Your obedient servant,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Indian Agent.

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❖
SUNDAY
HOURS
—
2 to 4 p.m.
8.30 to 10 p.m.
❖

BURT'S DRUG STORE

"THE NYAL QUALITY STORE"

Prescription Druggists

Owing to the
very small
margin of profit
on
School Books
these must
be paid for in
cash

THE PAS, MAN.

May 5

1926

Sold to

Dept of Indian Affairs

The Pas Agency.

Vote 7

233

36.75

1.50

8.25

1136

2181

DATE	PARTICULARS	DEBIT	CREDIT	BALANCE
April 22	1 Whisk Sulphuric Acid	50	V. 7	
" "	3 Packing Boxes to ship supplies	90	" 7	
" "	Express	1 35	" 7	6 75
" 24	Medicine for Chief Courtant	10	V. 233	
"	Supplies received. Price just & fair. Certified correct.	50	V. 233	1 50
	Total			8 25

No. 60.

INDIAN AGENT.

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R



L No. 60.

Office of the Pas Indian Agency,

The Pas, Man., May 27th, 1926.

[Handwritten signature]

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 60,

amounting to \$ 8.25 in favour

of Wm. Burt, Druggist, The Pas, Man.

for repairs to Electric light plant at McKay School

and drug for the Agency.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Emergency.

Letter No. 128/1/5 dated Jan. 13/26.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

*Schools & Trust Fund
Paid*

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

The Pas, Man.

May 18, 1906.

J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Dear Sir:

In rendering you this account for three
Winchesters Sulphuric acid at \$4.50 per Winchester
I have rendered you an account before for three
gallons at \$4.50 which was a mistake on the part of
the wholesalers from whom I got the acid.

They rendered their bill at so much per half
gallon and I took it to be the price per gallon and
billed you with three gallons at \$4.50 per gallon,
instead of \$9.00 per gallon, the proper price.

I charged you only half the price you should
have been charged, and this bill is for the other half.
I may say that I wrote to the Chemical Company regarding
the price of the acid, which by the way is Chemically
Pure, and their explanation is that it had to be brought
by Express from Montreal, hence the high price.

Trusting this explanation will be satisfactory
to you, I am,

Yours faithfully,

William Burt

SUNDAY
HOURS

2 to 4 p.
8.30 to 10 p.m.

BURT'S DRUG STORE

"THE NYAL QUALITY STORE"

Prescription Druggists

Vote 7.

Treaty 5.

THE PAS, MAN.,

Owing to the
very small
margin of profit
on
School Books
these must
be paid for in
cash.

Sold to

*Dept of Indian Affairs
The Pas Agency*

May 18 1926
EXAMINED and
found correct.

DATE	PARTICULARS	DEBIT	CREDIT	BALANCE
April 24	3 <i>Winch Sulphuric Acid</i> 4 ⁵⁰	13 50		
	Supplies received. Price just and fair. Certified correct.			
	No. 55.			
	Indian Agent.			
	<i>Sent June 10/26</i>			

EXAMINED and
found correct.

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No. 55.

Office of the.....Pas.....Indian Agency,

The Pas, Man., May 25th, 1926.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 55,

amounting to \$ 13.50 in favour

of Burt's Drug Store, The Pas, Man.,

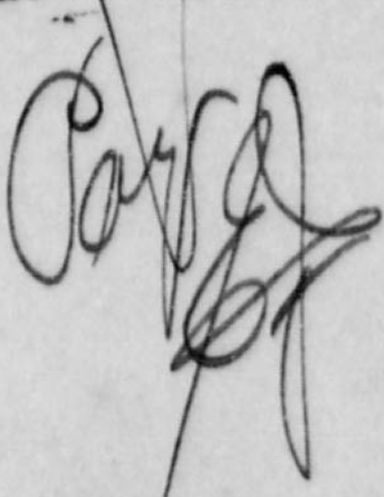
for repairs for electric light plant at McKay School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

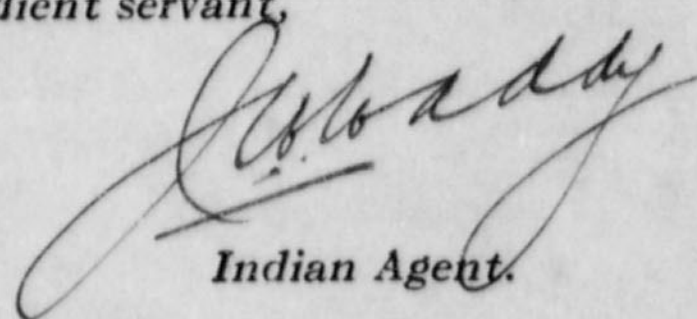
Letter No. 128/1/5 dated Jan. 13/26.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Your obedient servant,

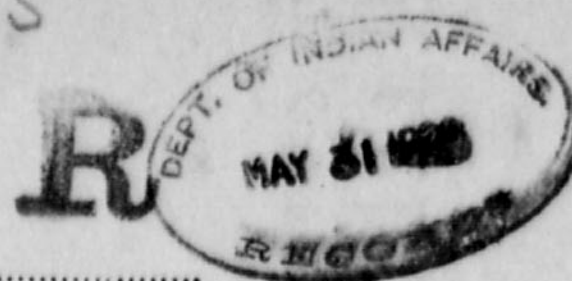


The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



Indian Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



The Pas, Man.

May 25th, 1926.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 5216/142

ALSO

TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

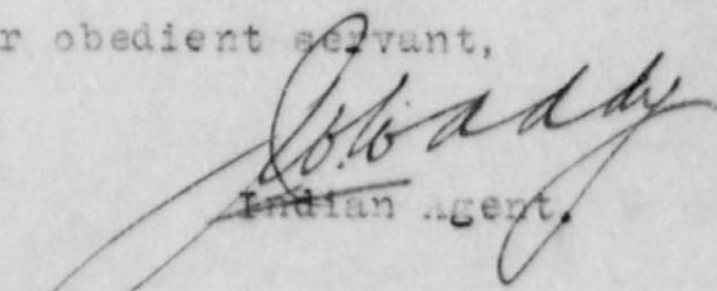

Sir,—

ACCOUNTANTS
JUN 1 1926
BRANCH

In reference to voucher No. 517, dated March 10th, in favor of Burt's Drug Store, for three gallons sulphuric acid, costing \$13.50, plus charge for telegram, making a total of \$14.05. I have the honor to enclose a letter received from the druggist in which he states that he made a mistake in the charges on this voucher, and now incloses another bill of \$13.50. I have O. K'd the account, as I think Mr. Burt is perfectly honest, and made the mistake in the way he describes.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,


Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

Enc. 2.

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Ottawa, June 14th, 1926.

Rev. Sir:

I have your letter of March 10th relative to repairs at the Mackay Indian Residential School. I regret to inform you that your letter was inadvertently mislaid. Mr. Commissioner Graham has lately been authorized to undertake the repairs and improvements he considers necessary at this school and, if there is any special request for materials for minor repairs, it would be advisable to have the Reverend Principal correspond with him direct.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D.D.,
Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.,
41-43, The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

Ottawa, June 14th, 1926.

Sir:

There are funds available for certain improvements at the Mackay Indian Residential School. The Church authorities have asked the Department to convert the old hospital building into a playroom; to erect a hogpen and a chicken house; to provide a telephone line and to make repairs. \$3,200 is available for improvements at this school, and I should be pleased if you would enquire into the urgency of these requests; undertake what you consider necessary, and report to the Department, estimating the total cost.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
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J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

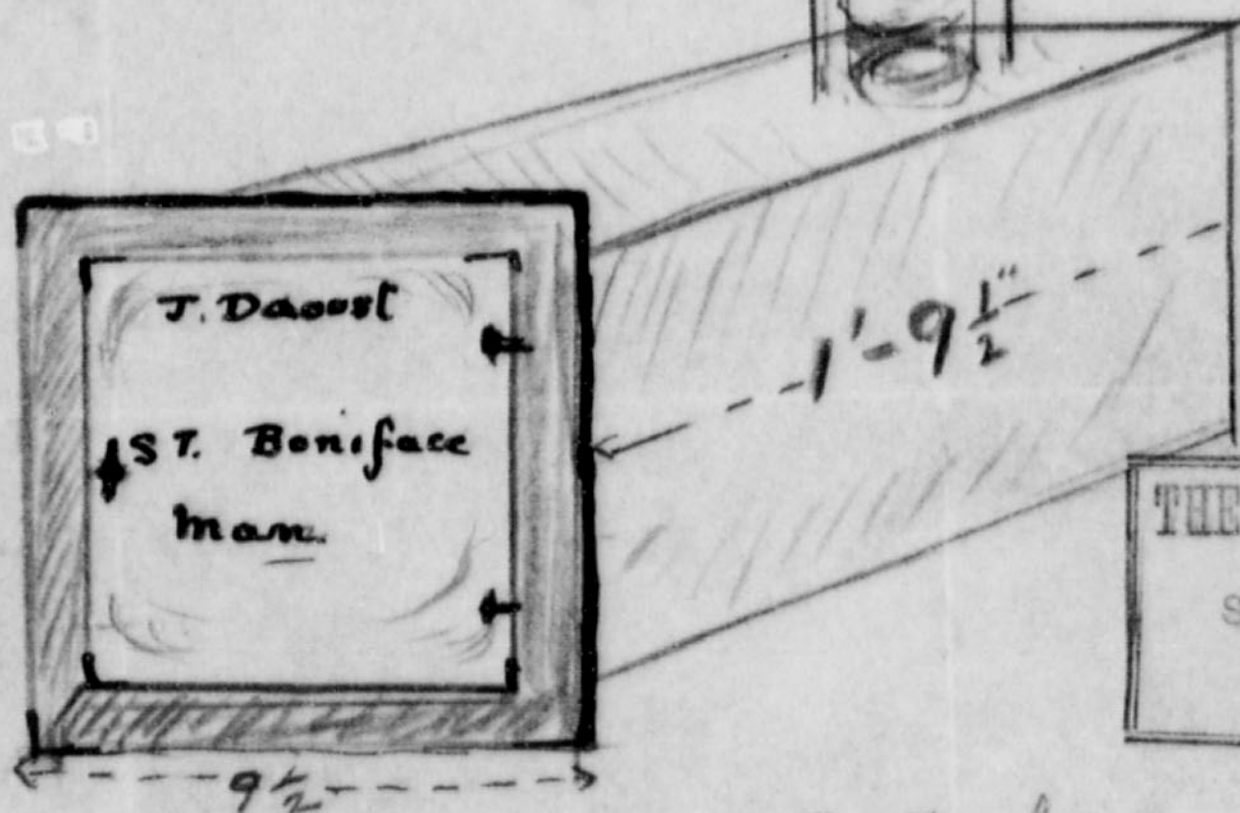
W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

THE MCKAY BOARDING SCHOOL
THE PAS, MAN.

J. Daoust

St Boniface.
Man.

~~XXXXXXXXXX~~



THE PAS AGENCY
SEP 24 1926
MAN.

✓ FIRE BOX - for
Economy
Bake Oven

✓ length of Steel Pipe - 5"
which goes inside the outer pipes

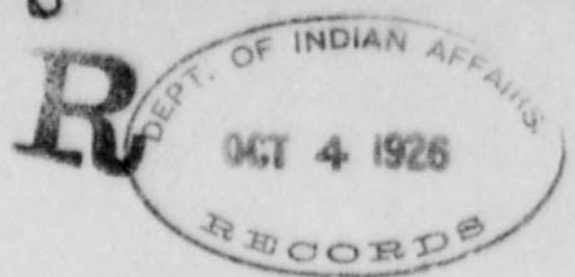
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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



The Pgs. Man.....

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 5456/135
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sept. 28th, 1926.

Sir,-



I beg to enclose a sketch of part of the bake oven and chimney for same at the McKay Boarding School, which has burnt out.

I would be obliged if the Department will allow me to purchase repairs for same.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. L. [Signature]
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Enc. 1.

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5456/135.

Ottawa, October 5, 1926.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 28th ultimo, enclosing a sketch of part of the bake oven and chimney at the Mackay Indian Residential School and requesting authority to purchase the necessary parts which have been burnt out and have the oven placed in good condition. In this connection I have to request that you will furnish an estimate of the approximate cost of supplying the parts required and the work of installing same. You should also state whether it will be necessary to engage the services of a man having expert knowledge of the work or whether the installation of the parts can be performed by the school management.

Your obedient servant,

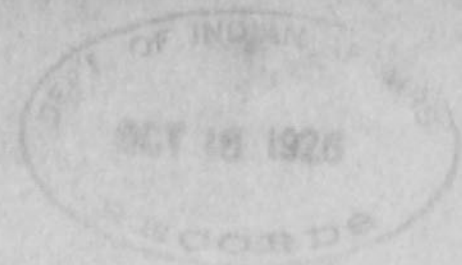
J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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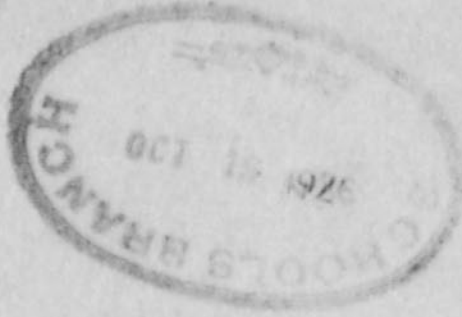


The Pas, Man.

Oct. 12th, 19 26

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 5514/135 ,
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

[Handwritten signature]
Sir,—



In reference to your letter of the 5th inst. No. 128/1/5, in regard to repairs for bake oven at the McKay Indian Residential School. This repair should not cost more than \$15.00. The school people should also be able to install it themselves, as they have done similar repairs in the past.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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5514/135.

Ottawa, October 19th, 1926.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 12th instant, giving an estimate of the cost of the repairs required to the bake oven at the MacKay Indian residential School.

In reply I beg to say that you may arrange for the purchase of the necessary parts which have been burnt out and have the oven placed in good condition. We note that these repairs will cost approximately \$15 and that the school authorities will be able to install the parts themselves.

Please forward properly certified vouchers in the usual manner covering the cost involved.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. W. Waddy
J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

PHONE 499

48 to 56 BANK ST. and 213 to 217 SPARKS ST.

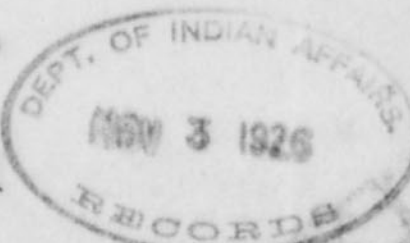
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OTTAWA, ONT., Oct 28, 1926 191

KETCHUM & CO. LTD.

Sold to Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Booth Bldg.



8% Interest Charged on all Overdue Accounts.

0 # 128 - 1 - 4

To Account Rendered

2 Football @ 4.75

Certified correct,
supplies furnished,
charges fair and inst.

For McKay Residential School

NOV 4 1926

GUN GOODS
SPORTING GOODS
BICYCLES AND
BICYCLE SUNDRIES
MOTOR CYCLES
BOAT FITTINGS
CANOES
REPAIRS

9.50

list 33
3605
Mr. 1926

THE HOLLAND L. GRAIN CO. LTD. OTTAWA

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

128-1-5



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-114

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

H.

REGINA, SASK., November 16th, 1926.

Sir:

Under cover of Department No. 128-1-5 dated the 14th of June last, authority was given for an expenditure for certain improvements at the Mackay Indian Residential School in The Pas Agency. All authorities were afterwards cancelled and this one was not subsequently renewed.

As provision for the items mentioned is necessary, I shall be glad if the Department will insert an item in the Estimates for the coming fiscal year 1927-28.

Your obedient servant,

W.M. Graham

W.M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



...The Pas, Man.,.....

Nov. 18th, 1926.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 5602/135
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir—



I have the honor to report that at the time of my last visit to the MacKay Indian Residential School the Principal drew my attention to the fact that the principal steam pipe leading from the boiler along the north side of the building requires to be covered with asbestos. There is a considerable leakage of heat from the pipe and I beg to recommend that it be covered as suggested by the Principal, for a distance of sixty feet.

The cost of this sixty feet, four inch diameter, asbestos, with clips etc., would be *about 35.00*

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

W. J. Bloddy
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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MANITOBA

M. The Department of Indian Affairs.

Vote 7
Treaty 5.

The Pas.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician

REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND FIREARMS UNDERTAKEN. WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED.

TERMS NETT. INTEREST AT EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

1926.

October

To repairs for McKay Boarding School.

Bosch Magneto.

2 Points

1 Armature

4 Springs.

Mechanics time 5 hrs.

24 Faucet Washers

24 Bath & WashTub Plugs

1 - 1" Stop Valve for Water supply

1.28

2.56

13.41

13.41

.34

1.36

1.25

6.88

24.21

.50

4.50

3.50

8.50

Nov. 6

1 Packing Gland for Power Head on Water Pump
Work performed. Charges just and fair.
Certified correct.

2.61

\$32.71

2.61

\$35.32

No. 317.

Indian Agent.

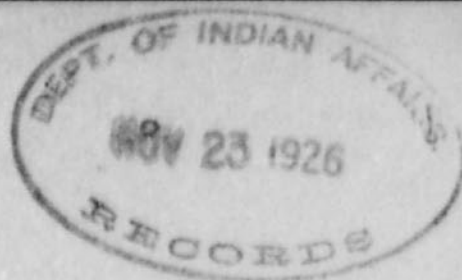
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Nov. 1926

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Letter No.....317...

128-1-5



Office of the.....Paa.....Indian Agency,

[Handwritten signature]

The..Pas.,..Man.,..Nov.,..16th.,..192...6.

Sir,

R

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....317.....,

amounting to \$.....35.32.....in favour

of..Chas.,..W.,..Hill.,..The..Pas.,..Man.,.....

for repairs..to..magneto..on..electric..light..plant..at McKay School; washers for bath tubs etc., at McKay School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No.....dated.....

This work was done during my absence on a trip to an outside reserve on the orders of the Principal. However, it was absolutely necessary.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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THE PAS. November 1926. 192
MANITOBA

The Department of Indian Affairs.

The Pas.

Vote 7
Treaty 5.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician

REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND FIREARMS UNDERTAKEN. WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED.

TERMS NETT. INTEREST AT EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

1926.
SeptTo replacements to Batteries,
"McKay Boarding School; Big Eddy.

2 Bottles Distilled Water 3.25 6.50
 12 Glass Battery Jars 1.75 21.00
 12 Rubber bands. 10
 Labor, Filling batteries, making solution,
 Sealing, installing & charging.
 Electricians time 14 hrs 1.25 17.50
 Helpers : 14 : .50 7.00

Repairs supplied.
 Services rendered.
 Price just and fair.
 Certified correct.

No. 318. Indian Agent.

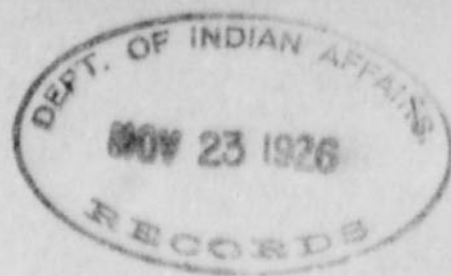
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Nov 1926.
List no 38

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 87.42

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 CANADA

128-1-S-



Letter No. 318

Office of the Pas Indian Agency,

The Pas, Man., Nov. 16th 1926.

Sir,

R

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 318,

amounting to \$ 52.00 in favour

of Chas. W. Hill, The Pas, Man.,

for completing repairs for electric light plant
McKay School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128/1/5 dated Jan. 13th. 1926.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 1

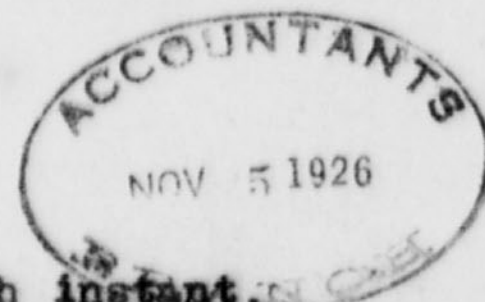
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CANADA

5602/135.

Ottawa, November 24th, 1926.

Sir:



I have your letter of the 18th instant, recommending that the main steam pipe leading from the boiler along the north side of the building at the MacKay Indian Residential School be covered with asbestos, in order to conserve the heat from the pipe.

In reply I beg to say that the department will approve of having this pipe covered with asbestos, and the cost should not exceed your estimate of approximately \$35.

When this work has been completed, please furnish properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the cost.

Your obedient servant,

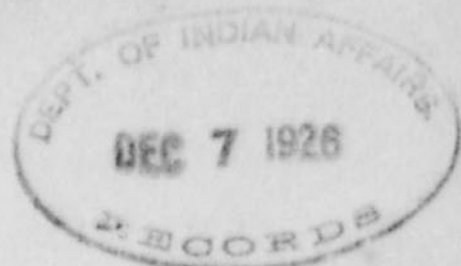
J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

128-1-5

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ENCLOSED WITH CANON GOULD'S LIST OF URGENT NEEDS -
1927-28 - CHURCH OF ENGLAND INDIAN RESIDENTIAL
SCHOOLS - FORWARDED UNDER COVER HIS LETTER OCTOBER
15TH, 1926, ON FILE #160-2.

10. <u>MACKAY</u>	(a) Poultry house	Estimated cost	400.00
	(b) Extension of piggery	" "	200.00
	(c) Workshop	" "	800.00
	(d) 10 spools barbed wire	" "	40.00
	(e) Convert hospital building into assembly and recreation room	Estimated cost	2,500.00
	(N.B. All the timber in this building is gradually going to waste through defective roof)		
	(f) Other repairs	Estimated cost	100.00
	g. Telephone connection with The Pas		400.00
	Total Estimated cost Mackay		\$ 4,040.00

[Large handwritten signature]

600, Des Meurons
St-Boniface, Manitoba.

TELEPHONE N 447



JEAN J. DAOUST LIMITED

ENTREPRENEURS GENERAUX
Plomberie
Chauffage et Ventilation
Fabricants du "Four Economique"

GENERAL CONTRACTORS
Plumbing
Heating and Roofing
Makers of the "Economy Oven"

Vote 7
Treaty 5

ST. BONIFACE, MAN.,

1926

M

*Dept. of Indian Affairs
The Post-News*



Terms Cash—After 30 days, Interest at 8% per annum will be charged.
Termes comptant—Après 30 jours, Intérêt de 8% par année sera chargé.

DATE		DESCRIPTION	EXTN'ION	PRICE PRIX	CR.	DR.	TOTAL
Dec 18/26	1	Cast Iron fire box	1	9.00		9.00	
	1	Smoke pipe for Economy oven	1	1.50		1.50	
	1	" " protected	1	1.50		1.50	
		Freight to The Post-News				1.49	
							13.49
Supplies received. Price just & fair. Certified correct.							
No. 372. Indian Agent.							
EXAMINED and found correct.							
4641-27							

COPELAND-CRATTON LIMITED BRAMPTON ONT. 12802-24

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128-1-5



Letter No. 372

Office of the Pas Indian Agency,

The Pas, Man. Dec. 28th 1926.

Asst.
Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 372,
amounting to \$ 13.49 in favour
of Jean J. Daoust Ltd., St. Boniface, Man.
for repairs to oven, MacKay Boarding School.

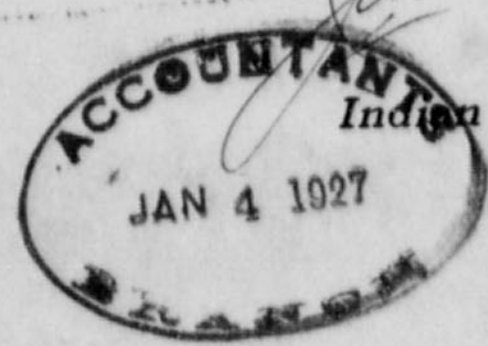
This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. 128/1/5 dated October 19th, 1926.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Your obedient servant,

Pay

[Signature]
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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INDIAN OFFICE

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At The Pas, Man.,

Jan. 27th, 1927.

5760/135.

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Sir:

I have the honor to report to the Department that the pig pen at the McKay Boarding School burnt down a few days ago, and five pigs were destroyed. The Principal states that he does not require a new pig pen till next summer, so nothing need be done at present regards renewing same.

No reason can be given as to cause of the fire, though it is presumed that a defective stove pipe started it. No person was around at the time, and the building was practically destroyed before the fire was noticed.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

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Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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5760/135.

Ottawa, February 2nd, 1927.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 27th ultimo, reporting the loss by fire of the pig pen, together with a number of pigs, at the MacKay Indian Residential School. We note that no reason can be given as to the cause of the fire. This loss to the school is regretted.

If a new pig pen is required next summer, the matter should be drawn to the attention of the Department, giving full particulars as to the size of the proposed building and the approximate cost of the material, etc.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. W. Waddy
J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

DEPARTMENT. Indian Affairs

LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called	1926	by letter	Due	1926	Opened	by	1926
Dec 9			Dec 11			Dec 11	

ARTICLES	FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE	REMARKS
80' - Robert for H. Pipe	Brown & Green Carroll	all of the Gas Meter
27' " " 20 V.		@ 33'
64 traps to a black box bid	Good	@ 20'
		@ 8'
	A.D. Dickens	36 4/5

UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

DATE Feb 8, 1927
Signed Chitpaddy Sudhanlegent
Dept. of Sudhan Affairs
City or town Sudhan Province

Vt. 11. Ty. 5
 " 7 " 10
 " 7 " 5

\$ 1.20
 16.45
 36.45
 54.70

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Feb: Ist 1927

Indian Dept:

Per Mr J. Waddy. Indian Agent, The Pas. Man:

C. S. DICKENS.

Sent 17-2-27.

17th	Agent's House To fixing lights \$1.00, I. Basin Plug 20%	I 20
5th	Sturgeon Landing School 15ft of 9" galv: pipe @ 65% 9.75. I. 9x8 thimble 55% I. 9x4 thimble 35% I. Refrig: pan to order \$5.30.	10.30 10.40 6 15
Jan:	5th McKay School Big Eddy. 81 ft of 4" asbestos 3 ply covering 27 ft " 2" Ditto 54. 4" straps and 18. 2" straps	36 45 30. 54.

Supplies received.
 Price just & fair.
 Certified correct.
 Material purchased to best advantage.

No. 433. Indian Agent.

J. Waddy

EXAMINED and correct.
M. Aborn

VERY POOR COPY

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128-1-3
Letter No. 433

Office of the Pas Indian Agency,

The Pas, Man., Feb, 8th, 1927.

Comm.
Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 433,

amounting to \$ 54.¹⁰/₁₀₀ in favour

of C. S. Dickens, The Pas, Man.

for material for Guy School, Sturgeon Landing, for installing bake oven; material for McKay School for covering steam pipes.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental authority for Guy School material, Emergent, and authority for McKay School material
Letter No. 128/1/5 dated November 24, 1926.

[Signature]
Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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128-1-5

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REV. CANON S. GOULD, M.D., D.C.L., D.D.
EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY

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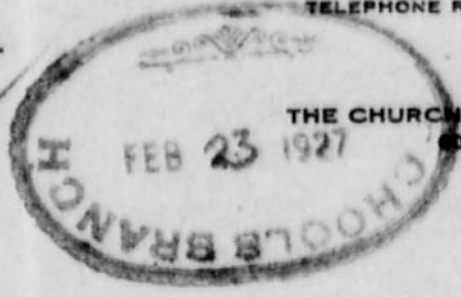
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FIELD SECRETARY
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(THE BIBLE HOUSE, WINNIPEG, MAN.)

GENERAL TREASURER
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ACCOUNTANT
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C. S. SCOTT, Esq.

TORONTO, ONT. Feb. 18th, 1927

39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave., Winnipeg.

[Handwritten signature]

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:

I regret to have to inform you that about noon on Friday Jan. 22nd, the pigpen at the Mackay School, The Pas, Manitoba, was destroyed by fire and with it two sows and two pigs. Immediately after receiving this information I wrote to the Principal, Rev. E.V. Bird, requesting him to furnish me with a full report in this connection and in his report, dated Feb. 2nd, he writes, in part, as follows:

"It is very difficult to be able to make any definite statement, the only thing I can suggest, was that the fire started from the stove which heated the building and had to stand between two pens. This space was very narrow, and yet was the only position in which the stove could be placed. The sides of the pen were covered with tin, and I think that possibly there must have been some dust behind the tin. This ignited from the heat of the tin, and probably ran up the post, until it burst out into flame. Of course one can only surmise this. The pipes which I examined after the fire were in good condition, and as for the stove it was impossible for any spark to escape from it.

"The only other way, is that possibly a boy went into the Pigpen and put more wood on the fire, and that by some means a spark dropped out and started the fire. However, as the floor was of cement, and always kept free of litter, I do not think the fire started this way."

Ack
note new pen needed
I am not satisfied that there was no evidence

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As the building was 16 ft. by 24 ft. and stood near to the stock barn, it was with considerable difficulty that the latter building was saved from destruction. also. The temperature at the time was 40 degrees below zero, and the Principal and the farm instructor were both frost bitten while working to prevent the fire from reaching the neighboring building. As the sum of \$200.00 for the extension of the pigery, was included in the list of requirements forwarded to your Department to be supplied this year, I trust that this sum may be sufficiently augmented to provide this School with a larger and fully modern building to take the place of the one which has been destroyed.

I am Sir,

Your obedient servant.

L. B. Nestgate

TBRW/JV.

Field Secretary M.S.C.C.

*Accepted
See acct. under*

Ottawa, February 23rd, 1927.

Rev. Sir:

I have your letter of the 18th instant, containing a report from the Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School on the destruction by fire of the pig pen at that school. I am not satisfied that there was no carelessness on the part of the staff. Owing to the position of the stove in the narrow space between the pens, it would appear that there was always danger from fire, and this condition should have been watched more carefully.

The Department has noted the need of a new building to take the place of the one which was destroyed.

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Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. T. R. R. Westgate, D.D.,
Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.,
39-43, The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

PHONE 499

48 to 56 BANK ST. and 213 to 217 SPARKS ST.

OTTAWA, ONT., February 15, 1927

ETCHUM & CO., LTD.

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Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Booth Bldg.

O # 128-1-5

8% Interest Charged on all Overdue Accounts.

To Account Rendered

" 2 Footballs @ 4.75

For McKay Res. School

Certified correct,
supplies furnished,
charges fair and just.

9.50

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supplies furnished,
charges fair and just.

23/2/27

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SECRETARY-TREASURER



THE ROSS NAVIGATION COMPANY LIMITED

THE PAS, MAN.

February 12, 1927.

Mr. J. W. Waddy,
Indian Department,
The Pas, Manitoba.

Dear Mr. Waddy:-

As you are aware the Mackay School is electric lighted and has a vast view from the top of the building looking all over the country adjacent to it. There is considerable travelling done between here and Sturgeon Landing and Cumberland House, and this traffic goes by the Mackay School. It has occurred to me that it would be a very great help to the travelling people especially during snow storms and blizzards and late at night on this road to have a small electric light installed in the tower of the roof of the Mackay School. This light would be seen for quite a long distance around and would aid ~~the~~ travelling people who might be caught in a storm at night.

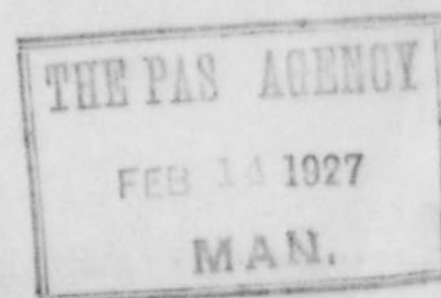
The Guy Indian School at Sturgeon-Landing have one of these lights installed on the top of their water tower and it can be clearly seen 12 miles across Sturgeon Lake. It has proved to be of great assistance to people crossing the Lake after dark and has enabled them to travel with safety at night.

I hope that you will draw this matter to the attention of the proper authorities and advise me if there is anything that we could do ourselves to help towards having this light placed as asked for.

I am, Yours very truly,

Manager.

THE ROSS NAVIGATION CO. LIMITED.



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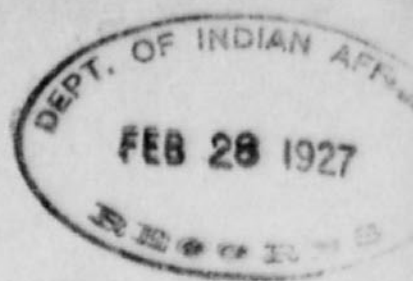
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CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



128-1-5
The Pas, Man., Feb. 22nd, 1927.

5828/135

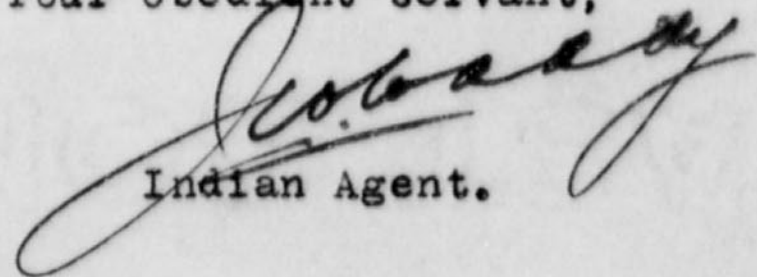
Dear Sir:

I enclose a letter from the Manager of The Ross Navigation Company, asking if the Department would have a beacon or electric light placed on top of the MacKay Boarding School, for use of the people travelling in the district in the winter.

I note what Mr. Weber, the Manager of the Ross Navigation Company, states in the second paragraph about the light installed on top of the Guy Indian Residential School, and I may inform the Department that very many people have noted the assistance this has been to them while travelling this winter.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,


Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Enc. 1.

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Ottawa, March 2, 1927.

Sir:

I have your 5828/135 of the 22nd ultimo, with reference to the desirability of placing an electric light on top of the MacKay Indian Residential School. Please discuss this with the Rev. Principal and, if he is favourable to the scheme, let me have an estimate of the cost.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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MANITOBA

M The Department of Indian Affairs.

The Pas.

Vote 7
Treaty 5.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician

REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND FIREARMS UNDERTAKEN. WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED.

TERMS NETT. INTEREST AT EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

Dec 31	To clearing pump at The McKay Boarding School, Big Eddy. Drawing rods & plunger.			
Jan 1	Taking off pump head, cleaning plunger putting on leathers.			
	Replacing plunger, rods, re-erecting Pump Head. Mechanics time 25 hrs.	1.25	26.25	33.46
	Materials Packing & leather		2.21	28.46
Jan 10	To attention to Pump.			
	Taking up chain blocks, removing head, drawing pump rods and plunger. lifting foot valve, clearing, fitting new leather washers to full size. replacing the whole, repairing check valve.			
	Mechanics time 36 hrs	1.25	45.00	
	Helpers " 25	50	12.50	
	4 Pump leathers		2.53	60.03
	1 valve leather			

Supplies received.
Price just and fair.
Certified correct.

No. 474 Indian Agent.

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MANITOBA

The Department of Indian Affairs.

Vote 7, Treaty 5.

The Pas.

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1927

Supplied to The McKay Boarding School.

Jan 13

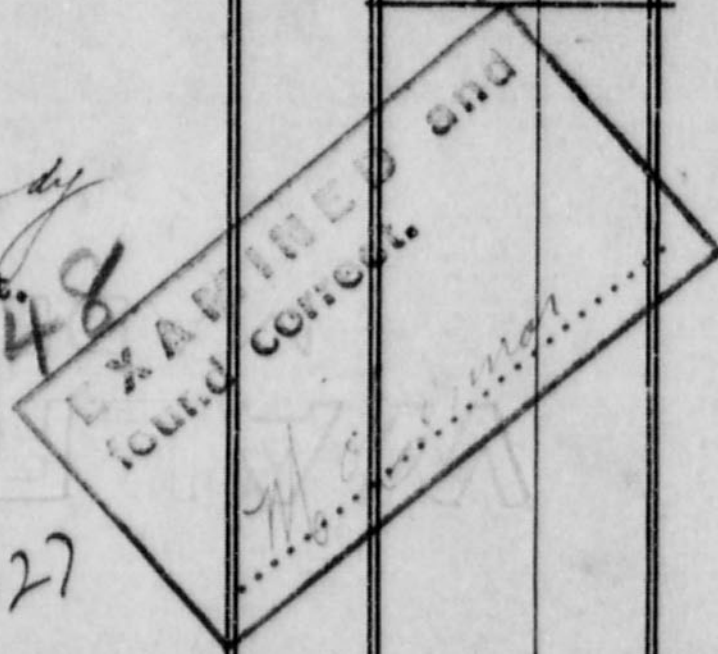
6 - 3" Rubber Tank balls
4 brass stems.75
124 50
4 20
505 00
\$4.70Supplies received.
Price just and fair.
Certified correct.

No. 475. Indian Agent.

93.49
5.00
98.49

5948

Sent 17-3-27



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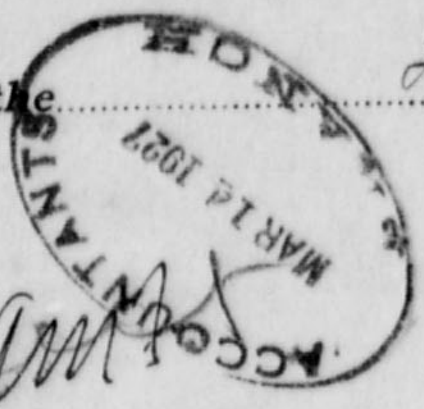
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Letter No. 475

Office of the *The Pas* Indian Agency,



The Pas, March 8 1927

Sir, *J.M.C.*

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. *474 & 475*,
amounting to \$ *93.89 98.49* in favour
of *Chas W Sill, The Pas, Man.*
for *pump repairs at Mackay School*

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. *urgent* dated

Your obedient servant,

J. L. Looney
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

128-1-5

The Pas, Man., March 10th, 1927.

5870/135

Dear Sir:

In reference to your letter No. 128/1/5 of March 2nd, in regards to the desirability of placing an electric light on top of the McKay Indian Residential School.

I beg to say that the Principal and the man who looks after the power plant state that the plant is already overloaded, and they hardly think it would be desirable to put any more lights unto it. The batteries are not working very satisfactorily at this place.

Under the circumstances I presume it would be as well to allow this matter to stand over.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

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Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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CHAS. W. HILL

P.O. BOX 212

ENGINEER AND MODEL MAKER
REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND MACHINERY
WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED

THE PAS, 3rd. March 1927. **192**
MANITOBA

J. W. Waddy Esq.,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

The Pas.

Dear Sir,

With reference to the Pump trouble at The McKay Boarding School at the Big Eddy, I beg to report as follows:-

The Pump is in a worn condition, and needs some replacements. As far as I can ascertain it has been doing steady service for 14 years.

The plunger and foot valves are worn, especially the moving parts and their guides. Also the pump rods, which are of oak are soggy worn thin and peel off.

These should be renewed at an early date, as they are liable to break at any time, and it is somewhat serious if they break in the well 40 or 50 ft. down, which causes considerable trouble to get them out again, also delay in getting the water service in action again.

The water pumped is not as much as it was originally for the following reasons.

1. The worn condition of the valves.
 2. The present pump head is smaller than the original, both in the area of discharge, and the length of stroke.
- The pump is capable of throwing more water than the present Head or Jack can handle.

Until the valves are renewed it is impossible to tell if the well casing leaks, but by its appearance, this is still in good condition.

The engine power is adequate.

There does not appear to be any shortage of water, as the pump plunger is submerged about 15ft.

I trust the above will enable you to form a correct estimate of the present condition of the plant.

Yours truly,

Chas W Hill



The Pas, Man., March 8th, 1927.

5865/135

Dear Sir,

In reference to Vouchers No. 474 and 475, in favor of Charles W. Hill, for repairs at McKay Boarding School, with letter attached.

I beg to state that the pump at the McKay School went out of order on December 31st, and had to be repaired immediately. I could not ask for authority at the time as the work had to be performed before the pipes froze up.

In reference to the letter from Mr. Hill. I beg to state that it would appear as if all the pump rods, plungers, etc., from the pump head down, should be replaced. He states they are in very bad condition, and it would be much cheaper to put in a new pump right now than to pay more of these repair bills, which are liable to happen at any time. If the Department agrees with this suggestion I will have cost sheets drawn up for the proposed work.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant.

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

5865/135.

Ottawa, March 17th, 1927.

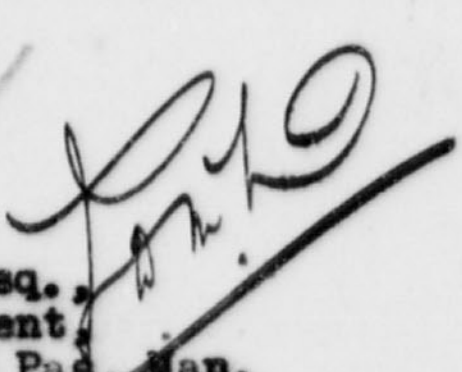
Sir:

I have your letter of the 8th instant, enclosing vouchers in payment for repairs to the pump at the MacKay Indian Residential School, and also enclosing a report from Mr. Chas. W. Hill regarding the condition of this pump and what would be required to place it in a satisfactory condition.

In reply I beg to say it is considered that it would be more satisfactory to install a new pump than to have the repairs as enumerated made to the old pump, as there would be no guarantee that it would not be liable to become at more or less frequent intervals in need of further repair. I have, therefore, to request that you will furnish an estimate of the cost of supplying a new pump of a type that would be satisfactory to meet the purpose for which it is required. The type and make of the pump which you recommend be supplied should also be stated. When we have full information as to the cost involved, consideration will then be given to authorizing the installation of a new pump.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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[Handwritten signature]

EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF INDIAN AGENT WADDY,
for the month of March, 1927, on the
MacKay Indian Residential School. Re-
port dated March 9th, 1927.

Original on File 128-1-7.



Await letter from apt

"The dormitories and classrooms should re-
ceive two coats of paint on the walls, as they are
beginning to look very untidy. I am having an es-
timate of the probable cost made and will take it
up with the Department in a special letter. A
pulley and some belting will be required and this
will also be referred to in the near future."

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

The Pas, Man.

April 8th 1927.

5957-135

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to report that the Principal of the Mackay Indian Residential School has asked if a grant can be made to the school to have the dormitories and the school rooms painted. The material he asks for would come to about \$200.00 and the labor would probably amount to \$75.00. This work is necessary, it is a long time since anything was done to these walls.

He also asks for a belt for the laundry machine, it would cost \$22.00.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

*200 material
supplies labor*

*Set
purchase*

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Indian and Eskimo Commission of the Missionary Society
OF THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND IN CANADA



THE MACKAY SCHOOL

The Pas, Man.
April 18/27

J. Waddy, Esq.
Indian Agent.
The Pas, Man.

Dear Sir:-

With reference to the Department Letter No 5865/135 dated March 17th. re the pump here.

After consultation with Mr Turner, we cannot make any definite statement as to what would be the best plan to follow.

While if new Spool Valves and new Pump Rods were installed, this might be satisfactory, yet we would not like to say that it would, though we have every reason to feel that it may remedy the defect.

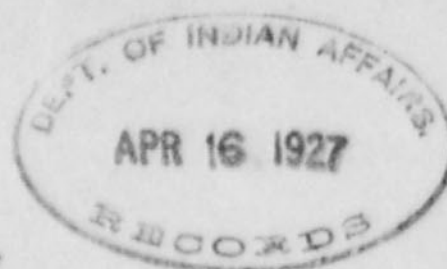
Again it is a question as to whether a new pump fitted inside the casing would be satisfactory, allowing for the thickness for the sockets on the pipe, this would reduce the pipe down to 2 inches, and this probably would be too small a flow of water, and again the rods in such a pump would have to be Steel, and the vibration would shake them, as also the pump pipes, as they could only be slipped inside the casing and hang from the top.

Somehow I feel that it would be worth while to have new rods and new Spool Valves installed, for if they prove to be the remedy, then the pump would give more satisfaction than a new pump installed inside the casing.

Yours truly

Rev E. V. Birch

Principal.



5673-135

The Pas, Man.
April 11th 1927.



Dear Sir;-

In reference to letter #128-1-5 of the 17th ulto regards pump for the Mackay School, I beg to say that I have delayed answering this letter until I investigated the matter fully.

I went to the school and tried to find out why the pump could not be pulled up as is usual when repairs are being made. I asked all sorts of questions and at last found that the trouble there is that the lining for the well was only put down one length from the top, then the pump was installed in the well. In the years which have passed since then dirt and rocks have fallen in and jammed the pipe of the pump so it cannot be withdrawn. In other words if they cannot fix the pump they will need a new well. Mr. Turner who was Inspector of Construction at time the school was erected told me the truth when I asked him, after I found out that the casing was not put into the well. He said that when the well was dug they did not put in casing after the rock formation was reached. I then tried to get them to consent to using the old well pipe as a casing and insert a smaller pump, but they state this would not be satisfactory. All we can do now is fix the pump the best way we can and when it plays out dig a new well and go to all the expense of a new pump.

A letter from the Principal is enclosed.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS OTTAWA.

5673-135
5957-135.

Ottawa, April 20th, 1927.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 11th instant, relative to the pump at the MacKay Indian Residential School, and enclosing a communication from the Principal regarding the matter. It is hoped that arrangements can be carried out to utilize the present well. You should endeavour, with the assistance of the school authorities, to have it fixed up the best way possible. We are not prepared to authorize the expense involved in the digging of a new well and the supplying of a pump.

I have also your letter of the 8th instant, relative to the providing of a grant to have the dormitories and schoolrooms painted. In this connection I beg to say that the Department will approve of an expenditure not exceeding \$200 in the purchase of the materials required for the purpose. The cost of the labour, however, will have to be provided by the school authorities from their per capita grant or other receipts. You may arrange for the purchase of the paint, etc., required, obtaining competitive prices, if possible, and the purchase should be made from the firm quoting the lowest price. After the purchase has been made, you should forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the cost.

Relative to the supplying of a belt for the laundry machine, I have to say that the expenditure for this purpose will have to be provided by the school authorities.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

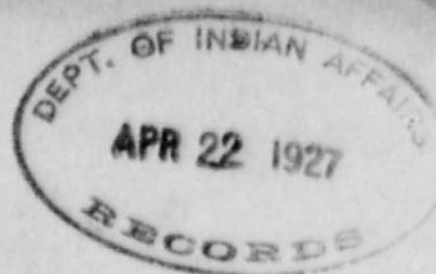
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J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



5690-135

The Pas, Man.

April 16th 1927.

Dear Sir;-

I have the honor to advise the Department that the Principal of the Mackay Boarding School has asked me to apply to the Department for a pig pen for the school.

He has supplied me with a plan of what he requires, the place is to be 17'2" X 40', with interior fittings as supplied by the B.T.Co.

The cost of this place is about as follows.

Lumber and cement	\$400.00	& brick.
Fittings	500.00	
Labor	200.00	
Fencing	150.00	
Hardware and paper and stove	75.00	
Freight and extras	75.00	
	<u>1400.00</u>	

If it is decided to build a pig pen at this place the plan outlined by Mr. Bird is quite suitable.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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5690-135.

Ottawa, April 25th, 1927.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 16th instant, relative to the building of a pig pen at the MacKay Indian Residential School, and giving an estimate of the cost of the materials and labour required.

In reply I beg to say it is considered that the dimensions of the building are too large and that the cost of erecting same would be too high. Some funds are provided for the erection of a pig pen at this school and instructions will be issued later regarding same.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. W. Waddy
J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

MR. *The Pas. Man.,* STATION *Mays,* 1927
Indian Dept *McKay Bldg School*

Vote 7
Treaty 5.

TEN PER CENT
INTEREST WILL BE CHARGED
ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS



DATE	NO OF PIECES		FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
	6	bags cement		135	810	
	6	sack 2		20	120	
					<u>930</u>	<u>930</u>
				Less 5%	<u>46.50</u>	
					883.50	

Cement received.
Price just and fair.
Certified correct.

W. G. Addy
No. 49 Indian Agent.

EXAMINED and found correct.
[Signature]

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

The Pas, Man., May 10th, 1927.



Cent. 5744/142

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to enclose voucher No. 49, amounting to \$8.84, in favor of The Monarch Lumber Co., Ltd., The Pas, Man., for cement for the MacKay Indian Residential School.

Two years ago this school was supplied with cement for the purpose of erecting steps at the front of the school to replace the wooden steps which were in bad condition. This work was not done until last week, as the school staff did not have the time to do the construction previously.

During the time the cement was at the school we used six sacks of it around the top of the well, and I had to replace this material when the steps were being put in last week. I beg to recommend that the account be paid.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

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[Signature]
Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Enc. 1.

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DEPARTMENT *Indian Affairs*

LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called *April 2/1927* by letter Due *April 30 1927* by *phone* Opened *April 30 1927* by *John Kelly*

FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE

ARTICLES	<i>McCarroll</i>	<i>Carroll</i>	<i>John Kelly</i>	REMARKS
10 gal Best Quality				
Creamer Paint				
10 gal Trade White				
5 gal Vandyke Brown				
3 " Green				
4 " " " "				
2 " " " "				
2 - 500 lb. bags				
5 gal Lin. Oil				
2 " Turps				
12 lb plaster	<i>11750</i>	<i>12690</i>		
5 " Wall size				
	<i>Carroll</i>			
	<i>11750</i>			

UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
tenders marked with circle not satisfactory for reasons given in remarks column

Signed

Dept. of

City or town

Province

DATE *14 June 1927*

INVOICE

The Pas, Man.

June 10th. 1927.

M Dept of Indian Affairs,

Vote 7
Treaty 5.

The Pas, Man

In Account
with**E. Carroll**BEDS
BEDDING
CROCKERY, ETC.DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF
SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE, TOOLS
CUTLERY, HOUSE FURNISHINGS
CAMP SUPPLIES, ETC.EVERYTHING IN THE
SPORTING LINE
TO CHOOSE FROM

10 PER CENT. INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

The R. J. LOVELL CO., Ltd., Mfg. Stationers, Toronto. 11450

Date	ARTICLES	Folio	Debit	Credit	Balance
	15 Gals. Sherwin Williams Inside Flat Paint. Cream.				
	10 Gals. S.W. Inside White Paint. Flat.				
	5 lbs. Vandyke Brown in Oil.				
	3 lbs. Burnt Sienna in Oil.				
	4 -- 4in. Rubberset Paint Brushes.				
	2 -- 2in. " " "				
	2 Medium Sash Tools.				
	5 gals. Linseed Oil.				
	2 gals. Turpentine.				
	12 lbs. Patching Plaster.				
	5 lbs. Wall Size.				
	As per Tender. April 29th.	117.50			
	Delivered to The Ross Nav. Co. for shipment to MacKay Boarding School. The Pas. Paint received. Paint & quality as per tender. Price just and fair. Certified correct.	1017			
	EXAMINED and found correct.				
	No. 93.				
	Indian Agent.				

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Letter No. 93

Office of the Pas Indian Agency,

[Handwritten signature]
Sir,



The Pas, Man., June 14th, 1927.

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 93,

amounting to \$117.50 in favour

of E. Carroll, The Pas, Man.,

for paint for MacKay School rooms.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128/1 dated April 20, 1925.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

INDIAN EDUCATION
Pay & send
offenders to
Audit

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 1

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COPY

May 20th, 1927.

Tender for painting inside of Big Eddy School.

Top floor - Boys Dormitories
Girls "
Girls Play room
Senior room

All the above work to be done in a first class manner for the sum of \$150.00. the Dept. to supply all paints, oils, and turps.

(sgd) Sam Lovell.

128-1-5

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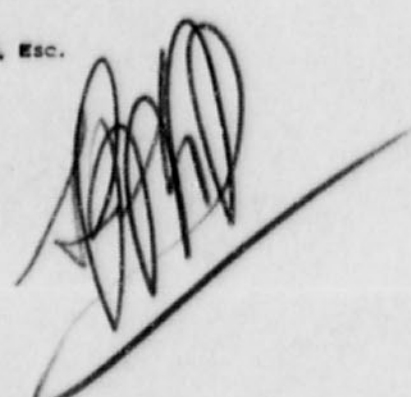
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~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ June 21st, 1927.

39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave., Winnipeg, Man.

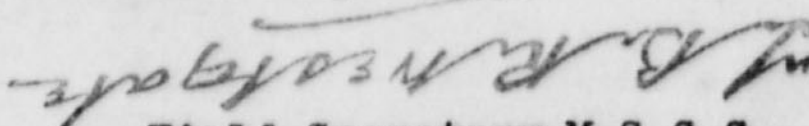
The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUN 25 1927

Dear Sir:-

In a letter recently received from the Principal of the Mackay School, The Pas, Man., he informs me that "paint has been granted for the dormitories, and school rooms, but no allowance granted for labour". He further states that as the season is so late this year the painting will have to wait until winter before the school management can undertake it, as they will have more other work than they can handle during the short summer. As our Commission do not consider it would be wise to have the painting undertaken during the winter months when all the staff and pupils are in residence, they requested the Principal to furnish them with an estimate of the cost of outside help required for this work, and I enclose herewith a tender submitted by one Sam Lovell. You will observe that the amount he asks is \$150. and I shall be obliged, if under the circumstances set forth above your Department will authorize this expenditure, or instruct Mr. Indian Agent Waddy to call for tenders and have the work done.

Believe me, Sir,
Yours very truly,


Field Secretary M.S.C.C.

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DICTATED BUT NOT PERSONALLY SIGNED
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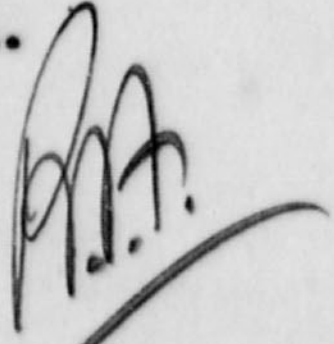
Ottawa, June 25, 1927.

Sir:

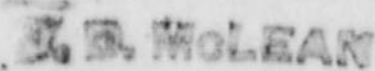
I am enclosing, for your information, a copy of my letter of today's date to Rev. Dr. Westgate, with reference to labour in connection with inside painting at the MacKay Indian Residential School.

Your obedient servant,

Encl.



J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.



J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.



Ottawa, June 25, 1927.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 21st instant and I note that the Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School is apparently unable to provide the labour in connection with the inside painting that is to be done. I wish to point out that it is the general practice of the Department to expect such activity from the members of the staff and the older boys. It is not only a good training, but it releases the parliamentary appropriation for Indian education for improvements that cannot be effected by them.

I may say that there is a total of \$1600 available for improvements at the MacKay Institution this year. The items were as follows:-

Telephone line	-	\$600.
Hen house	-	400.
Hog pen	-	600.

One of these improvements will have to stand until next year. Please let me know which one is the least important. You may inform the Principal that the Department will make an exception this year and allow \$150 for the labour in connection with the painting. Mr. Indian Agent Waddy is being informed.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

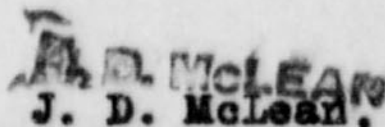
Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D. D.,
Field Secretary, M. S. C. C.,
39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
WINNIPEG, MAN.

Ottawa, July 4, 1927.

Sir:

I should be grateful if you would let me have a recommendation with an estimate of the cost of a henhouse for the MacKay Indian Residential School. This should receive your early attention. Funds are available for a reasonable expenditure in this connection.

Your obedient servant,


J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.



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TORONTO, ONT., 19th July 1927.

39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave., Winnipeg, Man.

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Re: The MacKay School.

Dear Sir,

During an interview with the Superintendent of Indian Education on the 1st inst. I directed his attention to the urgent need of an engine for the freight canoe at the MacKay School The Pas. Man., and was advised to address a written communication to you in this connexion.

As you are no doubt aware, this School is located about seven miles from the town of The Pas. and during the summer months all transportation is by means of canoe. As there is no telephone communication between the school and the town frequent journeys have to be made for mail as well as for supplies and other purposes and consequently a motor-driven canoe is an indispensable necessity. Our Society can secure a Johnson Light Twin Outboard Motor which is guaranteed to drive an 18 ft. freight canoe against a 4 mile an hour current, and even with another canoe at the same time, for \$175 and it will be a great help to our Society if your Department will authorize this expenditure. During my interview with the Superintendent of Indian Education I agreed that the building of the piggery might be postponed this year, if your Department would undertake to purchase the engine required, in addition to the painting of the interior of the main school building, and I trust that this agreement may be approved and the purchase of the engine sanctioned.

Believe me Sir,

Yours very truly

T. B. R. Westgate
Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.

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[Handwritten signature]

Ottawa, July 25th, 1927.

Rev. Sir:

I have your letter of the 19th instant, relative to the providing of an engine for the freight canoe at the MacKay Indian Residential School, and giving an estimate of the cost.

In this connection it is noted that your Society can obtain an Outboard Motor that would be satisfactory for the sum of \$175. The Department will approve of your incurring this expenditure, and you may arrange for the purchase and delivery of the motor referred to by you.

Please furnish properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature of A. F. MacKenzie]

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

[Handwritten initials: J.B.R., A.F.M., and A.B.M.]

Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D.D.,
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39-43 The Bible House,
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TORONTO, ONT. 19th July, 1927.
39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave., Winnipeg, Man.

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of June 25th No. 128-1-5 in which you desire me to let you know which of the three claims namely the telephone line, the hen-house, or the hog-pen might be allowed to stand over until a later date in order that your Department may meet the cost of painting which should be done at the MacKay school this year, I beg to state that I discussed this matter with the Superintendent of Indian Education during my interview with him on the 1st inst. and agreed at that time that the provision of the hog-pen might be deferred until a later date. You will find a reference to this agreement in a letter which was addressed to you to-day in connexion with our request for an engine for the freight canoe at this school. As the amount voted for the hog-pen was according to your letter \$600 I trust that the purchase of the engine may be authorized.

I am presuming that you have given instructions to Mr. Indian Agent Waddy to have the telephone line installed and the hen-house built.

Believe me Sir,
Yours very truly,

T. B. R. Westgate

Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.

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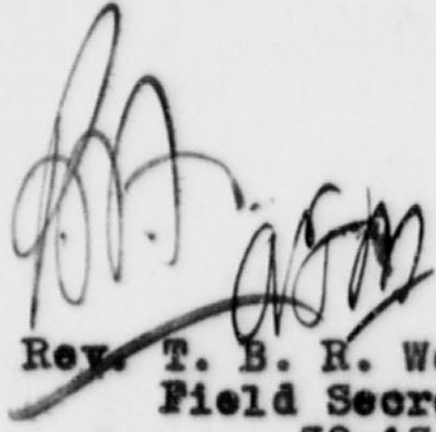
Ottawa, July 26, 1927.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 19th instant, with reference to improvements at the MacKay Indian Residential School. The advisability of providing a hogpen will be noted for next year's Estimates. Yesterday, you were authorized to arrange for the purchase of an outboard motor, and, as you have been informed, Mr. Indian Agent Waddy has been instructed to proceed with the painting at the school. I am today writing Mr. Indian Commissioner Graham, of Regina, authorizing him to arrange for the erection of a henhouse and the installation of a telephone.

Your obedient servant,


A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

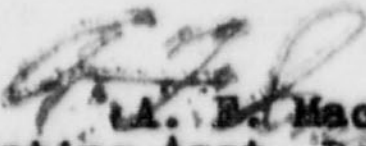

Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D. D.,
Field Secretary, M. S. C. C.,
39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

Ottawa, July 26, 1927.

Sir:

I wish to refer to official letter to you of the 4th instant, asking for an estimate of the cost of a henhouse for the MacKay Indian Residential School. I have now to inform you that it has been decided to proceed with this work and I am today authorizing Mr. Indian Commissioner Graham to arrange for this out-building. He is also being instructed to provide a telephone connection with The Pas.

Your obedient servant,

over

A. B. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.



J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Ottawa, July 26, 1927.

Sir:

I have to inform you that funds are now available for the erection of a henhouse and the provision of telephone connection at the MacKay Indian Residential School. One Thousand Dollars is provided for these improvements and I should be grateful if you would make the necessary arrangements. If a saving can be effected, I should be glad to learn that all the appropriation is not required. You should be guided by the general instructions which have been directed to you concerning the purchase of materials and the engagement of labour.

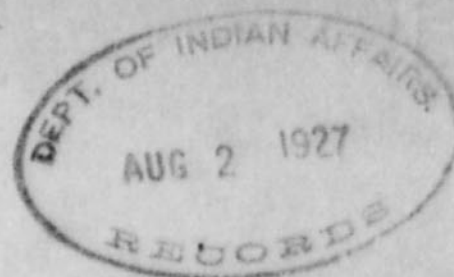
Your obedient servant,

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Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

W. M. Graham sel
W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

128-1-5

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

#5873/135

The Pas, Man., July 28th, 1927.

Sir:

With reference to your letter No. 128/1/5 of July 4th, regards Men house for MacKay Boarding School. I beg to say that I have just returned to The Pas from Nelson House, and I will give this matter immediate attention after finding out from the Principal of the School the size of the building required.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. W. Laddy
Indian Agent.

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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THE T. EATON CO LIMITED
WINNIPEG CANADA

Date July 29 1927

Reference No. 882488

Name The Indian & Esquimaux Commission
41/43 Bible House
Address Winnipeg, Man.

KEEP THIS FOR REFERENCE

8154-11-4-25-2m-140

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT	AMOUNT
1	Johnson Twin Engine Shipped to the MacKay School The Pas, Man.		175.00
EXAMINED and found correct. <i>D. J. ... 9-8-27</i> 1977 10-9-27. Received cheque July 20th 1927 With thanks. <i>sent</i> THE T. EATON CO LIMITED Per <i>H. W. ...</i>			

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~~TORONTO, ONT.~~ 3rd August, 1927

39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave., Winnipeg, Man.

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,

Re: Outboard Motor Engine for MacKay School.

With reference to your letters of July 25 and 26 (Nos 128-1-5) authorizing the purchase of an Outboard Motor Engine for the canoe at the MacKay School, I enclose herewith in duplicate, a receipted bill for \$175.- paid by our Society for a Johnson twin engine, and will be obliged if you will furnish me with your cheque for this amount.

Believe me, Sir,

Yours very truly,

T. B. R. Westgate

TBRW/EM

ACCOUNTANT

Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.

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The Pas Agency - MacKay Residential
School - Church of England - General
Administration. 1890 - 1920

File 580-1, part 2

The Pas Agency - MacKay Residential
School - Church of England - General
Administration. 1922 - 1933

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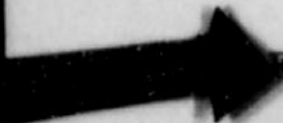
The Pas Agency - MacKay Residential
School - Church of England - Building
Maintenance - General Administration.
1934 - 1946

File 580-5, part 1

The Pas Agency - McKay Residential
School - Church of England - Tenders
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File 580-5, part 3

The Pas Agency - McKay Residential
School - Church of England - Building
Maintenance - (Plan) - Supplies -
Accounts. 1923 - 1927



File 580-5, part 4

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School - Church of England - Building
Maintenance - Supplies - Accounts.
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Department of Indian Affairs

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MACKAY RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL

BUILDING, SUPPLIES, ACCTS. & C.

Indian Affairs. (RG 10, Volume 6267, file 580-5, part 4)

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Assignment of Moneys Due from Particular Contracts or Accounts

In Consideration of advances now ^{and} or hereafter to be made by **The Royal Bank of Canada** to the undersigned, the undersigned hereby assign, transfer and set over unto **The Royal Bank of Canada** all moneys, claims, rights and demands whatsoever which the undersigned may now, or at any time hereafter, have or be entitled to in respect of or incidental to or resulting from the following contracts, agreements or accounts and in respect of interest, costs and expenses in connection therewith namely:—

One Hundred and Forty-Nine 50/ (\$149.50) Dollars, monies due from the Department of Indian Affairs, for painting the MacKay Boarding School. Work has been completed.

with full power to the said Bank to demand and receive said moneys, and to give valid and binding receipts therefor; and also with power to the Bank at any time to compound with or release any of the parties liable on the said contracts or agreements, and to sue for said moneys.

In Witness Whereof the undersigned has hereunto set his hand and seal.

Dated at The Pas, Man. this 15th day
of August 1927.

WITNESS

Bergman
A. Bergman

Samuel J. Lovell

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1. Name of firm, and name in full. If there is a partnership the names in full of all the partners must be given, and the words "doing business under the name and style of," and the name of the firm should be in the case of an incorporated company. Power of attorney should begin with the full name of the company.

I, Samuel S. Lovell,

of The Pas, Man.

2. Insert place of residence.

Painter,

3. Insert occupation.

4. Name of Attorney in full.

hereby appoint The Royal Bank of Canada,

5. Insert place of residence of Attorney and his occupation.

The Pas, Man.

6. My or our.

my lawful Attorney, to receive from the Receiver General of the Dominion of Canada, or other person authorized to pay the same, all such sum or sums of money as are now due, or may hereafter become due, and payable to me by the Government of the Dominion of Canada, and to give a receipt or receipts for the same, hereby revoking and cancelling all powers of Attorney at any time heretofore made by me for the same or any like purposes.

8. My or our.

WITNESS I hand, at The Pas, Man. this 15th.
day of August one thousand nine hundred and Twenty-Seven.

9. All the parties who join in giving the power of Attorney must sign. If it is given by a partnership or firm each partner or member of the firm must sign, and in the case of a company, besides signatures of the proper officers, the seal of the company must be attached.

EXECUTED IN PRESENCE OF

N. B.—No addition to the printed terms of this authority will be permitted. When the intention is to authorize a bank to receive money, the power of Attorney should be in favour of such bank, and not in favour of its manager.

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PLEASE
ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO THE MANAGER

The Royal Bank of Canada

INCORPORATED 1869

CABLE ADDRESS "ROYALBANK"

The Pas, Man.,
August 15th, 1927.

The Agent,
Department of Indian Affairs,
The Pas, Man.

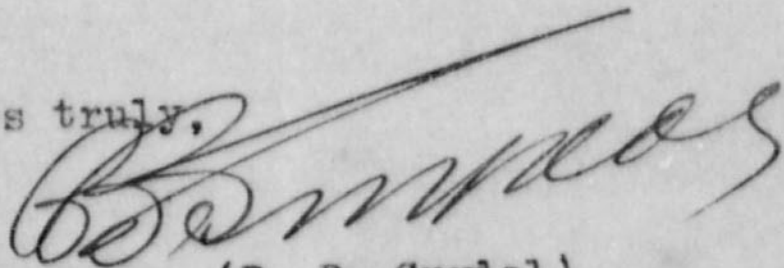
Dear Sir:-

Re: Samuel S. Lovell

Enclosed please find our Form No. 212, Assignment of monies due from the Department of Indian Affairs for painting the MacKay Boarding School, work completed, total amount \$149.50.

We also enclose the usual Power of Attorney on the Government form. We would thank you to be so good as to acknowledge receipt of this letter and the Assignment, and, at the same time, assuring us that the monies in question will be paid direct to us.

Yours truly,



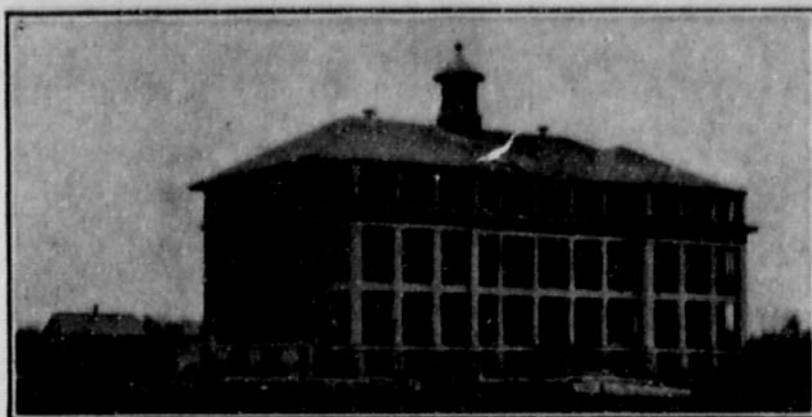
(B. B. Snyder)
Manager.

(Enc.)
BBS/LD.

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Indian and Eskimo Commission of the Missionary Society
OF THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND IN CANADA



THE MACKAY SCHOOL

The Pas, Man.

Aug 12/27

J.W.Waddy Esq.
Indian Agent.
The Pas, Man.

Dear Sir;

Re the painting of the Class-rooms and the dormitories at the school.

As you were absent when I received the letter from the Department notifying me that \$150 had been granted for the above and it was necessary to have it done ere the children arrived back, I secured the services of Sam Lovell, the only man in town who would come up and do it at that price, and I hired him to do the work by the hour.

His Time is as follows-

July 28-29-30	
August 1,2,3,4,5,6,-8,9,10,11	
13 days and ten hours - 130 hours @ 70¢	--91.00
hire of Assistant 130 hours @45¢	/--58.50
	149.50

Mr Lovell has not charged his time which he lost coming and going to work or hire of boat etc.

I will be obliged if you put the enclosed account through as he is hard up, and I hope the Department approves of the action as a first class job has been made of the work.

Yours faithfully

Rev C. V. Baird.
Principal.

STATEMENT

Aug 12th 1927.

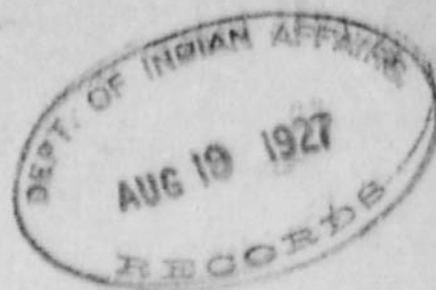
Ms Waddy

Indian Agent. The Pos.

In Acct with Samuel S. Lovell.

Terms _____ Painter, The Pass.

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Letter No. 126

Office of the The Pas Indian Agency,

The Pas, Man. August 15th 1927

amt. closed
Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 156,

amounting to \$142.50 in favour

Royal Bank. The Pas, Man.
of Account Sam Lovell. The Pas, Man.

for labor painting Mackay School classrooms.

See GA
This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

See GA
Letter No. 128-1-5 dated June 25th 1927.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 1

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EXTRACT from letter dated August 10th, from Mr.
Indian Agent Waddy.

Original on File 128-1-4.

"For the McKay Indian Residential School, I beg to say that the seats required are three each size 3 and size 2, Canadian Office and School Furniture Co., Preston, Ontario. I beg to recommend that these be supplied."

EXTRACT from report of Mr. Indian Agent Waddy
on the McKay Residential School. *Sent Aug 26/27*

Original on File 128-1-7.

"In addition to the six desks asked for some time ago, I beg to advise that four front seats, size 3, made by Canadian Office and School Furniture Co., Preston, Ontario, are required for the junior classroom.

"Ten beds and mattresses are urgently needed in bedrooms as this number of pupils sleep double. I beg to recommend that these be allowed."

X
Ottawa, September 1st, 1927.

Gentlemen:-

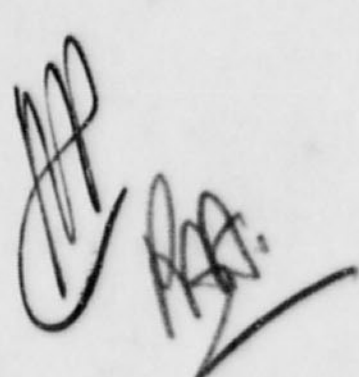
Please quote your lowest price f.o.b. The Pas, Man., sales tax included, for the supplying of the following school desks:-

3 No. 3 Preston B.B. Single School Desks
3 " 2 " " " "
4 Fronts for No. 3 Preston B.B. Single School Desks

These desks are required to complete the seating equipment at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, and I should be pleased to have an early reply.

Yours very truly,


F. H. Paget.
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.


Canadian Office & School Furniture Co.,
Preston,
Ontario.

INVOICE

The Pas, Man., September 2, 1927.

M. Dept of Indian Affairs,

Vote 7

The Pas, Man.

Treaty 5.

In Account
with**E. Carroll**BEDS
BEDDING
CROCKERY, ETC.DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF
SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE, TOOLS
CUTLERY, HOUSE FURNISHINGS
CAMP SUPPLIES, ETC.EVERYTHING IN THE
SPORTING LINE
TO CHOOSE FROM

10 PER CENT. INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

The R. J. LOVELL CO., Ltd., Mfg. Stationers, Toronto. 11450

Date	ARTICLES	Folio	Debit	Credit	Balance
Aug. 29.	12 Pkts. White Alabastine. Pas Day School.		9.00		
	128-7-4 Aug 6 1927.				
" 29.	14 -- 7in. Stove Pipes.		3.50		
	1 -- 7in. Elbow. One Damper. Chemawawin Day School		.55		
	128-4-5 April 7 1927.				
Aug. 29.	2 Brooms.		2.00		
	2 Handled Axes.		3.50		
	Split Lake Day School.				
	128-12-4 Aug 2 1927				
Aug. 29.	1 Axe.		1.75		
	1 Pail.		.75		
	2 Brooms.		2.00		
	25 ft. 1/2 in. Rope.		.60		
	2 Bottles Blackboard Oil.		1.00		
	Nelson House Day School.				
	128-11-5 Aug 16 1927				
	Material supplied price just and fair, Certified correct,			\$24.65	
	#232.				

Indian Agent.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

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The Pas, Man.

September 2.

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M Dept of Indian Affairs.

The Pas, Man.
IN ACCOUNT WITH**E. Carroll**Vote 7
Treaty 5DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF
SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE, TOOLS,
CUTLERY, HOUSE FURNISHINGS
CAMP SUPPLIES, ETC.10 per Cent. Interest charged on
Overdue Accounts.

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	DEBIT	CREDIT	BALANCE
Aug. 2.	Two Gals. S.W. Haint. Brown. 1/2 gal. S.W. Paint. Brown.		12.00 3.00 ----- \$ 15.00		
128-1-5 June 25 1927	Mackay School. The Pas. Material supplied, price just & fair, certified correct. # 230				

Bladdy
INDIAN AGENT

INVOICE

The Pas, Man.

September 2.

M Dept of Indian Affairs.

The Pas, Man.
IN ACCOUNT WITH**E. Carroll**Vote 7
Treaty 5.

128-15-5

Aug 17 1927

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Overdue Accounts.DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF
SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE, TOOLS
CUTLERY, HOUSE FURNISHINGS
CAMP SUPPLIES, ETC.

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	DEBIT	CREDIT	BALANCE
Aug. 25.	3 Gals. White Paint. 1/2 Gal. Turpentine. 1 Brush. 1 Tin Putty. 4 Sheets Glass.		13.50 1.25 1.70 1.20 ----- \$ 17.65		
	Material supplied, price just and fair, certified correct. #231				

Bladdy
Indian Agent.

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CANADA



Letter No. 232

Office of the..... The Pas Indian Agency,

The Pas, Man Sept 10th 1927 192.....

[Handwritten signature]

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos..... 230-231-232.

amounting to \$..... 57.30 in favour

of..... E Carroll The Pas, Man.

school material - Mackay School-Big Eddy-Pas-
for..... Chemawawin- Split Lake- Nelson House Day schools.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
128-1-5 June 25 1927
128-15-5 Aug 17 1927

Letter No..... dated.....
128-7-4 Aug 6 1927
128-4-5 April 7 1927
128-12-4 Aug 2 1927
128-11-5 Aug 16th 1927

Your obedient servant,

INDIAN EDUCATION

[Handwritten signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

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INVOICE

The Pas, Man., September 2nd. 1927.

M. Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Vote 7

In Account
withThe Pas
E. Carroll

Tre 5

BEDS
BEDDING
CROCKERY, ETC.DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF
SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE, TOOLS
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CAMP SUPPLIES, ETC.EVERYTHING IN THE
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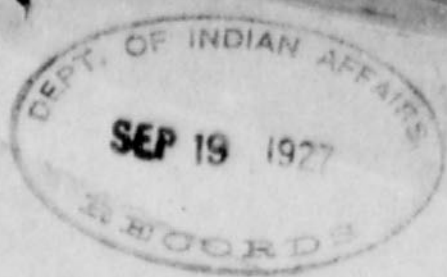
Date	ARTICLES	Folio	Debit	Credit	Balance
	10 lbs. 4in Nails.				
	25 lbs. 2 1/2 "				
	15 lbs. 1 1/8ths in Nails.				
	10 lbs. 2in. Nails.				
	10 lbs. 2in. Finish Nails.				
	2 gals. S.W. Spingle Paint.				
	2 Gals. S.W. House Paint.				
			22.25		
	As per Tender of August 24th. for the MacKay School. The Pas. Man.				
	Material supplied, price just and fair, certified correct.				
	<i>Waddy</i> Indian Agent.				
	205-11A C E Aug 17 1927				
	EXAMINED and found correct. 12-1-5 <i>Hughlan</i>				

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Letter No. 205-11A C.E.

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Office of the Indian Commissioner.....~~Indian Affairs~~

Book

September 16th, 1927.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 227.....
from the The Pas Agency,
amounting to \$22.25.....in favour
of E. Carroll, The Pas, Man.,.....

for the hardware supplied as required for the chicken
house at the McKay Indian Residential School. Abstract
of Tenders is attached.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated July 26th, 1927.

Your obedient servant,

INDIAN EDUCATION

Pay

Wm. G. Ahlstrom

Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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MR. *The Rev. Mr. Indian Dept.* STATION *Alfred* 1927

TEN PER CENT
INTEREST WILL BE CHARGED
ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS



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Treaty 5

SEP 14 1927

DATE	NO OF PIECES	FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
430	50	2x14	#1 Spruce	467.45	2337.25
25	2x12-14			7.38	35.00
18	#4 Spruce	18x18		50.41	20.66
200	#633 mldg.			800.48	384.00
				2.00	4.00

Material for hen house at Mackay Indian Residential School

430	So to Whitefish Creek 40 R.M. Co.				
1x8	#4 Spruce	34x12	41/16	1310.41	5371
1x6	#3 " Spruce	24x10	37/16	460.50	2300
1x4	#2 " U.S. Clg.	13x12	15/16	140.61	834
10	#3 Spruce	Bds		134.40	236
1x4	#4 Spruce	10x14	21/16	296.00	354
1x4	#4 " "			10.32	26
"	"	2x10	21/16	413.57	245
#1 Spruce	2x10	17x12	1/8	323.45	1454
2x14	#6 " "			160.48	768
2x8	#6 " Selected			22.38	128
1x11	#530 Oregon Mldg.			5.2	300
1x11	XXX Beshing #1			6.3	2600
1x11	Cement - paper	23/27		140	1400
1x11	Double paper			240	480
1x11	Cherry			45.7	1080
1x11	Oak			15	110
10	x12-8				315
1	x10-8			330	660
					190.11

EXAMINED and
found correct.

H. L. Loughlin

Just and fair,
from only retail yard in district

Less 5%
Total

VERY POOR
COPY

128-1-5



No. 205-11A.C.E.

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Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Indian Agency~~

September 16th, 1927.

mail

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 228, from The Pas Agency, amounting to \$180.60 in favour of Monarch Lumber Co. Ltd., The Pas, Man.,

for the lumber, etc., supplied to build the house at the McKay Indian Residential School. This material was purchased without tender from the only retail yard in the district. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated July 26th, 1927.

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Your obedient servant,

Wm. G. ...

Indian Commissioner.

Pay E. J.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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The Canadian Office & School Furniture Co. Co.

LIMITED

CABLE
TELEGRAPH
A.B.
WESTERN UNION

DESKS
CODES
EDITION

Preston, Ont. September 21st, 1927.

128-1-5



F. H. Paget, Esq.,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

Replying to your favour of the 1st inst. which in some manner became mislaid, we beg to quote you on the following Preston desks, viz:

3	No. 3 B. B. single desks	\$6.80
3	No. 2 B. B. " "	7.40
4	No. 3 B. B. fronts	6.00

This covers the desks shipped K.D., F.O.B. cars the Pas. Man., sales tax included and we hope to be favoured with your instructions to ship these on for you, awaiting which, we are,

Yours very truly,

THE CANADIAN OFFICE AND
SCHOOL FURNITURE CO., LIMITED

Secretary-Treasurer.



GF/N

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Ottawa, September 24, 1927.

Gentlemen:

I have your letter of the 21st instant, quoting a price for the supplying of the desks required for delivery at the Pas, Man. I have to request that you will arrange to ship as soon as possible, addressed to J. W. Waddy, Esq., Indian Agent, The Pas, Man., the following Preston desks:

3 - #3 Ball Bearing Single Desks,
3 - #2 " " " " "
4 - #3 " " " " Fronts.

These desks should be supplied at the price quoted by you, F.O.B. The Pas, Man., Government sales tax included. These desks should be shipped K.D.

Please forward your account, in duplicate, to Mr. Waddy, who is being informed that the order has been placed with you, and requested, upon receipt of the desks, to certify the account and send it to the Department, when payment will be made.

Yours very truly,

Sgd J. H. Paget

F. H. Paget,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.

The Canadian Office & School Furniture Co. Ltd.,
Preston,
Ont.

Ottawa, September 24, 1927.

Sir:

I beg to inform you that we are today placing an order with the Canadian Office & School Furniture Co. Ltd., Preston, Ont., to ship, addressed to you, the following single school desks to complete the seating equipment at the MacKay Indian Residential School:

3 - #3 Ball Bearing Single Desks,
3 - #2 " " " "
4 - #3 " " " "

The price quoted is \$6.80 each for the No. 3 desks, \$7.40 each for the No. 2 desks and \$6 each for the fronts. This covers the desks shipped knocked down, F.O.B. cars, The Pas, Man., sales tax included.

The above firm have been requested to forward their account, in duplicate, to you, and upon receipt of the desks, you will be good enough to certify the account and send it to the Department for payment.

When the desks arrive, you should arrange to have them set up in the classrooms at the school.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Pas, Man.

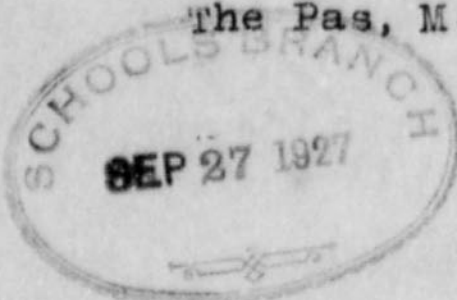
DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



The Pas, Man., Sept. 20th, 1927.



6057/135

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to state that the ^{Acting} Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School has asked to be supplied with fifty sheets of glass for his school. I beg to recommend that this be allowed, as the per capita grant for the MacKay School was very small during the past quarter, and they are short of funds.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

[Handwritten: Byrd]
[Handwritten: map in view of new catastrophe]
Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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6057/135.

Ottawa, September 27, 1927.

Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 20th instant, with reference to the request of the Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School to be supplied with 50 panes of glass.

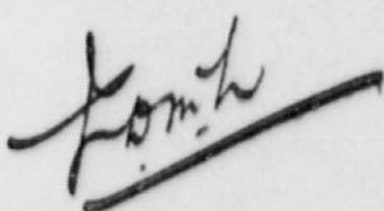
In reply I beg to say that the Department does not supply glass for Indian residential schools, except in the event of some catastrophe. Please inform the Rev. Principal of the MacKay School.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.


J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Pas, Man.



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IN YOUR REPLY, REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

ED

REGINA, SASK., September 29th, 1927.

Sir:-

With reference to Department No. 128-1-5 dated the 26th July last, I have been in communication with Mr. J. W. Waddy with reference to providing a telephone line from The Pas to the McKay School. He now writes to inform me that the Principal of the school, the Reverend Bird, has moved away and his place is at present being taken by Mr. Turner, who has worked at the school for a number of years, and that the latter has requested that no further action be taken in regard to the erection of this telephone line until he discusses the matter with his superiors, as he states there are many other matters which are required at the school of more importance and does not see the necessity just now of a telephone. In view of this, no further action will be taken in the meanwhile.

ack + approve
W.M.G.

The expenditure in connection with the hen house, authorized at the same time as the telephone, has been put under way and is almost completed. Two of the vouchers in connection therewith have been forwarded to Ottawa for payment, others should follow very shortly.

Your obedient servant,

W.M. Graham

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

428-1-6

The Pas, Man.

Sept 24th 1927.

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[Handwritten signature]



Dear Sir;-

In reference to my report on Mackay School dated August 26th last I would be obliged if the Department will let me know if the beds mentioned will be supplied, the Acting Principal was asking about them to-day he states they are urgently required.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: J. Cassidy]
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

*requires
10 beds + mattresses
for wood beds*

*ask how many small
cots could
be used*

*4 ft 6 in long
2 1/2 ft wide*

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Ottawa, October 6, 1927.

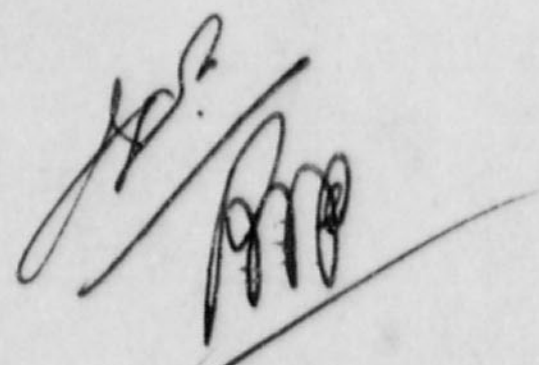
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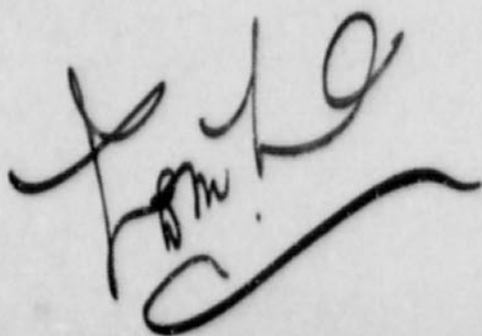
I have your No. 205-11A C.E. of the 29th ultimo, with reference to the providing of a telephone line from the Pas to the MacKay Indian Residential School. It is noted that the ^{acting} principal and yourself request that no further action be taken in regard to the erection of this telephone line at the present time. The decision made in this matter is approved.

It is noted that the hen house which was authorized is now almost completed.

Your obedient servant,


J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.


W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.



6076-135.

Ottawa, October 6, 1927.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 24th ultimo, relative to the extra beds and mattresses required for the use of the MacKay Indian Residential School.

At the present time we have on hand, in Winnipeg, a number of beds of the smaller size - 4'6" in length by 2½' wide. Please ascertain from the acting principal if ten beds of this size would be satisfactory. He may be able to arrange the beds in the dormitories to utilize this smaller size. If the beds mentioned are not of a satisfactory size, you should state the length of those required, and how many of the smaller size beds he could use. We will supply the ten extra beds only upon receipt of the information asked for. The school authorities will have to provide the mattresses from their per capita grant or other receipts.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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RE LETTER 128 DASH 1 DASH 5 OF SIXTH KINDLY WIRE WINNIPEG TO
SHIP TEN BEDS AS DESCRIBED

J W WADDY.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY'S TELEGRAPH

128-1-5.



NIGHT LETTER

CABLE CONNECTIONS TO ALL THE WORLD

J. McMILLAN, General Manager of Telegraphs, Montreal.

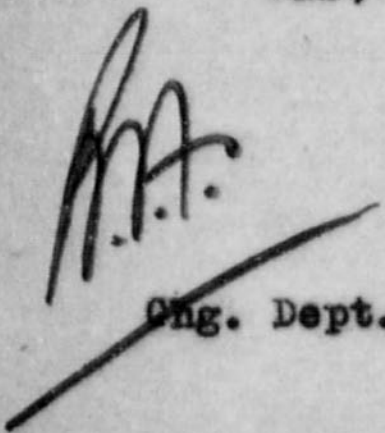
Send the following Night Letter, subject to the terms printed on the back hereof which are hereby agreed to.

Ottawa, October 19, 1927.

SIMMONS LIMITED.
Gomez and Sutherland Sts.
Winnipeg, Man.

Reference your letter August eighth please fit
number four thousand ends to ten of our short length springs
and ship freight prepaid to Indian residential school The
Pas, Man.

A. F. MacKenzie.


Eng. Dept. I. A.

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Ottawa, October 19, 1927.

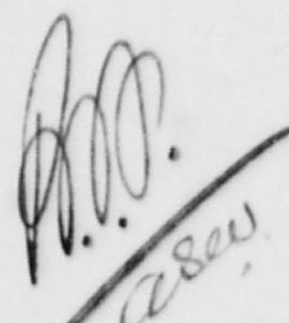
Sir:

I have to acknowledge your telegram of the 18th instant, concerning beds for the use of the MacKay Indian Residential School. I telegraphed Simmons Limited, of Winnipeg, asking them to ship 10 - 4' 6" beds, which should be supplied to this Department at a cost of \$3.50 each. They have been asked to prepay the freight and send the account to you, in duplicate, with freight receipt attached. When the beds have arrived, if satisfactory, you should certify the account and forward it to the Department for payment.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

C. J. [unclear]

RECD.

Ottawa, October 19, 1927.

Gentlemen:

I wish to confirm Mr. MacKenzie's night letter of today's date as follows:-

"Reference your letter August eighth, please fit Number four thousand ends to ten of our short length springs and ship, freight prepaid, to Indian Residential School, The Pas, Man."

The Indian Residential School at The Pas, Man., has immediate need of ten 4 ft. 6 beds, so I accordingly telegraphed you to fit ends to the short length springs which we own in your warehouse. Your account, in duplicate, showing the price charged for the ten pairs of ends, viz.: \$35.00, plus freight costs, should be forwarded to J. W. Waddy, Indian Agent, The Pas, Man. Your freight receipt should accompany the account. Upon receipt of the beds, Mr. Waddy will certify the account and forward it to Ottawa for payment.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

[Handwritten signature]
ASew

Simmons Limited,
Gomez & Sutherland Sts.,
Winnipeg, Man.

Copy

October.13.27.

W. M. Graham. Esq.

Dear Sir.

In reply to your circular. Re fire escapes and fire protection.

I might say that the fire escapes at the Mackay School are the best that can be provided, and are in my opinion the real one for large schools, especially where there are small children, they soon get quite adept at going down, and ^{do} it very quickly.

Two for the girls, and two for the ~~Boys~~ are provided on each floor. The openings are always open except in the summer, when loose screens, "easily removed" are put on, so soon as the mosquitos have left these are taken away.

The doors open outside, and are fastened with an asp. One of the staff are appointed for each escape, to look after the door, and guide the children down.

Owing to an epidemic of mumps we have not been able to have fire drill since the commencement of the present school term, so soon as we are free it commence ² again.

I am also making arrangements with Mr Indian agent Waddy to have the fire extinguishers re charged.

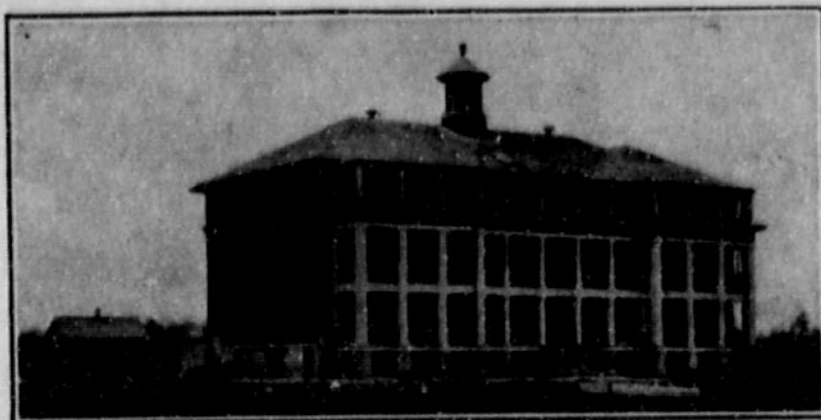
I remain,

Yours Faithfully.

F. Turner

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Indian and Eskimo Commission of the Missionary Society
OF THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND IN CANADA



THE MACKAY SCHOOL

The Department of Indian Affairs Ottawa. The Pas, Man. October.14.1927.

Dear Sir.

In reply to your letter. Re fire escapes, and fire protection. I beg to state that the above school, is equipped with what I consider the best, and only real escape, for schools where quickness, and safety, are considered! especially more so where there are small children;

In both dormitories "junior" An elder pupil sleeps, members of the Staff are deputed to look after the doors, and escapes. one to each. A night watchman

From November the First, to March the Thirty first, is engaged he is always on duty from 7.P.M. to 2.A.M. The other part of the year the fires are under my direct supervision, also the early morning fires.

Enclosed please find copy of a letter sent last week on the same subject. To Mr Commissioner Graham.

I remain.

Yours Faithfully.

Duncan Scott. Esq.

F. Turner

Acting Principal.

Deputy Superintendent General.

Ottawa.

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STATEMENT

SPLIT LAKE, MAN.,

30 Sept 1927

1927

VIA MILE 49, H.B.R.

M

J. W. Waddy Esq.
Indian Agency The Pas.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

JOHN CARTER

Vote 7

General Merchant and Trader

Treaty 5.

1927.

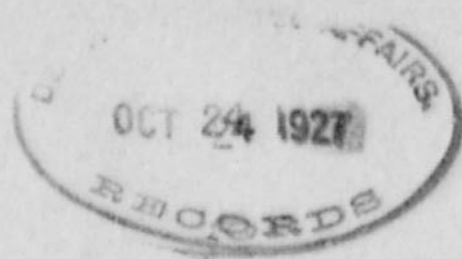
Aug 12 Rations supplied	
to Mr Cameron & 7	
children going to the	
Boarding school.	
8 Table soap @ 10 ^c	80 -
2 15 lb sugar.	30 -
40 15 lb flour	3 00 -
1 Can Bkg Pk	25 -
5 lb pure lard @ 30	1 50 -
6 Reindeer milk	2 00 -
4 Cans Corned Beef	1 80 -
1 1/2 lb Tea	1 50 -
4 lb pure lard.	1 60 -
	12.65
Transportation from	
Split Lake to Pine 279.	5.00
7 children, 1 Adult.	
	17.65

Supplies received.
Price just & fair.
Certified correct.

No. 294. Indian Agent.



128-1-5



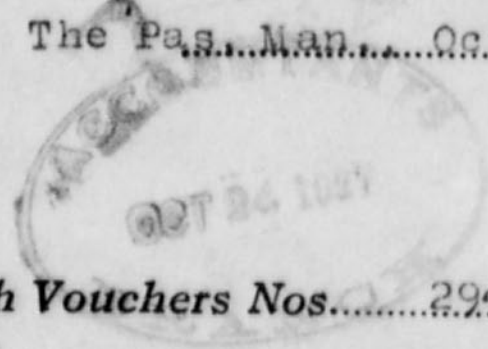
Letter No. 294

Office of the Pas Indian Agency,

afex

The Pas, Man., Oct. 18th, 1927.

Sir,



I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 294

amounting to \$17.65 in favour

of John Carter, Split Lake, Man., Via The Pas, Man.,

for supplies issued to pupils being sent to MacKay Indian Residential School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. Emergency dated

INDIAN EDUCATION

Your obedient servant,

Pay/67

W. Looney
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101.

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A SPECIALTY

PRESTON, Ont. 5th-1927

SOLD TO Department of Indian Affairs, Canada, Vote 7
No. 39534-C Ottawa, Ont. Treaty 5.

CONVEYANCE C.N.R. prepaid
Lake & Rail

TERMS NET

128-1-5	3	No. 3 B.B.A. Single desks	6.80	20.40	
C.	3	No. 2 " " " "	7.50	22.20	
	4	No. 3 " " " " fronts	6.-	24.-	
	K.D.	Sales tax included			66.60

EXAMINED and
found correct.

J. W. Waddy
2-11-27

J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Desks received.
Price just and fair.
Certified correct.

No; 307.. Indian Agent.

"McKay Indian Residential School"

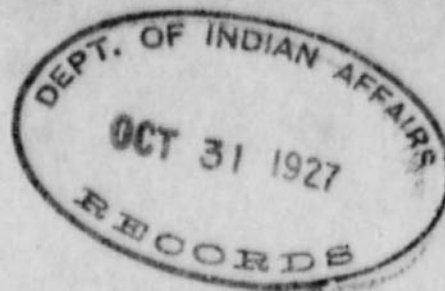
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COPELAND-CHATTERSON LIMITED BRAMPTON ONT.

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Letter No. 307

Office of the..... Pas..... Indian Agency,

The Pas, Man., Oct. 25th, 1927.

Chief

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 307

amounting to \$ 66.60 in favour

of The Canadian Office & School Furniture Co.,
Preston, Ont.

for desks for the McKay Indian Residential School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 28/1/5-24/9/27 dated Ordered by the Department.

Your obedient servant,

Sub. pay

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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PHONE QUEEN 499

KETCHUM & COMPANY, LIMITED



Sporting and Athletic Goods

CLEVELAND BYCYCLES—ELTO MOTORS—CHESTNUT CANOES
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SOLD TO

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Booth Bldg.

OTTAWA, Oct 31, 1927
ONTARIO

TERMS CASH. Interest at 8% per annum charged on all overdue accounts.

0 #128 - 1 - 4

To 1 Volley Ball Equipment

8.00

McKay Indian Res. School

Certified correct,
supplies furnished,
charges fair and just.

J. J. McLeod
4/17/27

3750
sent 8-11-27

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SIMMONS LIMITED

Form 94

PRAIRIE DIVISION
WINNIPEG WAREHOUSE

vote 7
Treaty 5.

Date Oct. 22 '27

Inv. No. 4947

Sold to Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,
Ont.

S. D. W-214

Terms F.O.B. The Pas.
Net 30

Conveyance Shipped Frt Prepaid to -
Indian Residential School,
The Pas, Man.

Our Order

Your Order

4313

10	2-6	Head & Foot Ends W.E. for 4000 Bed	3.50 Pr	35.00	
		4% Tax		<u>1.40</u>	36.40

10 Springs for above 2-6 x 4-6 supplied
from your stock.

Proportion of Freight on Springs only 2.50

38.90

Beds received.
Price just and fair.
Certified correct.

No. 315. Indian gent.

3813
Sent 10-11-27.
EXAMINED and
found correct.
...Mr. ...

Credit given for Baling Returned Freight Paid at Invoiced Price but no allowance made for any except our own material.
Interest charged on Overdue Accounts at the rate of 8% per annum.

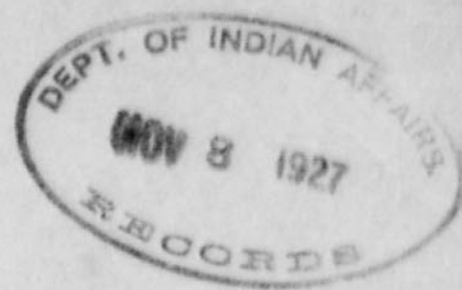
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Ref No. 315

Office of the Pas Indian Agency,

The Pas, Man., Nov. 1st, 1927

Cut
Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 315,

amounting to \$ 38.90 in favour

of Simmons Ltd., Winnipeg, Man.,

for beds for McKay Indian Residential School.

Sub
This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128/1/5 dated October 19th, 1927.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

COPY

The Pas, Man.

6166-135

November 2nd 1927.

Dear Mr. Turner:-

Regards the telephone line. The Commissioner gave me authority to spend \$1000.00 for Mackay School affairs, and \$1000.00 from him means that much and no more. I have spent about \$210.00 on the chicken house material already.

The cost of a phone line will be about as follows.

Poles	\$ 450.00
Braces	50.00
Wire	90.00
Insulators	30.00
Side blocks	25.00
Other items	50.00
Sets	21.00
Freight	25.00
Peeling and erecting poles	400.00
Stringing wire	100.00
Hire of team	100.00
Line on C.N.	
Property-say	200.00
On town do	100.00

The above are of course approximate and show Indian labor. We might be able to get it done cheaper by contract but the Commissioner wants the Indian labor employed. I may say that the price may be higher than the above before you get a number one line put in, and the Town of The Pas say they will not hook up to any hay wire outfit so it has to be first class.

Yours sincerely

F. Turner, Esq.
Acting Principal
Mackay School,
The Pas, Man.

(sgd) J. Waddy

Indian Agent

Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada

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~~TORONTO, ONT.~~ Nov. 17th, 1927.

39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave., Winnipeg, Man.

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

With regard to the installation of a telephone system between the Mackay School and the town of The Pas, Manitoba, I beg to enclose herewith for your information a copy of a letter addressed by Mr. Indian Agent Waddy to Mr. Turner, the Acting Principal of this School setting forth a detailed statement of the approximate cost of the same. You will note that the total amount sanctioned by the Indian Commissioner for this purpose is \$1,000. only and that the estimated cost according to Mr. Waddy's figures is not less than \$1,641. As the School stands very much in need of this means of communication with the town of The Pas, and the Acting Principal is anxious to do all he can to have it installed, he has written to me for advice and instruction in the matter. He is strongly of the opinion that better results could be obtained if the work were let by contract than if undertaken by the School management. In the contract the wish of the Indian Commissioner that Indian labour be employed, could be stipulated. As the chief difficulty, according to Mr. Waddy's letter, appears to be one of cost, I shall be glad if you will give this matter further consideration and take whatever steps may be in your power to provide the additional amount required over and above the amount which the Indian Commissioner has already sanctioned.

Believe me, Sir,
Yours very truly,

T. B. R. Westgate

Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.

TBRW/JF

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Ottawa, November 28, 1927.

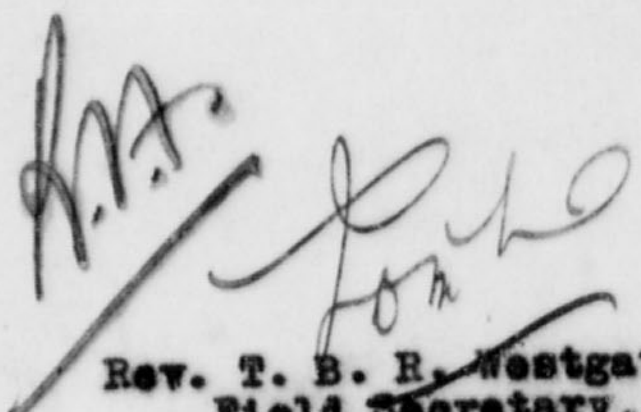
Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 17th instant, with reference to the installation of a telephone at the MacKay Indian Residential School. I note that the estimate is over \$1600. The Principal is of the opinion that other improvements are more urgent than a telephone, and I have to inform you that no action is being taken at the present time. A note is being made for future estimates.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D. D.,
Field Secretary, M. S. C. C.,
39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

128-1-5

M. S. C. C. REQUESTS FOR ESTIMATES, 1928-29.

FORWARDED UNDER COVER CANON GOULD'S LETTER

(ON FILE 160-2) OF NOVEMBER 21, 1927.



11. MACKAY
- (a) Repairs to main wall of furnace boiler. A settling has occurred in this wall and should be attended to next summer. Estimated cost \$300.
 - (b) Repairs to radiator valves, both steam and air. Estimated cost \$ 85.
 - (c) Repairs to flashing cisterns, toilets, etc. Estimated cost \$ 60.
 - (d) Repairs to ceiling in corridor, and two clothes closets, caused by leakage around cupola. Estimated cost \$ 75.
 - (e) Stripping roof around cupola, to find out how water gets in. Putting in new sokers, and flashing, and shingling around building. Estimated cost \$150.
 - (f) Repairs to rain water guttering & stack pipes around building. Estimated cost \$ 35.
 - (g) New fence around girls play ground. The present one is in a bad state of repair, in fact very rotten. It is a trouble to keep the girls in. I would like to recommend a woven wire fence for this.

40 rod woven wire fencing	\$30.
72 tamarac posts	18.
44 pieces 2 x 4	25.
1 gate	3.50
Erection	25.

 Estimated cost \$101.50.
 - (h) Store house erected in 1924 has not been completed. This should be done to save the fabric, and to keep the flour and goods dry. Material required.

2000 feet of siding trim for same	\$110.
Tar paper and nails	17.
Freight	15.

 Estimated cost \$142.
 - (i) Stables. Wood for new mangers in horse and cow barn \$60.
Shingles for implemt shed \$40.
Estimated cost \$100.
 - (j) Paint for outbuildings.

35 galls. steel gray	
5 " linseed oil	
2 " turps.	
6. 4" brushes.	Estimated cost \$125.
 - (k) New hog pen to replace the one burnt.
(See Departmental letter July 26, 1927, 128-1-5)
Estimated cost \$750.
 - (l) Dressed lumber for general repairs.
Estimated cost \$ 50.
 - (m) Installation of telephone unless undertaken in 1927.
Estimated cost \$2,000.
 - (n) Convert the old hospital building into assembly and recreation room.
Estimated cost \$2,500.

MACKAY cont'd

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POOR
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

The Pas, Man., Dec.

DEC 12 1927
RECORDS

SCHOOL BRANCH
DEC 14 1927

6209/135

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to enclose report of my visit to the MacKay Indian Residential School during the month of November, 1927. In addition to the enclosed report I wish to state that the radiators in this school are in bad shape. Sixteen were leaking at the time of my visit to the school, as the weather was excessively cold and a large head of steam was being carried. Sixteen air valves are required immediately to repair these radiators. They also should have one week of a plumber's time in the spring when steam is cut off to have the large radiator valves fixed and repacked, etc.

Since visiting the school the last time the pump has been fixed by the local plumber, but he tells me it will not stand up very long in his opinion. He also says that the lining of the well is in very bad shape, and he does not think it will last much more than a year, if it lasts that long.

The compression tank in the water distributing system has rusted from the inside and is leaking. It is hard to tell how long it will be till large leaks develop. We have the small ones plugged up at the present. It would appear as if this compression tank will have to be renewed shortly, and if so I think it would be well to put in two smaller tanks instead of the one large one, and we could shut off one tank occasionally and paint the inside to keep it from rusting. It is not possible to do anything to this present tank as it is continually in use.

The engine used in the lighting plant is about used up. The Principal states we require a twelve horse power engine for a place of this size, with a generator and batteries large enough to suit. All the present electric light system appears to be too small and light for the job, and they have been continually overloaded since they were installed. The batteries are now entirely out of commission and no storage of electric light is possible.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

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J. J. J.

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CHAS. W. HILL

P. O. BOX 818

ENGINEER AND MODEL MAKER
REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND FIREARMS
WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED

THE PAS, 2nd. December 1927. 192
MANITOBA

J.W. Waddy Esq.,

Dept, pf Indian Affairs,

The Pas.

Dear Sir,

I beg to make the following report on the condition of
the Electric Lighting Plant at The McKay Boarding School.

Engine 6. H.P. Fairbanks.

Engine labors hard on full load, indicating insufficiently
powered. Cylinder head heats up to much, and the Exhaust
Valve guide hole is badly worn. This has already caused
replacement of 2 valves. To remedy this a new head is
required immediately, as engine continually loses compression.

Storage Battery.

This battery has lost its capacity, all the active material
and plate filling is destroyed, Would suggest it be
exchanged for a new one.

Respectfully submitted.

Yours very truly,



CHAS. W. HILL

P. O. BOX 318

ENGINEER AND MODEL MAKER
REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND FIREARMS
WORKSMANSHIP GUARANTEED

THE PAS, 2nd. December 1927. **192**
MANITOBA

J. W. Waddy Esq.
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
ThePas.

Dear Sir,
Report on Deep Well Pump.

I have to report that the well casing is either broken at a joint, or corroded at several small places. As long as the pump is working the casing remains full, and pumps water to the storage tank, but immediately the pump stops, the water disappears. I had a difficulty in getting the plunger past a point 35 feet from the surface, the obstruction seems to be a broken joint in the pipe. The water would get away there, and at places where corrosive action has eaten through the casing. I am inclined to think that there is considerable corrosion, as the pipes have been in for about 14 years, and I have had to replace in this district, water pipes that have only done 10 years service. Casing is of wrought Iron pipe.

Respectfully submitted.

Yours very truly,

Chas. W. Hill

THE PAS. 1927
MANITOBA November 1927.

To Department of Indian Affairs.

Vote 7
Treaty 5.McKay Boarding School,
IN ACCOUNT WITH**CHAS. W. HILL**

Engineer and Electrician

REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND FIREARMS UNDERTAKEN. WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED.

TERMS NETT. INTEREST AT EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

1927.

June 1

To repairs to Magneto, Pumping Engine

3.60

Sept. 10

To repairs to Magneto, Lighting Engine.

5.85

Oct 27

1 New Endless Belt for Lighting Engine
Drive. Heavy.

18.00

Nov 26

Parts for G. S. B. Fairbanks Engine

2 valves

1.66

3.32

1 Rocker Arm

3.56

3.56

2 Cylinder Head gaskets.

3.17

Time fitting valves and Rocker Arm
grinding seats etc. 5hrs

1.25

6.25

Nov 10

Laundry machinery.

Replacing wooden pulley with steel.

Tightening belts, adjusting drying
machine drive. 8 hrs.

1.25

10.00

1 steel pulley 24 inch.

21.00

Services rendered.

Material Received.

Price just and fair.

Certified correct.

374.75 ✓

No. 353

Indian Agent.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

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THE PAS. November 1927. 192

MANITOBA

The Department of Indian Affairs.

Vote 7
Treaty 5.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

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Engineer and Electrician

REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND FIREARMS UNDERTAKEN. WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED.

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1927.
Nov 16

McKay Boarding School.

Repairs & replacements to Deep Well
Pump & Water Line.To taking down Pumping Head, drawing rods,
Plunger & Foot Valve. Taking off joints
fitting to new rods, putting in Foot Valve
Re-placing Plunger, rods, & head. Fitting
new check to Main line.

Mechanics time 34 hrs.

Helpers time 38 :

Material.

1 New plunger valve, 1 foot valve

1-3" Leather faced Swing Check valve

60 feet 2 1/2" Octagon pump rod

8 lbs Rivets

1 Stop valve 1"

Joint packing 1lb

1.25 42.50

.60 22.80

45.00

19.25

19.00

2.00

3.25

1.25

\$153.05

Service rendered.

Material received.

Price just and fair.

Certified correct.

No. 354. Indian Agent.

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CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



128-1-5
The Pas, Man., Dec. 8th, 1927.

6224/135

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to enclose voucher No. 353 for 74.75, and Voucher No. 354 for \$155.05, in favor of Chas. W. Hill, The Pas, Manitoba, for repairs to the pump and the electric lighting plant at the Mac-Kay Indian Residential School. The authority for the pump is letter 128-1-5 of April 20th, 1927; the other repairs were all emergent. The Department advised me that the belt item of \$18.00 on October 27th, should be paid by the School authorities, and I have told the plumber that this will probably be disallowed by the Department.

I enclose with the vouchers a report on the pump and well. It can be seen from this report that the well is in bad shape, and it is liable to go out of commission at any time. It would appear from all I can make out that a new well will have to be dug at this institution in the very near future, as it is impossible to pull the pipes out of the old well and when they fall in, as they soon will, the well will be out of commission entirely.

INDIAN EDUCATION
I reported after my last visit to the school that the engine and electric lighting plant was in bad shape, and last week when I was away from town part of it went entirely out of commission, and the plumber had to do some more work on it. I enclose a report regards this system also, and if a new plant is not put in the repairs asked for should be allowed.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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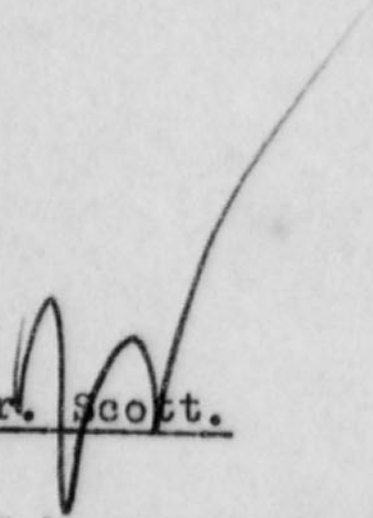


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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

December 16th, 1927.

Memorandum: -


Dr. Scott.

Mr. Orr and I have examined the recent reports concerning lighting plant at the MacKay Indian Residential School and we believe it is now necessary to purchase a new engine and a new battery at a total cost of, approximately, \$1,700. As funds can be found in the appropriation for Indian Education, I wish to recommend that your authority be given. Mr. Orr will place the order, if you approve.


Supt. of Indian Education.

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December 17, 1927.

Memorandum:

Honourable Charles Stewart.

I beg to advise you that a new engine and battery are required to put the electric lighting plant at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, Man. in good order. The present equipment which has been in use for a number of years and given good service is now worn out. The approximate cost of this improvement would be \$1,700.00. Funds are available in the appropriation for Indian Education. I would ask your approval of this expenditure.

Oct. Dureau Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

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Ottawa, December 22nd, 1927.

Sir,-

I have your 6209/135 of the 6th instant and your 6224/135 of the 8th instant, with reference to the electric lighting plant at the MacKay Indian Residential School. The Department will order a new engine for generating electricity and new batteries. You will be further advised when the order has been placed.

When pressure tanks are an absolute necessity, you should let me have a full report. You should, also, report when the new well is required.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

128-1-5

Mr. [Signature]



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MINISTER'S OFFICE
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF THE
DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA

December 17, 1927.

Memorandum:

Mr. [Signature]
order please
A.T.

Honourable Charles Stewart.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 20 1927
RECORDS

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Dec. 19/27.

approved
[Signature]
Deputy Superintendent General.

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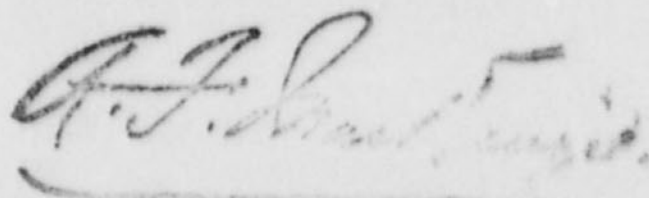
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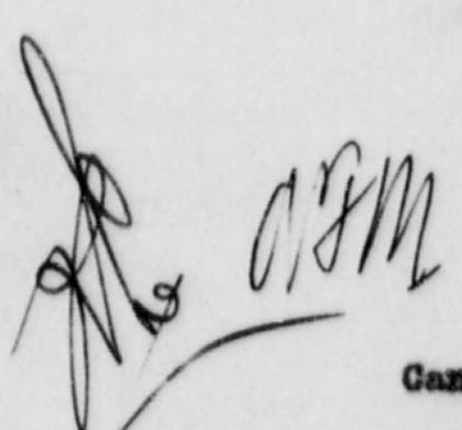
Sirs,-

Will you please quote me a price on a 10 H. P.
"Z" type engine required for operating a generator
used in connection with the electric lighting plant
at the McKay Indian Residential School at Le Pas,
Man., also a price on a 160 ampere hour storage battery,
56 cells. This price should be quoted f.o.b. Le Pas,
Man.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



Canadian Fairbanks Morse Co.,
Winnipeg, Man.



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RAILWAY EQUIPMENT

WINNIPEG, January 19th 1928.

QUOTATION

To Messrs. Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ontario.

ARTICLE	CATALOGUE REFERENCE	LIST PRICE	DISCOUNT	NET PRICE	SHIPMENT
1 - 10 H.P. Fairbanks-Morse type "Z" closed cylinder special electric single horizontal cylinder kerosene engine as illustrated and described on page 11 of bulletin H-188-L, copy of which is being mailed you, complete with the special electric flywheels, foundation bolts, fuel tank and piping, and cooling water tank with the necessary pipe and fittings for the necessary installation, f.o.b. The Pas, Man., or				\$802.00	
1 - 10 H.P. Fairbanks-Morse type "Y" horizontal modified Diesel fuel oil engine, special electric modification, complete with all of the equipment listed on page 18, bulletin 1000A, together with centrifugal circulating water pump, cooling water tank, necessary pipe and fittings to connect the tank to the engine, also foundation bolts, f.o.b. The Pas				1187.00	
1 - 160 Ampere Hour 56 cell Globelite Storage Battery f.o.b. The Pas				567.00	
1 - 160 Ampere Hour 56 Cell Exide Storage Battery f.o.b. Winnipeg				636.00	
1 - 168 ampere hour 54 cell Willard Storage battery, f.o.b. Winnipeg				684.00	

Prices are quoted per each article and are f.o.b. WINNIPEG, unless otherwise specified.
For conditions applying to all quotations, please see reverse side of this sheet.

THE CANADIAN FAIRBANKS-MORSE CO., Limited

Per J.N. WALTON, ENGINE DEPT.

Dept.

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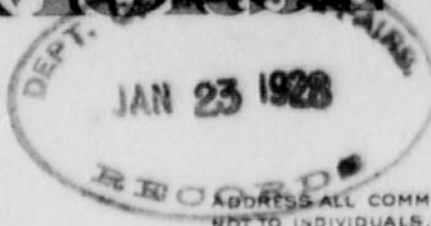
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F. W. MILLER
MANAGER

300-310 PRINCESS STREET
WINNIPEG, MAN.

January 19th, 1928.

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sirs:-

Attention Mr. A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Re your file 128-1-15.

We thank you for your inquiry of January 13th and at-
tach hereto quotation on 10 H.P. kerosene and 10 H.P. fuel oil
engines, for special electric service, also quotation on 56 cell
storage battery mentioned in your letter.

In connection with quotation on the type "Y" fuel
oil engine, we are enclosing our bulletin 1000A, which illus-
trates and describes this type of engine, which is known as
a modified Diesel, and might point out that while the first
cost of this engine is higher than the kerosene engine, the
saving in the cost of fuel, and maintenance, very soon makes
up for the additional first cost, and continues to pay you
dividends as long as the engine is operated. At the present
time we are informed that fuel oil can be purchased at The
Pas in drums, at a price of 22.6¢ per Imperial gallon f.o.b.
The Pas. Our 10 H.P. fuel oil engine is guaranteed to
operate at full load, on a fuel consumption of 1/12 of an
Imperial gallon of approved fuel oil per horse power per
hour, or a total of 5/6 of a gallon, which at a price of
22.6¢ means that your fuel cost would be 18.8¢ per hour of
operation at full load. As one of these 10 H.P. engines
will carry a load of 6 K.W. this means that your fuel cost
for producing current is a fraction over 3¢ per kilowatt,
which you will agree represents a considerable saving over
the use of even the most economical kerosene engine. Then
again our type "Y" engine is so simple, with so few working
parts, that the cost is maintenance is kept at a minimum.

MONTREAL, QUEBEC, ST. JOHN, OTTAWA, TORONTO, WINDSOR, WINNIPEG, REGINA, CALGARY, VANCOUVER, VICTORIA
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We have a great number of successful installations in Western Canada,
and if you are interested will be very pleased to furnish references.

Yours truly,

THE CANADIAN FAIRBANKS MORSE CO. LTD.

per.

J. N. Walton
J. N. Walton,
Engine Department.

JNW/MC .

P.S.

In connection with this quotation, if it is possible for
your office to place this business with us in Winnipeg, we would
appreciate it if you would arrange to do so, so that we may have
a record of the sale and be in a position to render you service
in the event that it should be needed at any time.

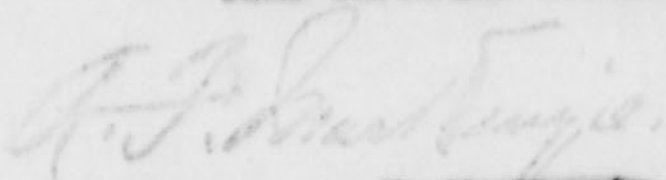
Jan. 27, 1928.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 19th instant, I would ask you to kindly ship addressed to J. W. Waddy, Indian Agent, The Pas, Man., 1 - 10 H. P. Fairbanks Morse type "T" horizontal modified Diesel fuel oil engine, as described in your quotation, at the price quoted. Also 1 - 160 ampere hour, 56 cell, Exide storage battery, at the price quoted.

The accounts in duplicate should be forwarded to Indian Agent Waddy, and I would ask you to kindly send full instructions for the operation and installation of the gas engine.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting Assistant Deputy and Secretary.



Canadian Fairbanks Morse Co.,
Winnipeg, Man.

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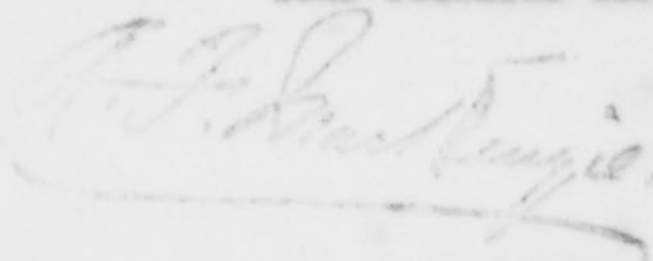
Jan. 27, 1928.

Sir,-

I beg to advise you that an order has been placed with Canadian Fairbanks Morse Co. for 1 - 10 H. P. Fairbanks Morse type "T" horizontal modified Diesel fuel oil engine, at the price quoted of \$1,187.00 f. o. b. The Pas, Man. Also 1 - 160 ampere hour, 56 cell, Exide storage battery at their price of \$636.00 f. o. b. Winnipeg. When this equipment arrives kindly arrange to have same installed at the McKay Indian Residential School.

The Fairbanks Morse Co. have been asked to forward the accounts to you in duplicate which I would ask you to please certify to, and they have been also requested to furnish full instructions for the operating and installing of the gas engine.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie.

Acting Assistant Deputy and Secretary.



J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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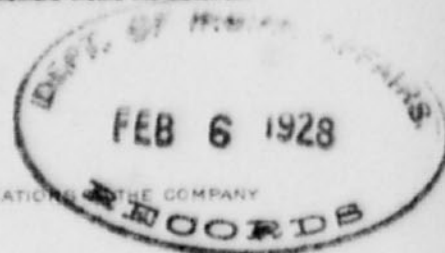
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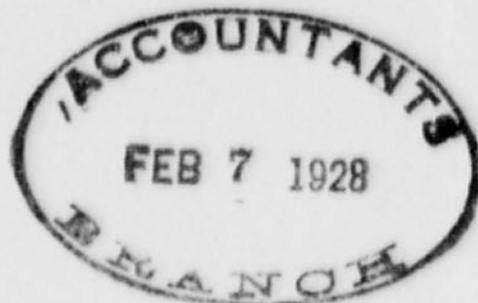
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F. W. MILLER
MANAGER

February 1, 1928.



Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sirs:-

Attention Mr. A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

We wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 27th, and in accordance with your instructions we have entered your order for one 10 HP Fairbanks-Morse type "Y" horizontal modified Diesel fuel oil engine, price f.o.b. The Pas \$1187.00 and one 160 ampere hour, 56 cell, wide storage battery f.o.b. The Pas \$635.00, and wish to thank you for this order.

Following your instructions this shipment will go forward to J. W. Waddy, Indian Agent, The Pas, Manitoba, freight and cartage charges prepaid. An instruction book will be included with the shipment, and in the course of the next few days we will mail to Mr. Waddy a blueprint showing the foundation for the engine. At the present time we have not one of these engines in Winnipeg stock, but we expect to have one here within the next two weeks time, and the shipment will go forward just as soon as this engine is received here.

Yours truly,

THE CANADIAN FAIRBANKS MORSE CO. LTD.

per.

J. N. Walton,
Engine Department.

JNW/MC.

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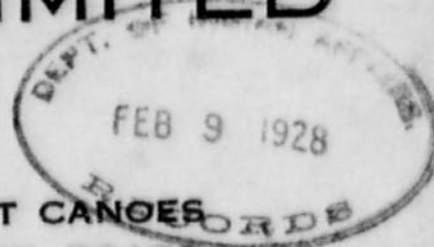
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SOLD TO

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Booth Bldg.

OTTAWA, Feb. 4, 1928
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TERMS CASH. Interest at 8% per annum charged on all overdue accounts.

O # 128-1-4

To 3 Footballs comp. @ 4.75

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For Mackay Ind. Res. School

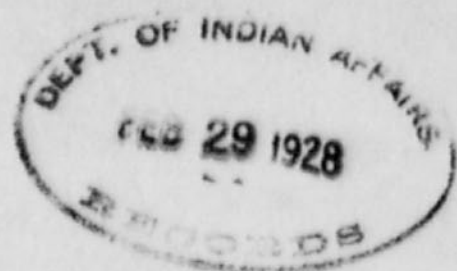
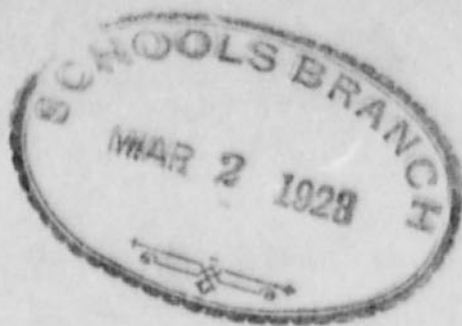


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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. INDIAN AGENT WADDY,
for the Month of February, 1928, on the
MacKay Indian Residential School. Report
dated Feb. 22nd, 1928.

Original on File 128-1-7.

2.

The bake oven is all worn out. It is
an Economy oven made by Daoust holding about 60
loaves. This school requires a larger oven. The
baker does not like this make of oven and, if the
Department will supply another oven, I beg to
recommend that some other make be supplied.

*OK
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The barn floor is worn out and requires
32 planks, 1 foot by 10 feet, to fix it up.

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Ottawa, March 2nd, 1928.

Sir:

Relative to that portion of your report for the month of February, last, on the MacKay Indian Residential School in which you state that the bake oven at present in use is worn out and that a new oven is required, I have to request that you will state definitely the make of oven required, giving full particulars as to the capacity, dimensions, etc., as well as the name of the manufacturer, as it is noted that the baker at the school does not like an oven of the Economy type, which is at present in use. When we have this information, consideration will then be given to authorizing the purchase of the new oven.

You may arrange for the purchase and delivery of 32 planks, each 10' in length and 1' in width, for the repairs required to the barn floor. You should endeavour to obtain these planks at the lowest possible cost, and forward an account, in duplicate, properly certified, covering the expenditure incurred. It is understood that the school authorities will provide any labour required in putting in the planks without cost to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR PARCELS DELIVERED TO US FOR ENCLOSURE

WINNIPEG, Feb 28, 1928

THE
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NO CLAIMS ALLOWED UNLESS MADE WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF GOODS
ALL REMITTANCES MUST BE AT PAR WINNIPEG



INTEREST WILL BE CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS AT 10% PER ANNUM
ALL GOODS SOLD STRICTLY F.O.B. OUR WAREHOUSE

Dept of Indian Affairs,

Canada.

Vote 7
Treaty 5

For Mackay Indian Res. School.

NO CASH DISCOUNT

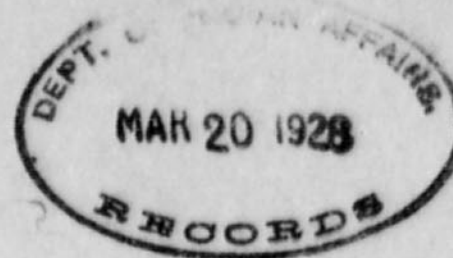
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QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION OF GOODS	LIST PRICE	GROSS EXTENSION	DISCOUNT	NET
1	10 HP Fairbanks Morse Type Y Style H Horizontal modified Diesel fuel oil engine special Elec. Modification with equipment fuel tank fuel pipe Exhaust pot 1000A Shop 696754				
1	Centrifugal circulating Water Pump outfit 159181				
1	Set Foundation Bolts				
1	Cooling Water Tank with pipes and fittings for std. installation				
	F.O.B. The Pas, Man	1187.00			1,187.00
1	#KX 1356 Cell 160 A.H. Exide Storage Battery F.O.B. The Pas, Man	636.00			636.00
EXAMINED and found correct.					
Sent 21-3-28 J.W. Waddy, Indian Agent, The Pas, Man.					
Machinery received in good condition, price just and Certified correct, #454 6475 A.M. Tench... Waddy Indian Agent.					
RETURN NO GOODS BEFORE ADVISING US REASON AND RECEIVING OUR CONSENT, OTHERWISE CREDIT OR FREIGHT WILL NOT BE ALLOWED REFER TO DATE AND FILE NUMBER OF INVOICE.					

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Letter No. 464

Office of the *[Signature]* The Pas Indian Agency,

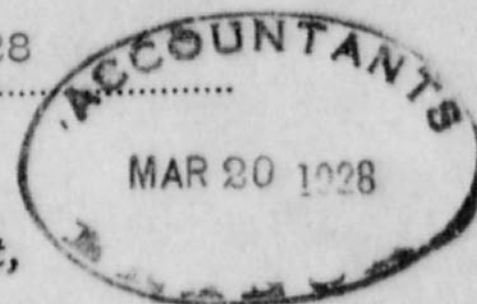
The Pas, Man. March 16th 1928

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 464,
amounting to \$ 1823.00 in favour
of Fairbanks Morse Winnipeg Man
for electric machinery for Mackay School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated Jan 27 1928



[Signature]
Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101.

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INVOICE

The Pas, Man., March 14th.

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Dept of Indian Affairs,
The Pas,
Man.

IN ACCOUNT
WITH

E. Carroll

DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE, TOOLS
CUTLERY, HOUSE FURNISHINGS
CAMP SUPPLIES, ETC.

10 per Cent. Interest charged on
Overdue Accounts.

Vote 7 Ty 5- 17.80
" 7 " 10- 1.75
" 11 " 5- .45
Aggt 233 1.75
Vote 2

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	DEBIT	CREDIT	BALANCE
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Nov. 5th.	1/2 Pint Paint Remover. (Office)		.45		
" 9.	1 Roll. No. 1 White Building Paper. (P. Band)		1.75		
Dec. 24th	6 lbs. Carbonate Soda.		1.00		
	1 Bottle Sulphuric Acid.		2.50		
	3 tins Pyrene Liquid. (Mackay Boarding School.)		7.50		

Jan. 1. 1928.

	1 Galv Pail.		.85		
	4 sheets glass. 10 x 12.		.80		
	1 tin putty.		.20		
	15 lbs. 2 1/2in nails. finishing.		1.50		
	1 door Bolt. (Pine Bluff Day School.)		.50		

Feb. 14.

	4 gross. Wood Screws. 1 1/2in.		1.60		
	Postage. (Guy Res. School.)		.15		

\$ 18.60

March 12th.	50 lbs. Sweeping Compound. (School) Mackay		5.15		
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Supplies received, price just & fair,
Certified correct,

\$ 21.75

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Indian Agent

Schools = \$19.55 - 6575
M. S. & A. = 2.20 8897

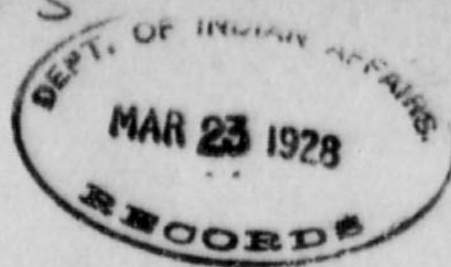
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found correct.

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Letter No. 466

Office of the The Pas, Indian Agency,

The Pas, Man. March 1928 192...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 466,

amounting to \$ 21.75 in favour

of E. Carroll The Pas Man

for supplies for schools and Indians.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

55996-9 Oct 24 1927

128-17-4 Nov 2 1927

Letter No. dated

128-17-5 Nov 8 1927

128-7-5 Feb 11 1928

Your obedient servant,

[Signature of Indian Agent]

Indian Agent.

Schools & A.
M. P. [Signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Statement

Beaver Lumber Co. Limited.

HEAD OFFICE, WINNIPEG

Dealers in

Lumber, Building Materials & Coal.

THE PAS, MAN. *Mar 27* 1928

Sold to H. Indian Department

Acct. 233 - 245

The Pas Vote 7 - \$30.70
Treaty 5

TEN PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS.

<i>Mar 12</i>	<i>Y/S 1248</i>								
	<i>4 1 x 12 114 #45</i>	<i>56 @ 46</i>						<i>257</i>	
<i>20</i>	<i>Y/S 1315</i>								
	<i>32 - 2 x 12 x 10</i>	<i>640 @ 50</i>						<i>3200</i>	
								<i>3457</i>	
	<i>Less 5%</i>							<i>172</i>	
	<i>g/c 233 = \$2.45 - 440</i>							<i>\$32.85</i>	
	<i>Schools = 30.40 - 104</i>								

Material supplied. Prices just and fair.
Certified correct.

488

In sent April 10

Indian Agent.

EXAMINED and found correct.

Cham

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Letter No. 488



Office of the The Pas, Indian Agency,

The Pas, Manitoba, March 29th 1928.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 488,

amounting to \$32.85 in favour

of The Beaver Lumber Company, The Pas, Manitoba.

for lumber for coffin and lumber for MacKay school stable.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated March 2nd, 1928.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

[Signature]
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

The Pas.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

CHAS. W. HILL

Vote 7 Treaty 5

Engineer and Electrician

REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND FIREARMS UNDERTAKEN. WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED.

TERMS NETT. INTEREST AT EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

1927.		Materials etc for "McKay Boarding School"		
Dec 9		To overhaling, cleaning and adjusting Generator, 8 hrs.	1.25	10.00
Dec, 18		1 Cylinder head and reservoir for Electric light Engine.		36.76
		4 Cylinder head gaskets		6.34
		Time fixing engine and repairs. 8 hrs.	1.25	10.00
				\$63.10

Material supplied, services rendered, price just and fair,
Certified correct,

#504

Indian Agent.



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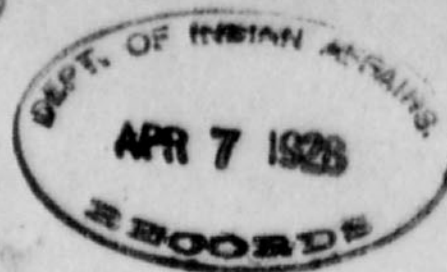
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128-1-5



Letter No. 504

Office of the.....The Pas.....Indian Agency,

Asst

The Pas, Man., March 31.....1928

Sir,

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I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$.....63.10.....in favour

of.....Chaa Hill.....The Pas.....Man.....

forrepairs to engine at Mackay Boarding School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

The engine broke down and emergent repairs had to be done at once.

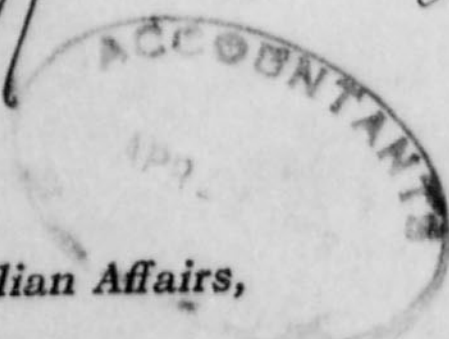
Letter No.....dated.....

Your obedient servant,

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Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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SINGLE-BLADE MIXER

Types "M" and "MD"

TYPE "MD" MIXER

Type "M" is without cast iron base

Type	Size	Floor Spzce	H.P.	Shipping Weight	Driving Pulleys	Speed of Driv. Pulleys	Standard Drive
M	1 Bbl.	30x50"x52" high	1½	800 lbs.	16x4	150	Belt Right Hand
M	1½ Bbl.	36x50"x52" high	2	900 lbs.	16x4	150	Belt Right Hand
MD	1 Bbl.	30x50"x52" high	1½	1350 lbs.			Motor Direct Connected
MD	1½ Bbl.	36x50"x52" high	2	1500 lbs.			Motor Direct Connected

Also furnished with Canopy Top, type "MC" and "MDC"

Capacity	Belt Drive Type "M"	Motor Drive Type "MD"		Motor Drive Type "MD"		Tax
		Single Phase		2 or 3 Phase		
		25 Cycle	60 Cycle	25 Cycle	60 Cycle	
½ Bbl.	\$165.00	\$345.00	\$320.00	\$335.00	\$307.00	Extra
1 Bbl.	275.00	522.50	500.00	476.00	457.00	"
1½ Bbl.	315.00	586.50	554.50	516.00	497.00	"
2 Bbl.	385.00	697.50	658.50	591.00	573.00	"

Extended Shafts and Outboard Bearing.....Extra \$15.00

Canopy Top.....Extra 25.00

Pulley and Clutch or Sprocket and Clutch.....Extra 25.00

All Prices are Subject to a Government Sales Tax of 5%. F.O.B. Toronto Factory

RECO MIXER

Bakery Blends dry ingredients—flours, sugar, powdered milk or eggs; **Makes** doughs—bread, cookie, pastry; **Creams** sugar and shortening; **Beats** cake batters, doughnut batters, **Whips** eggs, cream, meringues, marshmallow powders; **Mixes** pie fillings, etc.; **Stirs** frostings, icings; **Chops** nut meats, dried or candied fruits; **Sifts** dry material; **Crumbles** lumpy flour, sugar.

Kitchen **Mixes** salads, jellies, desserts; **Mashes** potatoes, vegetables, apple and peach butters, cranberry sauce, jams and jellies, pumpkin, **Stirs** sauces, gravies, cottage cheese, etc.; **Beats** hot cake and Waffle Batters; **Makes** salad dressings—Mayon., naise, French or Thousand Island; **Strains** soups, purees, honey; **Crumbles** lumpy materials; **Chops** hamburger, sausage meat, hash, pickles, pimentos, peppers; **Crumbs** dry bread, nuts; **Minces** cold meat, chicken, ham.

Price - - - - - \$200.00

With Kitchen Equipment, \$225.00

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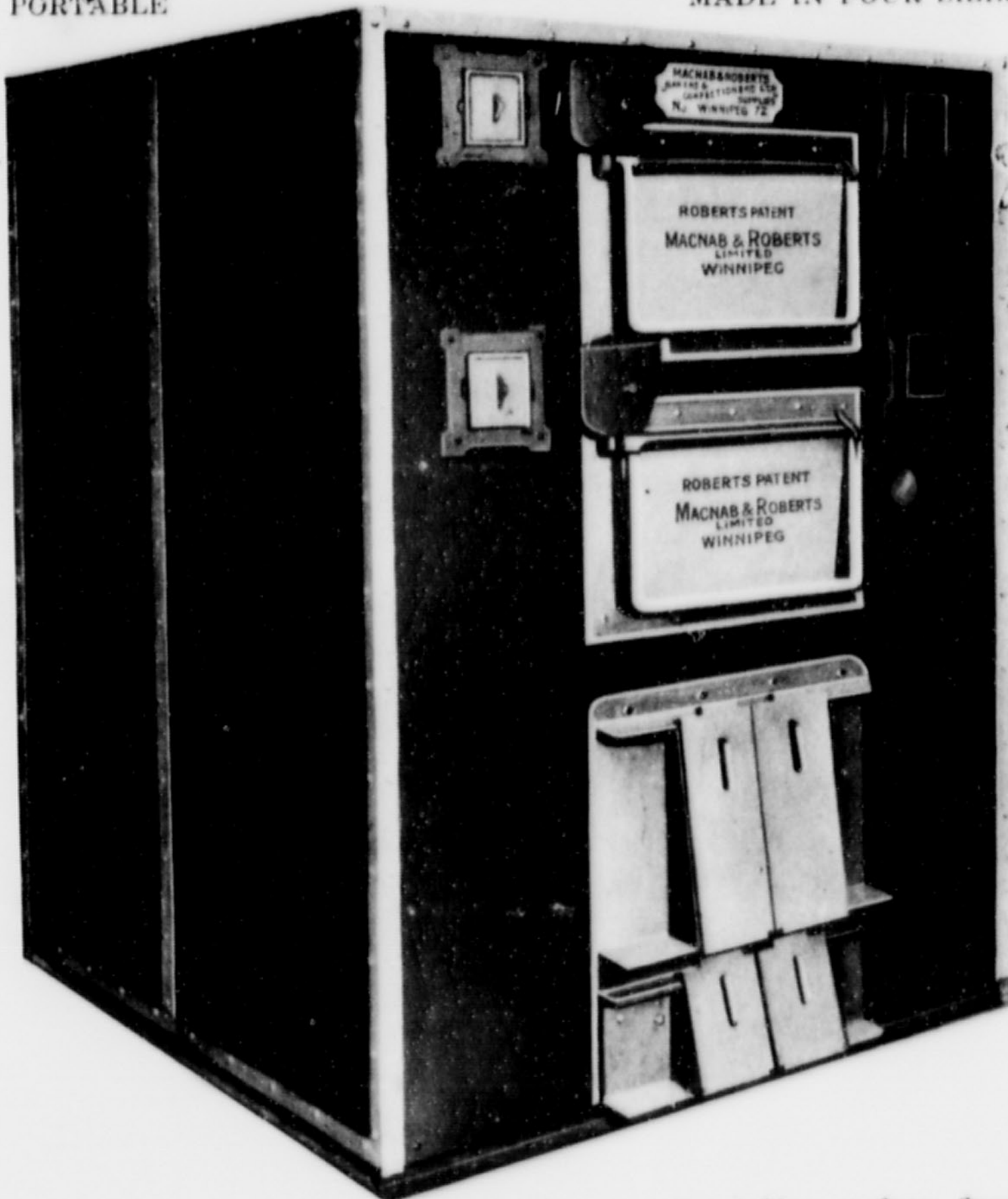
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MACNAB & ROBERTS WINNIPEG, MANITOBA

PORTABLE

HOT AIR OVEN No. 152x1

MADE IN FOUR SIZES



- No. 152x1—18 square feet in each deck; 36 square feet baking surface; floor space required, 5 ft. x 5½ ft.
- No. 152x2—24 square feet in each deck; 48 square feet baking surface; floor space required, 7 ft. x 5 ft. Fired in rear.
- No. 152x3—35 square feet in each deck; 70 square feet baking surface; floor space required, 8 ft. x 6 ft. Fired in rear.
- No. 152x4—48 square feet in each deck; 96 square feet baking surface; floor space required, 9 ft. x 7 ft. Fired in rear.

To find approximate capacity for bread, multiply total square feet by 3¼. This oven has been designed for the purpose of offering the baker a portable oven that is the equal in material, construction and efficiency of any oven made, and far better than any of the cheap and inferior kind of uncertain value.

Made under the same principle as our No. 151x2 hot air oven only that it is made so that it can be easily moved.

SEE SUPPLEMENTARY PRICE LIST

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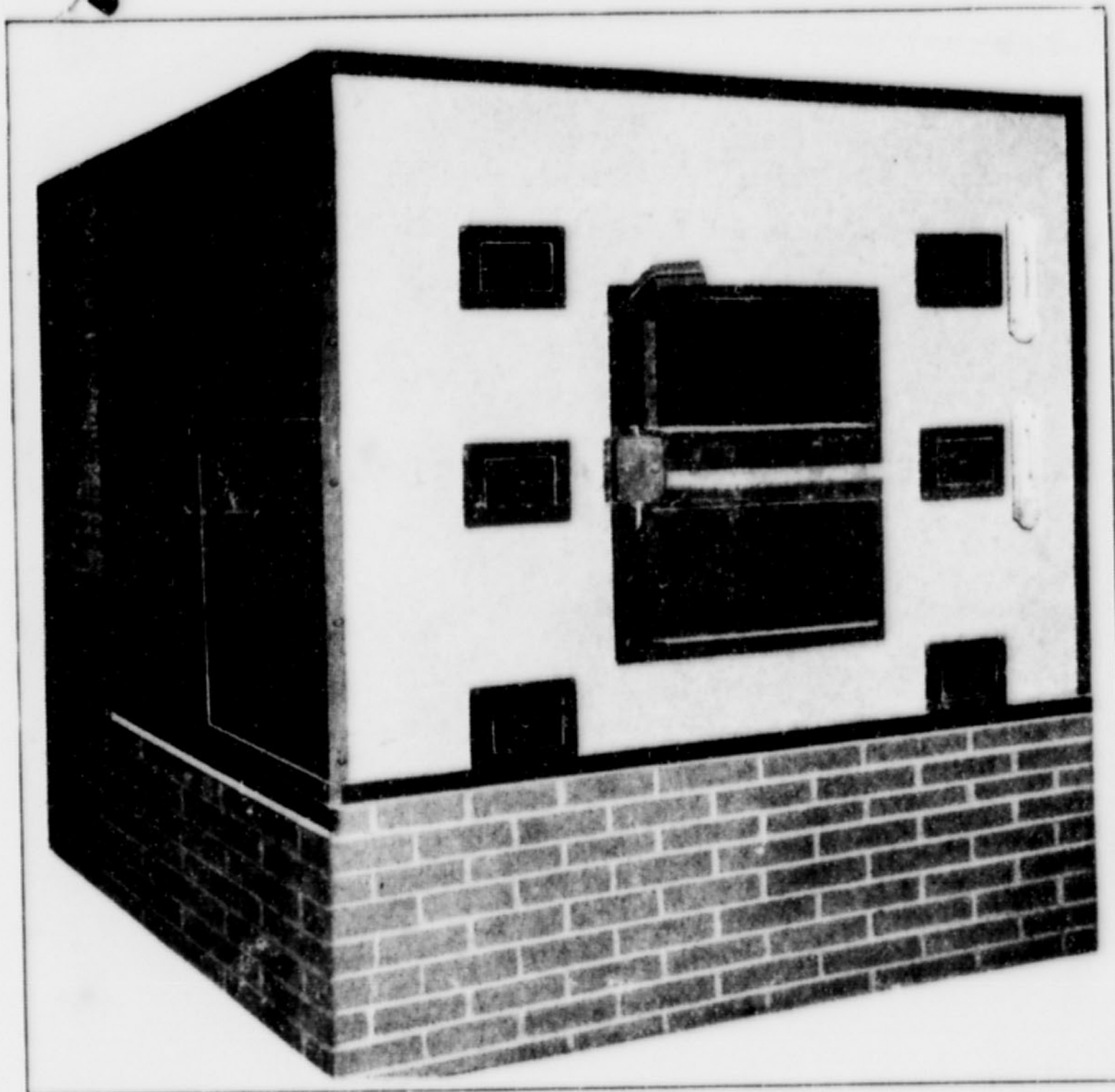
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HOT AIR OVENS No. 151

SEMI PORTABLE

ROBERTS PATENT

BUILT IN FOUR SIZES



Heavy steel plate construction with six inch space between shells for insulation. Fire-box made of special fire-bricks and cast iron sectional grate bars. Easy to take out and replace.

Flue construction is on scientific lines correctly placed to make uniform baking a certainty. Double deck baking chambers, each having a special thermometer to indicate the actual temperature. They are continuous in operation, meaning that you can bake and fire at the same time. This means low fuel consumption.

We have numerous customers who have volunteered their names as references, stating they will welcome any inquiries as to the efficiency of these ovens. To any one who is interested we will be glad to demonstrate the baking of our ovens, by showing them in actual working use, or will send addresses of parties who have installed them and where they can be seen in operation.

Number	Total Sq. Ft. of Baking Surface	Floor Space	Inside Measure- ments	Approx. Double Deck Capacity	Approx. Ship. Wt. Without Brick
151x1	48	7 ft.x5 ft.	6 ft.x4 ft.	150	3,500
151x2	96	9 ft.x7 ft.	8 ft.x6 ft.	300	5,500
151x3	70	8 ft.x6 ft.	7 ft.x5 ft.	225	4,200
151x4	126	10 ft.x8 ft.	9 ft.x7 ft.	400	6,500

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TELEPHONE 24 436



WILLIAM ROBERTS & SON

"ROBERTS PATENT" ELECTRIC & HOT AIR BAKE OVENS,
BAKERS' MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT
SODA FOUNTAINS, CARBONATORS, FOUNTAIN
EQUIPMENT & SUPPLIES.

120 LOMBARD STREET

WINNIPEG, CANADA

March 15, 1928.

The Mackay School,
The Pas, Man.

Attention of Acting Principal

Dear Sir:

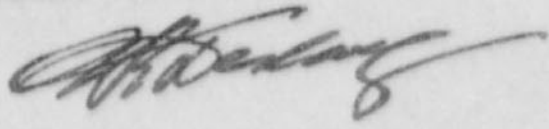
We are in receipt of your favor of March 7th requesting illustrations and prices of Bake Ovens.

We have pleasure in herewith enclosing illustrations covering our all portable and semi-portable type of "Roberts Patent" Bake Ovens. The price of 150 loaf oven in the semi-portable type is \$795.00 F.O.B. Winnipeg, and the all portable \$742.00. The "Roberts Patent" Bake Ovens are well known all over Canada. We have ovens installed in the C. P. R. commissary kitchens from Port Arthur, to the Coast. Also in all Canadian National Hotels from Port Arthur to the Coast, having in the Jasper Park Lodge three electric ovens. We have our ovens installed in the Industrial School at Portage la Prairie, from whom you can obtain any information you may consider necessary. The prices quoted on the enclosed list would be less 5% to the Indian Department of the Dominion Government.

Thanking you for the inquiry and trusting to receive your valued orders, we are,

Yours very truly,

WILLIAM ROBERTS & SON,

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BAKERS' MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT
SODA FOUNTAINS, CARBONATORS, FOUNTAIN
EQUIPMENT & SUPPLIES.

120 LOMBARD STREET

WINNIPEG, CANADA

March 26, 1928.

The Mackay School,
The Pas, Man.

Attention Mr. F. Turner

Dear Sir:

We beg to acknowledge your letter of the 22nd instant re oven for the school. We wish to advise you that these ovens are shipped knocked down, and can be taken through any ordinary door. We have one of our patent hot air ovens installed in The Pas. It was bought by a man named Nichol.

The 152-1 oven is the smallest portable oven we manufacture and will bake in or about 100 loaves per baking. It is built heavy enough to insure the work will be well done, and you will have no difficulty whatever in having the oven erected in any of your buildings as it is shipped in pieces and built together, and we can send you instructions of how to erect same. You will note the shipping weight of our ovens are about three times as great as the ovens of other makes. As we find it is absolutely necessary to have the weight in the oven to do satisfactory work.

We thank you for your kind reply and trust we may be able to secure your business. The price of this oven is \$530.00 F.O.B. Winnipeg.

Yours very truly,

WILLIAM ROBERTS & SON,

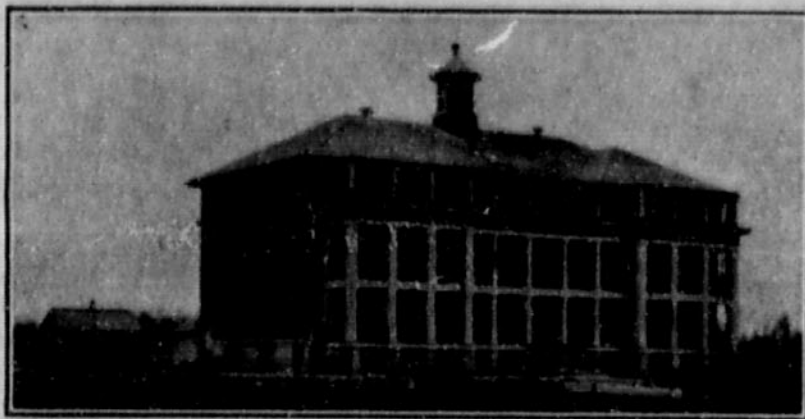
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Wm Roberts

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Indian and Eskimo Commission of the Missionary Society
OF THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND IN CANADA



THE MACKAY SCHOOL

The Pas, Man. March 30 1928

J. Waddy Esqr
Indian agent.
The Pas.

Dear Mr Waddy.

I am enclosing you a list of the Roberts Ovens,
also a letter I received from them yesterday.

The one No 152-1 is the one that would suit
Price 530. 00 F.O.B. Winnipeg.

I hope you will be able to secure this for us.

With kind regards.

Yours sincerely.

Acting principal.

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To:

*Wm Roberts**120 Lombard St.**Winnipeg Man**Shes March 31/1926**Prepaid 539**Reference your quotation to Mr**Turner of five thirty for**number 152 dash 1 over**what price would you quote**me account Indian Dept for**same over J. O. B. Shes Pas**Go to addy*

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AGENTS REPORT RESPECTING MACKAY RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL FOR
MONTH OF March 1928.

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The Department asked for details of oven
required for this school, and I enclose the correspondence
regards same.

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J. W. Waddy.

Agent.



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Ottawa, April 17, 1928.

Gentlemen:

The Department has received a request from Mr. J. W. Waddy, Indian Agent, The Pas, Man., to supply a bake oven for the use of the MacKay Indian Residential School at that point. I may say that the oven at present in use was supplied by your firm a number of years ago. It is an Economy oven of about 60 loaves' capacity and is at present worn out. The school authorities have not been entirely satisfied with this oven. They now request that a larger one, having a capacity of 100 to 125 loaves, be supplied.

I would request that you take this matter up with Mr. J. W. Waddy, Indian Agent, The Pas, giving him full particulars as to the various types of oven manufactured by your firm, and ascertain from him definitely the type that would be suitable for the use of the above named school. We are informing Mr. Waddy that you have been requested to communicate direct with him concerning this matter. When we have full particulars regarding the type of oven, the cost, etc., consideration will be given to authorizing the purchase.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. J. D'Aoust
Jean J. D'Aoust, Limited,
St. Boniface,
Man.

Ottawa, April 17, 1928.

Sir:

I have to refer to that portion of your report for the month of March, last, on the MacKay Indian Residential School, enclosing the prices you received from William Roberts & Son for the supplying of a bake oven. I beg to say that it is considered this is a more expensive type of oven than the Department supplies to residential schools. The oven manufactured by J. J. D'Aoust, Limited, St. Boniface, has been supplied to a large number of our Indian residential schools and in each case has given entire satisfaction. The only complaint we have received regarding this oven is from the staff of the MacKay School.

We are requesting the Jean J. D'Aoust, Company to correspond with you direct, giving full information as to the various types of ovens they manufacture. There is no doubt that they can supply the school with an oven that would be entirely satisfactory and at a much lower cost than the price now submitted for a Roberts oven. After you have heard from this firm, you should take the matter up with the Principal and furnish the Department with further particulars as to the size and type of D'Aoust oven that would be satisfactory and the cost of supplying same.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. W. Waddy
J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The PAS. MAN.

TEL. 81447

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ST-BONIFACE, April the 20th, 1928
MANITOBA



Refer to no. 128-I-5

Mr. A. F. MacKenzie, Acting Asst. Deputy & Sec'ty,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.



Dear Sir:

We beg to inform you that we have entered in relation with Mr. J. W. Waddy, Indian Agent at the Pas, Man.

We have also supplied him with all necessary informations in connection with our Ovens.

Thanking you for your consideration and hoping to receive your valuable ~~instructions~~ instructions, we are,

Your's truly,

JEAN J. DAOUST LIMITED,

per. *J. J. Daoust* Sec'ty.

Dans nos entreprises nous ne nous tenons aucunement responsables des délais qui peuvent se produire par les grèves, les accidents, dans les transports ou de n'importe quelle façon en dehors de notre contrôle. Cet estimé doit être accepté sans délai. All agreements are contingent upon strikes, accidents, delays by carriers, or other causes beyond our control. Prices quoted subject to immediate acceptance and to change without notice.

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ST-BONIFACE, April the 20th, 1928.
MANITOBA

Mr. J.W. Waddy, Indian Agent,
The Pas,
Man.

Dear Sir:

We have this day received a letter from the Dept.
at Ottawa asking us to communicate with you in connection with
our Economy Bake Ovens.

We enclose herewith our 1919 catalogue containing
cut of the Oven in your possession, also our recent catalogue
and price list.

The construction of our Ovens has been considera-
bly altered and the Fire Box in all our Ovens is now made of
cast iron instead of Steel.

We would draw your attention to the door space
available in your building and would suggest the no. 4 Wood
Burning as being commonly used in Industrial schools, recently
introduced in St. Philipp's and several other Indian Schools.

Trusting these informations will be satisfactory,
and hoping to receive your valuable instructions, we are,

Your's truly,

JEAN J. DAoust LIMITED,

per. *E. E. Chausse* Sec'y.

PAS AGENCY

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THE PAS, MAN.

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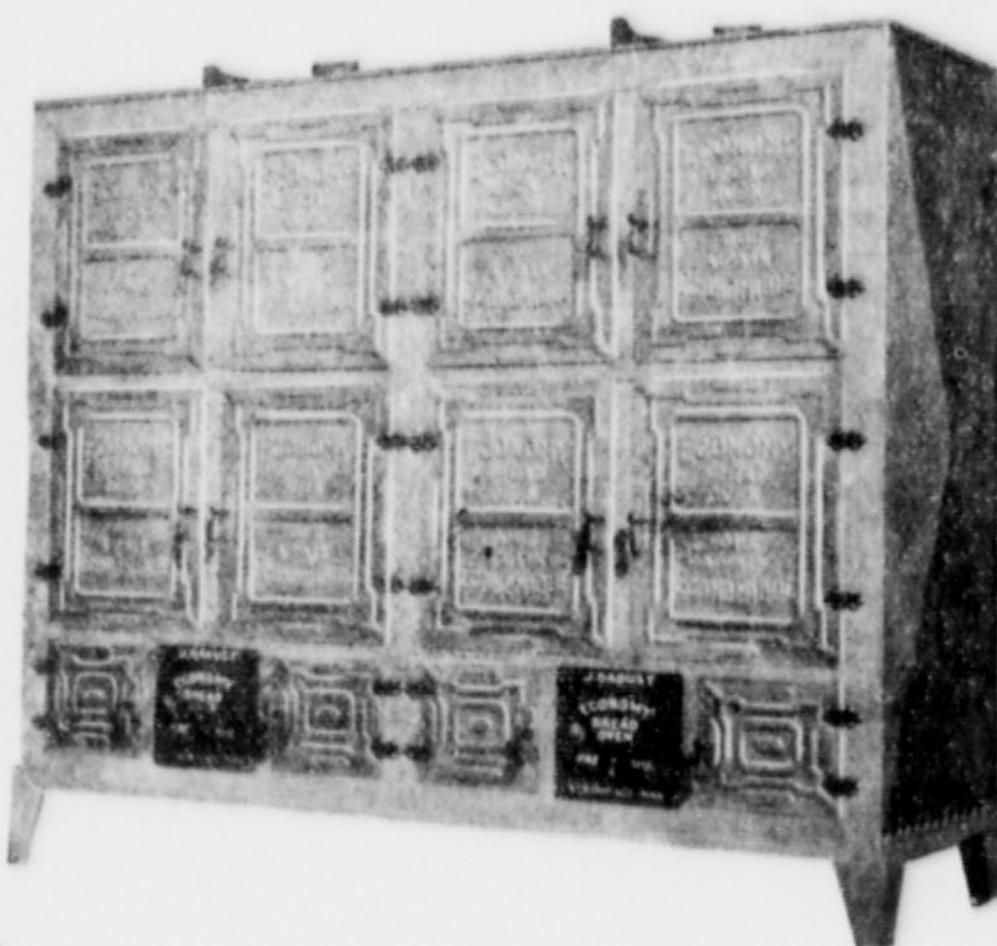
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Capacity in pounds of bread 300 lbs. Baking surface
74.20 square feet. Width 79 in. Height 73 in.
Depth 24 in. Approximate Weight,
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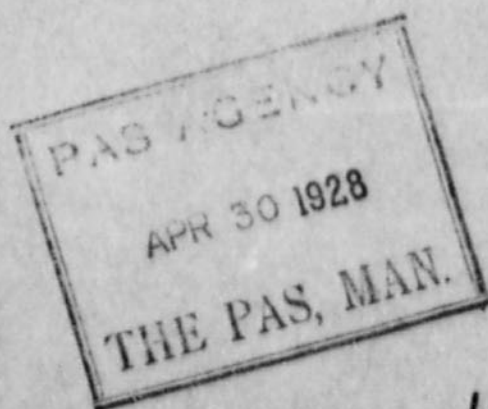
The Pas, Man. April 28. 28

Dear Mr Waddy.

The oven No 4. wood burning
would be the right size, and would
bake about 120 loaves (approx)
according to the weight given. This oven
must be of heavier build, than No. 3.
which is what is required, the cast iron
fire box is also an improvement.

Will you kindly put the matter
through for us.

Yours sincerely
J. H. Hume



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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



The Pas, Man.

April 30th 1928.

[Handwritten signature]
Dear Sir:-

In reference to letter #128-1-5 of the 17th inst regards a bake oven for the Mackay Indian Residential School, I beg to state that I received quotations from the J.J.D'Acoust Co on their ovens and submitted them to the Principal of the school and I enclose his reply asking that he be supplied with a #4 oven from this company. The cost will be \$400.00 less discount allowed, with the freight to The Pas extra I presume.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: W. L. Laddy]
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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Ottawa, May 7, 1928.

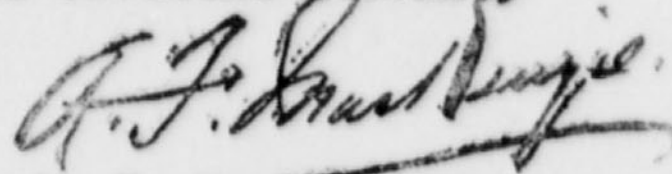
Sir:

I have your letter of the 30th ultimo, with reference to the bake oven required for the use of the MacKay Indian Residential School, and enclosing the quotation which you received from Jean J. Daoust, Ltd., St. Boniface, and letter from the Acting Principal.

In reply I beg to say that you may place an order with the above firm for the supplying of one of their No. 4 wood burning "Economy" bake ovens. We note that the cost will be \$400, less discount allowed, with freight extra. You should arrange to have this oven delivered and set up in the school at an early date.

Please obtain an account, in duplicate, covering the cost of the oven, together with receipt for the freight charges. The account should show all discounts allowed. When the oven has been delivered to your satisfaction, you should certify the account and send it to the Department for payment.

Your obedient servant,



A. E. Mackenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

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The Pas, Man

May 8th 1928.

JA
Dear Sir;-

I beg to report that I have had a visit from Rev. Dr. Westgate and he asks if the Department would supply a small boat for the use of the Mackay Indian Residential School to use in hauling freight etc to the school.

ack
Up to the present they have been using motor boats and motor canoes but these are all getting old and out of shape.

The cost of a boat such as he wants would be about \$550.00 f.o.b. The Pas.

Your obedient servant,

J. L. Laddy
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY

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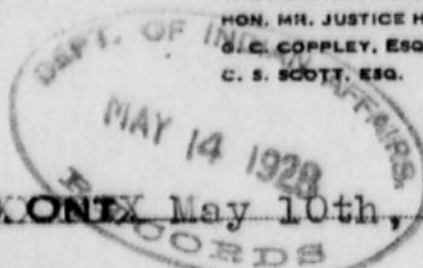


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TORONTO, ONT. May 10th, 1928.

39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave., Winnipeg, Man.

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

During my recent visit to the Mackay School (May 5 & 6) my attention was directed to the urgent need of a new and larger boat for this institution, and I am writing for the express purpose of soliciting the assistance of your Department in meeting this need.

The School, as you are aware, is situated approximately 7 miles from The Pas on what is known as Fischer Island. As communication between the School and the town is maintained during the summer months along the Saskatchewan River, it is necessary that a serviceable boat to meet the different kinds of weather should be available for the School management. The canoe which is in use at present and which has been fitted with an outboard engine is an 18 foot freighter, and is too small to negotiate the currents at the Big Eddy, or to ride the waves on so wide a river when proceeding against the strong wind. I know very well myself from actual experience the dangers to which the School management are exposed when travelling in the discharge of their duties on so small a craft, and I do not think that they should be exposed to this danger any longer than can possibly be helped. At the time of my visit practically the whole countryside was flooded and the channel between the highland of the Reserve and the Island, and in which I had never seen water on any of my former visits, was now filled to a depth of 5 feet or more, and running with a strong current. The need of a bigger and stronger boat fitted with a good engine was so obvious to me that I talked the matter over with Mr. Indian Agent Waddy who stated that he felt it was essential for this School to be provided with a larger and stronger boat such as I had suggested. He informed me that The Pas Canoe Company built

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A standard boat which cost approximately \$500.00, and I am of the opinion that a boat of this type would meet the immediate needs of this institution. As the canoe at present in use can no longer be considered seaworthy, and will soon have to be scrapped, I beg to recommend that your Department authorize the purchase of one of the standard boats as built by The Pas Canoe Company for the use of the Mackay School, or that you make the purchase direct through your Indian Agent.

Believe me, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

L. A. R. Neufeldt

Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.

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*\$ 600. Hog Pen
\$ 1500. replacement repairs
\$ 400 boat over*

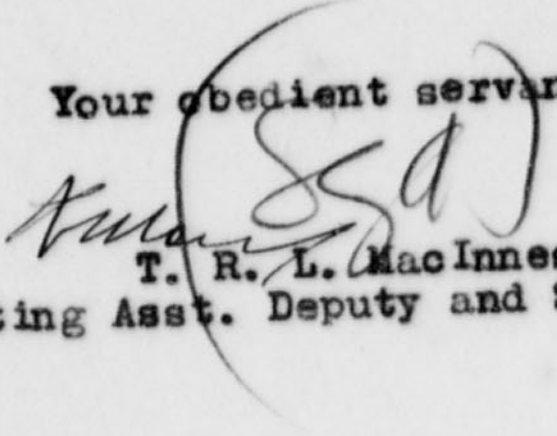
Ottawa, May 19th, 1928.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 8th instant, relative to the request for the supplying of a small boat for the use of the MacKay Indian Residential School, to be used in hauling freight, etc., and giving an estimate of the cost of a boat that would be satisfactory.

In reply I beg to say that we are making further enquiry in this matter, and you will be advised of the Department's decision at an early date.

Your obedient servant,


T. R. L. MacInnes,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.


J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Ottawa, May 19th, 1928.

Rev. Sir:

I have your letter of the 10th instant, requesting that a new boat be supplied for the use of the MacKay Indian Residential School to replace the present canoe, fitted with an outboard engine, which has been in service for a number of years and is unsafe for further use.

In reply I beg to say that the sum of \$1500 was provided in the Estimates for the current fiscal year for repairs and replacements at this school, also the sum of \$600 to erect a hog pen. We have already authorized the purchase of a bake oven, at a cost of \$400, and if you consider that the supplying of the boat is more urgent than any of the requests enumerated in the list of requirements submitted by your Society for inclusion in our Estimates for the fiscal year, the Department will approve of providing the funds necessary to purchase the new boat. I shall be pleased to be informed by you as to whether you would recommend that the new boat be supplied from the amount available for replacements rather than in carrying out the other requirements referred to above.

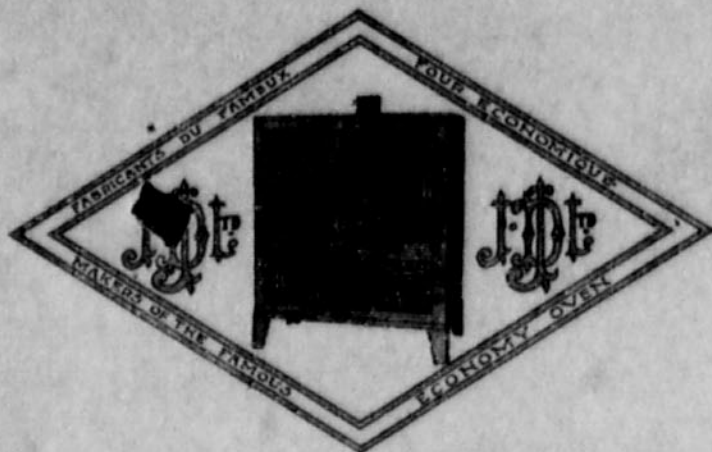
Your obedient servant,

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ST. BONIFACE, MAN., June 6th. 1928...

Mr. J. W. Waddy

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Terms Cash—After 30 days, Interest at 8 p. c. per annum will be charged.
Termes comptant—Après 30 jours, Intérêt de 8 p. c. par année sera chargé.

c/o Mackay School,

The Pas, Man.

DATE		DESCRIPTION	EXTEN- SION	PRICE PRIX	CR.	DR.	TOTAL
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		Economy Oven # 4		400.00		400 00	
		Freight				14 66	
						414.66	
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Oven supplied, price just and fair, certified correct							
#80							
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1296							
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EXAMINED and found correct.							

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Letter No. 80

Office of the The Pas Indian Agency,

[Signature]
The Pas, Man. June 8th 1928

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 80,

amounting to \$ 394.66 in favour

of Jean J. Daoust St Boniface Man

for oven for Mackay School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated May 7th 1928

INDIAN EDUCATION

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

[Signature]
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101.

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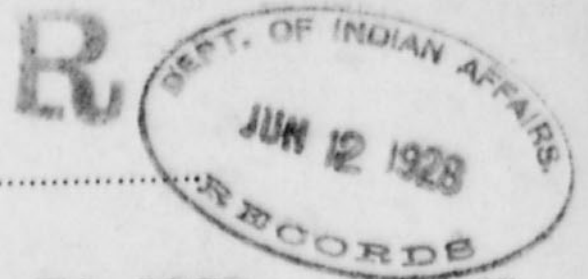
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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

The Pas, Man.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 6601-135
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER



June 7th 1928. 19

Sir— I have the honor to report as follows on my visit to the Mackay Indian Residential School on the 5th inst.

The pupils are in good health, tidy, well fed and clothed, the school is in very good shape at present.

In reference to the electric light machinery supplied last winter, this has not been put in condition so far. The present machinery room is too small to contain it. The Principal says it would be too costly to enlarge this room in the main building and he suggests erecting an addition to the pump house for the whole electric light plant. This place would be 16 X 30. I am leaving here for Treaty 10 and cannot look after any construction, so I told the Principal to get an estimate of the cost of the place he has in mind and take it up with the Department direct. He thinks it will be necessary to put in larger generator, his present one is 110 and he thinks a 220 one should be supplied.

Some of the plaster on the stairways is cracked and has shelled off, he asks for an appropriation of about \$40.00 to repair it.

The flashing around the cupola of the main building should be repaired, it leaks and will in a short time let in too much rain and bring down the plaster on the ceilings. It will take about \$150.00 to tear out the old material and make proper repairs.

The well is still operating but may go out of order this summer; it will be necessary to dig a new well some time soon as the old one will be hard to fix when the casing rusts away a little more. It may be that the Department has some expert who could look it over and figure out some way of using the present well again, none of us here can see how it can be done.

Authority was given to get the compression tanks fixed or replaced when necessary. I think it should be done this summer, the old one is gradually going out of order and rusting away.

The average attendance is 81 this quarter up to time of my visit.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

1500 for uper, pants, shoes
600 for 100 per
400 already entered
for 100 per

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6601-135.

Ottawa, June 16, 1928.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 7th instant, furnishing a report as to the repairs, etc., required at the MacKay Indian Residential School.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will approve of an expenditure of approximately \$40 in having the plaster on the stairways repaired. The sum of \$150 is also approved in having the flashing around the cupola of the main building repaired in order to prevent leakage. You should arrange for the purchase of any materials required in carrying out the above repairs. The school authorities should arrange for as much of the labour as possible.

Regarding the compression tank in the water distributing system, I have to request that you will state the cost of putting in a new tank or the installing of two smaller ones instead of the one large tank, as mentioned in your letter of December 6th, last.

Full information should also be given as to the cost of drilling a new well, as it is noted that the school authorities and yourself have been unable to make the necessary repairs to place the present well in a satisfactory condition.

It is noted that the electric light machinery which was supplied has not yet been put in condition and that the Principal suggests the erection of an addition to the pump house to contain the electric light plant. When we have an estimate of the cost of building this addition, the digging of a new well and the installing of a new compression tank, consideration will then be given to authorizing having the work carried out.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd. T. R. L. MacInnes

T. R. L. MacInnes,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. W. Waddy
J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
THE PAS. MAN.

COPY

The Pas, Man. June 14, 1928

The Secretary,
Indian and Eskimo Commission M.S.C.C.
39-43 The Bible House, Winnipeg.

Dear Sir.

In reply to your letter of the 7 inst. Re the repairs that are urgently needed at the school, and which should be attended to this summer; and the eliminating of others so that a boat could be procured.

It is very essential that we have a boat, for two reasons the present canoe, is getting shaky, and would have to soon be scrapped and we are unable to put on anything of a load for this reason, consequently we have to make more trips to Town; this means a great loss, in time, and Gasoline.

I would strongly recommend that some of the items stand over, until next year, so that the boat could be procured, the type of boat in question does not draw much more water than a canoe.

Below I append a list of the repairs required to be done, as numbered in copy sent.

(a)	Repairs to wall of Furnace boiler	\$300.	
(b)	do do Radiator Valves. etc.	85	
(c)	do do Flushing Cisterns. etc	60	
(d)	do do Ceilings in corridor. etc	75 ✓	
(e)	do do Cupola etc	150 ✓	
(f)	do do to Guttering. etc	35	
(g)	Girls Play Ground Fence	101.50	
(h)	Siding to Store House. etc	142.	948.50 ✓
	New Boat		500.00
			<u>1448.50</u>

This would leave \$252.00 unexpended.

In addition to the above, a building has to be erected to house the new Electric Engine and Generator, I proposed to Mr. Waddy that a building be put on the foundation of the store that was burnt, what he has done in the matter I cannot say, at the present he is away on a treaty trip, that will last three months, I believe the department are sending Mr. Bunn to look after his work while he is away.

So soon as I can see Mr. Bunn, I will make enquiries regarding this.

I hope I have made myself explicit.

Yours Truly,

(Signed) F. Turner

Acting Principal

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~~NOT TO BE USED~~ June 16th, 1928.

39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave., Winnipeg, Man.

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



Dear Sir:-

With further reference to my letter of May 10th and your reply on May 19th (128-1-5) relative to the need of a new boat for the Mackay School, I beg to state that upon receipt of your letter I referred the matter to Mr. Turner, the Acting Principal of this institution for a specific recommendation as to whether the boat was of greater urgency than some of the other improvements which we had requested your Department to furnish this year. I have just received Mr. Turner's reply and enclose herewith a copy of the same for your information. I also beg to recommend that authority be given to Mr. Indian Agency Waddy to purchase the boat immediately, and to undertake the other improvements, including the engine house set forth in the enclosed letter.

I remain, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

T. B. R. Westgate

Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.

TBRW/JF

Enc.

*Mr. Jarvis will be H.
This set June 20/28*

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

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June 29, 1928.

Memorandum:

Approved
DR. SCOTT. *del.*

Requests have been received from Rev. Dr. Westgate and Mr. Indian Agent Waddy regarding replacements and repairs that are urgently needed at the MacKay Indian Residential School, also for a new boat for freighting purposes between The Pas and the school. I have today received a letter from Mr. Ferrier, who had just visited the school, in which he strongly urges that the repairs and replacements, as enumerated in the letter from the Principal and forwarded by Rev. Dr. Westgate, to the amount of approximately \$900, be allowed. Mr. Ferrier requests that either the Principal or Dr. Westgate be authorized to have these repairs carried out and that the amount mentioned be granted for the purpose.

Last year, we provided electric light equipment, but this has not been put in use, as the electric engine and generator were too large to go in the present basement, where the old plant is installed. It is requested that a building for the purpose be erected, approximately 16 x 30 ft. This building will be attached to the pumping house and can be heated along with it. Including a cement base for the new engine, the cost will be approximately \$800. Mr. Ferrier states that this work is urgent.

The school also requires a new boat. The old one is a worn out freight canoe with outboard motor. The journey from The Pas to the school at this season of the year is 10½ miles of water against a current. Mr. Ferrier states that a good strong boat, 24 ft. long, should be supplied. Both Dr. Westgate and the Principal have also urged the supplying of this boat. The boat could be built at The Pas for approximately \$400 and the engine for same would cost about \$410 - or a total cost of approximately \$800.

I may add that our Estimates provide the sum of \$2100 for repairs and replacements at this school. If the above mentioned items are authorized, it would require an expenditure of approximately \$2500. I beg to recommend that Rev. Dr. Westgate be given the necessary authority.

Ottawa, June 30, 1928.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 16th instant, enclosing copy of a communication from the Acting Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School, relative to the repairs that are urgently required and the supplying of a boat. Mr. Ferrier, Superintendent of Indian Education, who recently visited this school, has recommended that certain replacements and repairs be authorized. An amount not exceeding the sum of \$900 may be utilized in carrying out the repairs required, as mentioned in the Acting Principal's letter, viz.:

Repairs to wall of furnace boiler,
 " " radiator valves, etc.,
 " " flushing cisterns, etc.,
 " " ceilings in corridor, etc.,
 " " cupola, etc.,
 " " guttering, etc.,
 Girls' playground fence,
 Siding to store house, etc.

I may add, for your information, that Mr. Agent Waddy was authorized to have the repairs to the ceilings and corridor and to the cupola carried out; but, as he is at present absent on treaty payments, it is thought that he would not have arranged to have this work done.

It is urgent that a building be provided in which to install the new electric engine and generator for the lighting equipment which was supplied last year. It is suggested that this be erected as an addition to the pump house and heated along with it. Mr. Agent Waddy stated that it should be approximately 16 x 30 ft. Including a cement

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 Field Secretary, M. S. C. C.,
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 Alexander Ave.,
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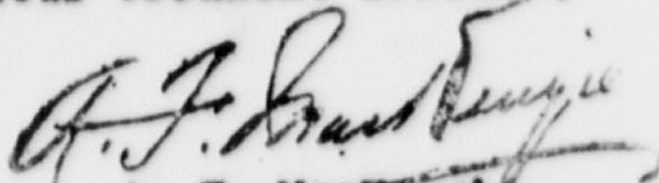
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base for the new engine, the Department is informed that the cost will be approximately \$800. You may incur an expenditure not exceeding this amount for the material and labour in the erection of this building.

800.
Relative to the supplying of a new boat to replace the present worn out freight canoe, Mr. Ferrier states that a good strong boat, about 24 ft. long, should be provided; that the same could be built at The Pas for \$400; and the engine for it would cost about \$410, or a total cost in supplying a suitable boat of approximately \$800. You may arrange with The Pas Canoe Company for the supplying of this boat and the total cost should not exceed the above mentioned amount.

You should arrange for the purchase of all material and for any extra labour required in carrying out the above repairs and the building of a house for the electric light equipment. Please forward accounts, in duplicate, properly certified, in the usual manner, covering the cost. You should also forward an account, properly certified, covering the cost of the boat. All costs should be kept as low as possible and the above authorized amounts should not be exceeded in each case.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

128-1-5

Ottawa, June 30, 1928.

Sir:

For your information, I beg to enclose copy of a communication to Rev. Dr. Westgate, relative to the repairs and equipment which he has been authorised to have carried out at the MacKay Indian Residential School.

Enclos.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. W. Waddy
J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

2 letters

August 20, 1928.

MEMO FOR FILE:

When I was at the MacKay Indian Residential School this summer, I noted the following requirements as quite urgent, and provision should be made in 1929-30 if possible:-

- 2 pressure tanks *done*
- 1 hog pen *1929-0*
- painting the main building *BT*
- telephone line to The Pas.

I have made a note for estimates.

Russell Y. Ferrier
R.Y.F.



128-1-5..

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

August 20, 1928.

Memorandum:

MR. SUMMERLAND

The KacKay Indian Residential School should have another sewing machine, and I should be grateful if you would arrange to have the order placed.

A.O.P.

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Ottawa, August 21st, 1928.

Gentlemen:

I have to request that you will arrange to supply, for the use of the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, Man., a Singer sewing machine of the style described in your catalogue as follows:

No. 2 - 5 Drawer Machine, 127 - 3 G.O.

Please notify Mr. J. W. Waddy, Indian Agent, The Pas, Man., from your nearest branch office concerning who will furnish this machine and when it will be available. Mr. Waddy will then give your local representative directions for delivery.

Your account for the machine should be made out in duplicate and should show the retail price and discount of 50% allowed off the 90 day list price, on which terms purchase is made. Please forward the account to Mr. Waddy, who, upon receipt of the machine, will certify the account and submit it to the Department for payment.

Yours very truly,

F. H. Paget,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.


Singer Sewing Machine Company,
Bank St.,
OTTAWA.

Ottawa, August 21st, 1928.

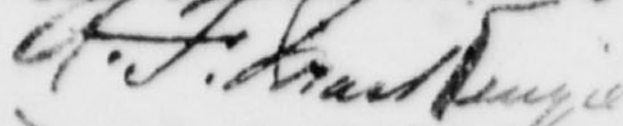
Sir:

I have to inform you that we are today placing an order with the Singer Sewing Machine Company here to supply, for the use of the MacKay Indian Residential School, a Singer sewing machine of the style described in their catalogue as No. 2 - 5 drawer machine, 127 - 3 G.O. The above firm have been requested to notify you from their nearest branch office concerning who will furnish the machine and when it will be available. You should then give them full shipping directions.

The account covering the cost of the machine will be sent you in duplicate, and should show the retail price and discount of 50% allowed off the 90 day list price, on which terms purchase is made. When the machine is received, if in good condition, you should certify the account in the usual manner and send it to the Department for payment.

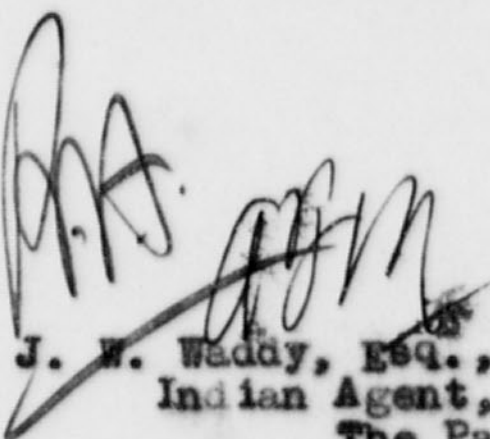
Please inform the Principal that the order has been placed for the supplying of the sewing machine.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,

Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

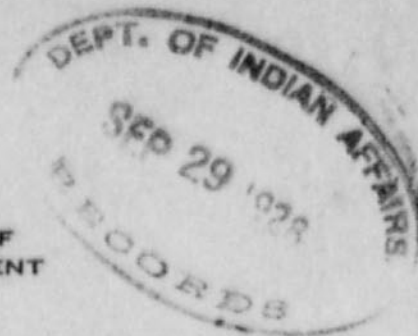

J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



The Pas, Man.
September 25th 1928.

51-135

Dear Sir;-

In reference to the pressure tanks required for the water system at the Mackay Indian Residential School I beg to say that some time ago the Department told me to draw to their attention the above matter when it was thought necessary.

When I was at the school lately I examined the large pressure tank and it is leaking very badly. The plumber was inside the tank and reported it pitted very badly up to the level of the water and that the whole tank is liable to go out of business at any time. The old tank is 1500 gal capacity.

What is required is two tanks of about 600 gal capacity each. One tank could be drained and painted as required without putting the whole system out of use, and in this manner would always be in good condition. The small tanks should be shipped as soon as possible.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Oct. 4, 1928.

MEMORANDUM:

SCHOOLS BRANCH.

The suggestion mentioned in Indian Agent Waddy's letter of the 25th ultimo hereunder is advisable and I would recommend that two pressure tanks instead of one be installed in connection with the water supply system at the MacKay Indian Residential School. Each of these tanks will cost approximately \$425.00 according to their thickness, etc.



DEPARTMENTAL ENGINEER.

9 copies in M. L. L.
[Signature]

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Ottawa, October 5, 1928.

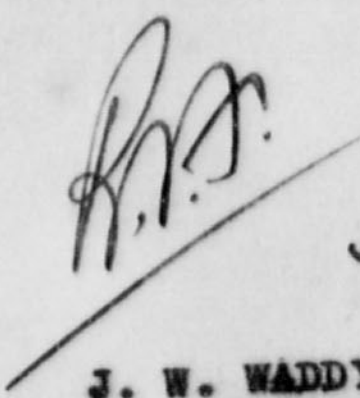
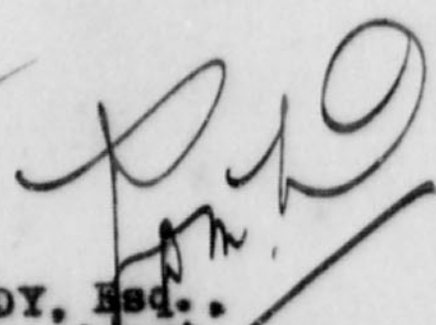
Sir:

I have your 51-135 of the 25th ultimo, with reference to pressure tanks for the MacKay Indian Residential School. You may order two of 600 gallon capacity, each, and arrange to have them installed. The school should supply as much of the labour as possible. Your early attention is requested.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.



J. W. WADDY, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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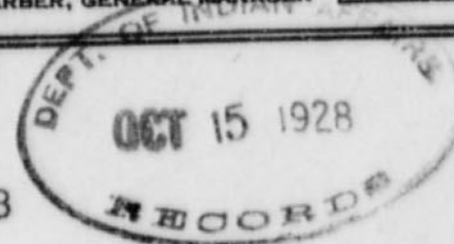
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THE PAS MAN OCT 14 1928



SECY INDIAN DEPT

OTTAWA ONT

REFERENCE LETTER 128-1-5 OCTOBER FIFTH PLUMBERS INFORM ME NOW
THAT OLD TANK MACKAY SCHOOL IS TWENTY FIVE HUNDRED GALLON AND
WE REQUIRE TWO FIFTEEN HUNDRED ONES TO REPLACE IT STOP PLEASE
WIRE IF I MAY PROCEED ON THIS BASIS

J W WADDY

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Ottawa, October 15, 1928.

J. W. Waddy
**J. W. WADDY,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.**

You may purchase two fifteen hundred gallon
tanks MacKay school.

J. D. McLean
J. D. McLEAN.

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

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The Pas, Man.
Oct 17th 1928.

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Dear Sir;-

I have the honor to report that the Principal of the Mackay Indian Residential School asks for a grant to make his warehouse safe from mice etc.

The cost of this would be about \$100.00 for galvanized iron. The place is in bad shape and I beg to recommend that his request be granted.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

OK *[Signature]*
Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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218-135.

Ottawa, October 23, 1928.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 17th instant, I beg to inform you that the Department will approve of an expenditure of approximately \$100 in fitting up the warehouse at the MacKay Indian Residential School, in order to make it safe from mice, etc. You may arrange for the purchase of the galvanized iron and other material required. Please furnish accounts, in duplicate, properly certified, covering the expenditure incurred, which should be kept within the above authorized amount, if possible.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. W. Waddy
J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

P.O. BOX 202

STATEMENT

PHONE 56

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THE PAS, MAN.,

Oct 19 1928

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Western Trading Store

GENERAL MERCHANTS

Accounts due when rendered.

10% Interest charged on overdue accounts

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Supplies received, prices just and
fair. Certified correct.

Indian Agent.

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J. Connor
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Letter No. 221

Office of the Pas Indian Agency,

October 25th, 1928. 192

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 221
amounting to \$ 10.00 in favour
of Western Trading Store, The Pas, Man.
for cheese cloth for medical dressing at McKay school

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. Emergent. dated

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101.

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

242-135

The Pas, Man.
Oct 29th 1928.

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Noted
Dear Sir;-

I have the honor to report that I visited the Mackay Indian Residential School on Friday the 26th inst in company with the medical officer.

In September the school was visited twice in company with Inspector Hamilton but as he was making a report I thought it best not to interfere with one from this office. The school at present is in fair state, it got badly run down last summer and looked as if a hail storm had cleaned out most of the windows when Mr. Hamilton was there, the youngsters had broken so much glass. The storm windows had not been removed during the summer and in fact it looked like a deserted old shack. I got after the new principal as soon as he arrived and he has had the place cleaned up and at time of my visit most of the glass had been replaced. The inside of the school has received attention and in a short time matters will be back to normal.

The engine house has been built and the engine installed, the lighting plant seemed to be giving satisfaction as it had just been completed. Everything is not just as it should be yet, but Mr. Conlin seems to be a capable man and he is getting things in hand quietly. There were so many matters to talk over and check up at time of my visit that I had no time to check up the class rooms, I will make another visit shortly.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Department of Indian Affairs

The Pas, Manitoba

Building Contractors,
Etc.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

THE PAS CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, LTD.

SUCCESSORS TO

THE PAS CANOE COMPANY, LTD.

MANUFACTURERS OF

SLEIGHS, TOBOGGANS, CANOES, BOATS, ETC.

To Account Rendered

4 pieces	2 x 4 - 10	14 ft	at \$45.00 per M	
36 "	"	12	"	19.10
13 "	"	14	"	26.10
51 "	"	16	\$48.00	1.30
16 "	1 x 4 - 6	32 "	\$40.00	
1 "	1 x 6 - 16	8 "	\$44.00	
1 "	1 x 6 - 14	7 "	"	85
1 "	"	8	"	60.20
1254 ft	shiplap Cedar		\$46.00	124.10
2698 "	" Spruce		\$50.00	48.00
120 pieces	1 x 6 - 16 Siding	240 ft	\$44.00	
4 "	"	12 Common	"	2.10
3 "	"	16 "	"	
4 "	1 x 10 - 10	34 "	\$46.00	3.40
3 "	"	16 "	"	1.20
120 lineal ft	1 x 2 spruce		.01	
3 pieces	1 x 5 - 10	13 "	\$44.00	1.25
3 "	1 x 6 - 10	15 "	"	2.00
18 lin. ft	door jam 5 1/2 x 5 1/2		.11 per ft	
3 pieces	1 x 6 - 14	21 ft	\$44.00	
3 "	"	16	"	2.05
3 "	1 x 5 - 16	20 "	"	2.10
60 lin. ft	1 x 3 blind stop		3.50 " 100	7.20
120 "	1 x 4 1/2 casing		6.00 "	12.30
6 sack	3 x 10 # 6 light		2.95 each	1.25
2 pieces	2 x 6 - 14	28 ft	\$45.00 per M	5.30
3 "	2 x 12 - 16	96 "	\$53.00	39.00
6 M	shingles		\$ 1.35 each	58.95
43 bags	cement		1.45 "	1.45
1 bag	plaster		1.00 "	1.00
1 "	lime			.95
1 pipe	thimble adjustable		1.50 "	6.00
4 anchor	rods		.08 per lb	16.00
200 lbs	common nails		.10 "	2.50
25 "	1 1/8 blind nails			1.50
1 inside	lock set			.60
1 pair	4 x 4 butts			.30
1 safety	hasp			1.00
1 padlock			\$ 2.35 each	28.20
12 sheets	galv iron 30 x 96		2.40 "	7.20
3 rolls	victoria tar paper		2.20 "	6.60
3 "	" plain			490.75

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The Pas, Manitoba.

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THE PAS CANOE COMPANY, LTD.

Vote 7 Treaty 5

MANUFACTURERS OF

SLEIGHS, TOBOGGANS, CANOES, BOATS, ETC.

To Account Rendered

Carried forward		\$490.95
118 hours carpenter work	at \$1.00 per hour	118.00
" " " "	" .60 " "	70.80
" " labour "	" .40 " "	47.20
Board 3 men 36 meals each	Total 108 meals at .30	32.40
Freight on material and transportation of men	.....	67.75
8 yards gravel	at \$ 5.00 per yard	24.00
Plus 10%		85.10
		936.20

Material supplied, work performed, price just and fair,
Certified correct,

#226

Indian Agent.

Construction
Engine House
OK

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DRAWER 13.

THE PAS

August 25th

1928

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Mr D. C. Scott

Dept. Indian Affairs. Ottawa.

Building Contractors,
Etc.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

THE PAS CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, LTD.

SUCCESSORS TO

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MANUFACTURERS OF

SLEIGHS, TOBOGGANS, CANOES, BOATS, ETC.

To Account Rendered

" One only 24 foot V Bottom Boat.

300 ft. pine	46.00
40 " spruce	1.80
50 " "	2.00
56 " "	2.10
30 " fir	3.00
24 " "	2.50
14 " "	1.25
28 " "	3.00
160 " flooring	7.50
107 " shiplap	5.00
2 1/2 bundles cedar w joint	5.00
5 lbs cotton	3.75
25 " white lead	6.00
2 gallons Gray Marine Paint	14.00
1/2 " mixed paint	4.00
10 ft canvas	5.00
50 ft 1 1/2 by 1/2 ground	2.50
30 ft quarter round	1.60
10 lbs nails	1.00
60 doz 2 inch screws	3.50
70 doz 1 1/2 " "	3.50
Engine	376.00
Freight	30.00
Keel and Rudder	9.00
Steering Wheel	3.00
Pulley and wire	2.00
Front Iron	3.00
Clete	.60
Gas Tank and connection	6.00
Switch and wire	1.00
Labor	203.65

Percentage

41.75

CERTIFIED CORRECT

J. L. Turner
Acting Principal.

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DRAWER 13.

THE PAS

October 26th

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M. Department of Indian Affairs

The Pas, Man.

Building Contractors,
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IN ACCOUNT WITH

THE PAS CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, LTD.

SUCCESSORS TO

THE PAS CANOE COMPANY, LTD.

MANUFACTURERS OF

SLEIGHS, TOBOGGANS, CANOES, BOATS, ETC.

Vote 7 Treaty 5

To Account Rendered

Aug.

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Construction of V Bottom
Boat for McKay Indian
School as per specifications
supplied to acting principal,
Mr. Turner

\$ 800.00

Boat supplied, price just and fair, certified correct,

#227

Indian Agent.

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R. Connor

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THE PAS CANOE CO., LTD.

Building Contractors, etc.

MANUFACTURERS OF
SLEIGHS, TOBOGGANS, CANOES, BOATS, ETC.

THE PAS, MAN. October 26th 1928

Dear Mr Waddy,

Enclosed you will find, first, a statement covering work done at McKay Indian School, secondly, an account showing cost of the boat built for the same people.

When we made up the account for the boat in the first place it was in detail and showed every screw and plank in the whole works. In the interval which has elapsed between the account being rendered to Turner, and the present date, our copy of the account has been lost. We cannot render an account, detailed, which would correspond with the previous one, so we are doing the next best thing and wording the account to show the job as a contract, which it actually was. I suppose Turner has already turned the previous account in to the Department at Ottawa, so they will have the details in any case.

Yours very truly

THE PAS CONSTRUCTION COMPANY LIMITED.

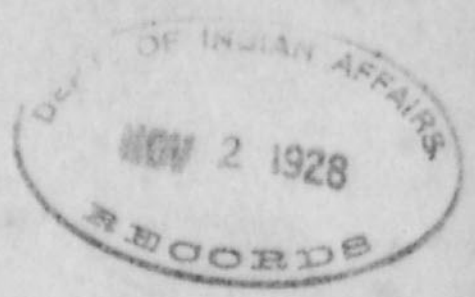
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Mar 11/29*

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Letter No. 227

Office of the The Pas Indian Agency,

[Handwritten signature]

The Pas, Man., October 29th 1928

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 226 and 227.

amounting to \$1726.20 in favour

of The Pas Construction Co The Pas Man
constructing engine house and building boat
for the Mackay Indian Residential School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

I have no record of authority but understand that
the Department instructed the Principal to have work
done. The original vouchers were sent to Rev. Mr.
Westgate instead of the the Department.

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Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]

Indian Agent.

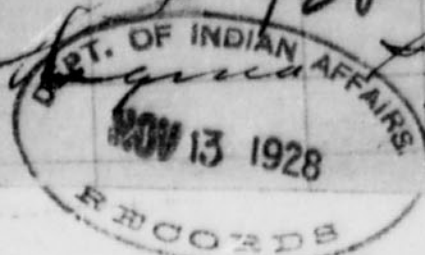
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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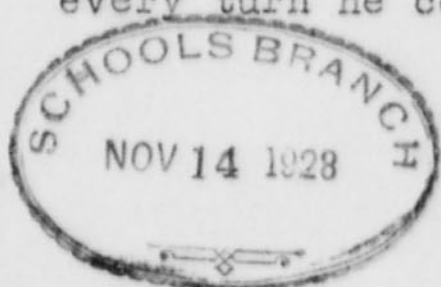
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McKay Indian Boarding School.

You will note the Inspector says that he was not favorably impressed with the general management of this school. This, of course, is no surprise to me, as we have never had proper management here. Inspector Christianson tells me that at the time he visited this school, two years ago, Mr. F. Turner was acting as a general man and labourer around the school, and he was not a fit person in any way to place in charge of the institution. It seems to me that the whole management here is bad, and with so many children in attendance at this school I think we should insist on its being straightened up and put in proper shape, as it is certainly no credit to the Department under the present conditions. It is hard to know just where to begin. From what I can gather from both Inspectors, the staff is not at all what it should be. You will also note that the building presented a neglected appearance, due to nothing more or less than mismanagement on the part of those in charge. To have the screens torn off some of the windows and destroyed, while on other windows the storm sash were left on all summer is disgraceful, to say the least. I would draw your attention to what the Inspector says regarding the condition of some of the beds in the girls' dormitory which he states are not fit to sleep on. There is no excuse for this. As regards the fire hose, I think another fifty feet of hose should be placed there, and instructions given regarding the care and use of same. The Inspector reports the pressure tank as being in poor condition, and states also that they have difficulty in getting water. This latter item, however, might be a minor difficulty if it were in the hands of a practical man. We are called upon to look after things at long range, and it is almost impossible to get accurate information. On several occasions we have sent men out from here to these points, when according to the reports it appeared to be work requiring the services of an expert and when they have gone out they have discovered very little wrong. You will note that the barn and chicken house were dirty, and the windows in the chicken house and workshop broken. In fact, the Inspector reports that at every turn he could see evidences of a lack of supervision.



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They have an insufficient quantity of feed put up for the stock, notwithstanding the fact that the Department a couple of years ago took steps to provide them with new hay lands. You will notice the Inspector says he visited the hay lands for his own satisfaction and found an abundance of hay, so that this shortage should not exist. The report on the whole shows a very unsatisfactory state of affairs at the McKay School, and it is to be hoped that the new Principal is a highly qualified man who will reorganize the whole staff. The Department should insist on this.

Wm Lalau
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MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL.

This school is situated about ten miles up the Saskatchewan River on land that is an island except when the river is very low. The island is practically covered with bush and rock, so that it is impossible to do any farming.

The school is managed by the Church of England and Mr. F. Turner has been in charge during the past year. He was absent when I visited the school and Rev. A. Fraser was acting. I understood that a new principal was to arrive October 1st.

I regret to report that I was not favourably impressed with the general management of the school. The children appeared to have little supervision. I found boys and girls in the kitchen and in the basement with no member of the staff around. In fact, I went from the basement through the kitchen, dining room and front hall, and upstairs before I found any member of the staff. The matron was upstairs and

I learned

MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL (CONT'D.)

I learned later that the kitchen matron was busy doing extra work, due to a shortage of members on the staff. Two members are needed, a girls' supervisor and a laundry matron, and I understand Miss Fraser, the sewing teacher, is only temporary. I might also add that the entire staff was new to the work except Miss Warener, the matron, whom I believe has had too heavy a task and, in fact, appeared very much in need of a rest. I emphasised to Mr. Fraser, the Acting Principal, the grave responsibility resting upon each member in charge of the children and pointed out that boys must not be allowed to roam about the building unless proper supervision be given. He agreed and assured me that he would take the matter up and during the few remaining days while he was in charge a closer watch would be exercised.

I must say the building presented a very neglected appearance. On many windows the screens were torn and destroyed, while on others the storm sash had never been removed. Many of these sash have no sliding glass by which fresh air can be admitted. There was scarcely a window without some broken glass and at least fifty or sixty new panes were needed.

The senior classroom is in charge of Miss Farrow and has an enrolment of 44, 24 boys and 20 girls. Miss Farrow is a qualified teacher and should do well. I found the pupils fair in some subjects, but in reading, they appeared hopeless. They would scarcely speak above a whisper and Miss Farrow was of the opinion that it would be impossible to improve this. I, however, took each member of the class and had them read

one line

MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL (CONT'D.)

one line, after which I moved further away and had it re-read, and after several such tries the voice greatly improved and I think Miss Farrow realized that by perseverance these children can be made to speak so that their voice will carry across the classroom.

Miss Vincent is in charge of the junior room, with an enrolment of 24. The boys numbered 20 and the girls 4. The work appeared very good, although here, again, the children would scarcely speak above a whisper. However, Miss Vincent is determined to improve this and I would expect a decided change after she has been in charge a few months. Miss Vincent holds her Second Class Certificate and promises well as a teacher. The teacher's desk is a homemade affair and is a disgrace.

The junior room was without any screens and the outside windows were still on. I was informed that the classroom was also used as a playroom and it was impossible to keep the children from destroying the screens. I instructed the Principal, and also the teacher, to have two of the outside windows removed at once and to keep the windows open so that fresh air may be obtained. Apparently the children do as they please, regardless of what damage is done to the school property. I can see no reason why these window screens should be destroyed if the children are properly trained and supervised.

The girls' dormitory was clean. Some of the outside windows were still on and many of the screens were destroyed. The bed springs were in bad condition
and many

MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL (CONT'D.)

and many were scarcely fit to sleep on.

The boys' dormitory was in much the same condition as the girls', except that the bed springs were good. I understand these were replaced recently.

The waiting room used for Indian parents appeared more as a store room. It was untidy and certainly not a good example for the Indians.

I tried out the fire hose and found one that was absolutely worthless. The hose on the top floor appeared to have been thrown at the holder and was without a nozzle. A new 50 ft. hose and nozzle should be supplied. The 5 gal. fire extinguishers were all standing in the waiting room. I arranged with the Principal to have these placed in prominent places on each floor so that they may easily be reached in case of fire. Some small Pyrene extinguishers were hanging in various places throughout the building.

renewed

The pressure tank in the basement is badly rusted all along the bottom and already has sprung small leaks. The plumber who cleaned this tank out the day previous to my visit claimed the tank would stand no pressure and should be replaced at once. He recommended two tanks so that when one is being cleaned or repaired, the other would supply the building with water. Should this tank give way at any time, the school would be without water. The water for the school is supplied from a drilled well, which is giving considerable trouble. The steel casing goes down only 20 ft. and apparently the rock below this has fallen in and settled around the pump so that now it is impossible to remove the pump. If, at any time, the pump gives out and the repair cannot be carried

out

MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL (CONT'D.)

out, the school will be without water. This well, I understand, is 80 ft. deep.

The barn was in fair repair, but was not clean. The chicken house was very dirty and practically all the window lights were broken. The workshop had the lights out and also some of the window sash were broken. These buildings presented a disgraceful appearance.

The yards about the barn and school are stony. In addition to these stones, they were littered with pieces of wood and rubbish so that the whole place presented a neglected appearance. Mr. Turner, who was Principal during the past year, was an old man and apparently he had far too much work to do. Mr. Fraser, who is now supplying, had only been there a couple of weeks and expected to be relieved on October 1st. I found Mr. Fraser willing to carry out any suggestions and I have no doubt he would do his best during the remainder of his time in charge. On every turn one could see the lack of supervision and general management and undoubtedly a big task awaits the new Principal.

In closing, I should mention that Mr. Fraser was finding it difficult to get sufficient hay up for winter. Probably 30 loads were in stack, but a great deal more will be needed. I visited the hay flats and found an abundance of hay, so that, should a shortage occur, it will be due to a lack of effort on the part of those in charge and certainly not because the hay is scarce.

I did not see the cattle, but I understand about 12 head are kept and also a number of horses.

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MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL (CONT'D.)

The children were well clothed and I believe receive sufficient food. I was present at the noon day meal, which consisted of abundance of fish, potatoes and bread, along with another vegetable and tea.

The garden was very fine and showed that great care had been given it. The vegetables were excellent and there appeared sufficient to supply the school during the winter months.

Jas. Hamilton

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Ottawa, November 14, 1928.

Sir:

With reference to that portion of your No. 205-11 of the 7th instant, enclosing the report of Mr. Inspector Hamilton on his visit to the MacKay Indian Residential School, I beg to say that the Department has noted the conditions found by the Inspector under the management of the late acting principal. A new principal, Rev. T. D. Conlin, has been appointed, and, we understand, assumed duties on the 1st of October, last. He was well recommended, and it is hoped that the conditions mentioned by the Inspector will be remedied under his management.

Regarding the pressure tank, I have to inform you that Mr. Agent Waddy was instructed to purchase 2 - 1500 gallon tanks and have them installed.

I shall be pleased if you will arrange to purchase and forward a teacher's desk. It should be similar in type to that described in the catalogue of the Western School Supply Limited, Regina, as their No. 11 teacher's sanitary desk.

Please also arrange for the purchase and delivery of 50' of fire hose, with nozzle.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

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TERMS CASH. Interest at 8% per annum charged on all overdue accounts.



To 3 Footballs @ 4.75 ✓

For McKay Res. School

Certified correct,
supplies furnished,
charges fair and just.

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20/11/28

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LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

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735 Tender called..

192..... by letter by phone

Oct 31

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FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE

ARTICLES

Canada best Hb Wood Vulture

REMARKS

36 sheet galv iron

36" X 196" 28 gms

5 lbs nach-zah-

55.44

52.40

Good Fortune J. D. 1870

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed W. R. Raddy: Seattle on 12/24/47

Dept. of Indian Affairs.

City or town The Poo Province Man

DATE: Nov 10, 1998

THE PAS, MAN November 2, 1928. 192

M Department of Indian Affairs, McKay Boarding School, Per. J. Waddy,

BOUGHT OF

WOOD VALLANCE, LIMITED

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

Interest, 8 per cent. charged on Overdue Accounts.

V. 7. T. 5.

DATE

PARTICULARS

Folio #239

CREDIT

DEBIT

BALANCE

15 Sheets 28 Ga. Galv, Iron 36 x 96

52.00

5 lbs. 1½" Nails

.40

52.40

Material supplied, prices just and fair.

Certified correct.

Indian Agent.

#247

EXAMINED and
found correct.

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RECORDS

Letter No. 247.....

Office of the Pas..... Indian Agency,

Nov. 15th..... 1928

[Handwritten signature]

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 247.....,

amounting to \$ 52.40..... in favour

of Wood Vallance, Limited,
The Pas, Manitoba.

for Sheetting for ware-house McKay Indian Residential
School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5..... dated Oct. 23rd, 1928.....

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

INDIAN EDUCATION

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The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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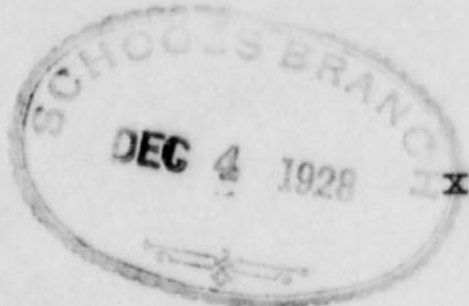
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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF INDIAN AGENT WADDY
on his visit to the MacKay Residential School,
dated November 24, 1928 - His No. 317-135.

Original on 128-1-1.



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The Senior classroom requires the following:

- 4 rear seats, A. S. Co. Single seats No. 1 as sold
by Christie & Co., Brandon.
- 4 wooden backs for repairs to C. O. & S. F. Co. Preston
single desks. 2 No. 2
2 " 3.
- 24 pcs. 1 x 4 x 10' stripping for placing the desks
in sets so they can be moved without danger of breaking.
- 2 gross wood screws for attaching desks.

Christie

Ottawa, December 4, 1928.

Sir:

Referring to that portion of your report of the 24th ultimo on your visit to the MacKay Indian Residential School, relative to the extra desks required, I beg to say that you may place an order with the Christie School Supply Company, Brandon, to supply the following desks, viz.:-

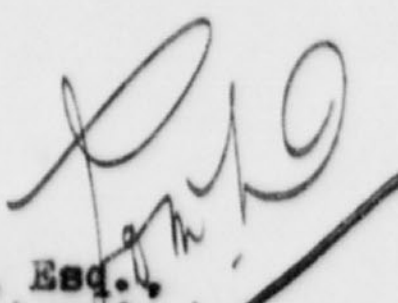
4 No. 1 Rear Seats

and also the necessary parts to repair the two No. 2 and 2 No. 3 desks. In placing the order with the above firm, you should give full particulars as to the rear seats and the parts required to repair the desks. Please obtain an account, in duplicate, covering the cost, which you should certify in the usual manner and forward to the Department for payment.

You may also arrange for the purchase of 24 pieces of stripping, of the dimensions required, for the placing of the desks in sets, in order that they can be moved without danger of breaking. Further, you may purchase two gross of wood screws for attaching the desks. Accounts, in duplicate, properly certified, should be forwarded covering the expenditure incurred in the purchase of the stripping and the wood screws.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

MR.

The Rev. Indian Dept.

STATION

Nov 26

1928

May Beading School

Big Lake

TEN PER CENT
INTEREST WILL BE CHARGED
ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

5256

V. 7. T. 5. \$90.59

A/c 233

1.71

7103-

Chas. J. J. 1/18

DATE	NO OF PIECES		FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
	12	1x6-16 #2 Spr	1061		4490	
	12	1x6-16 #2 Spr	9657		545	
	1x6	#3 Spr	1700	502	8500	
					9335	9335
	3	1x10-12 #2 Spr	3060		150	
					9715	
					4.85	
					92.30	

Material supplied prices just and fair.
Certified correct.Moaddy
Indian Agent.

#261.

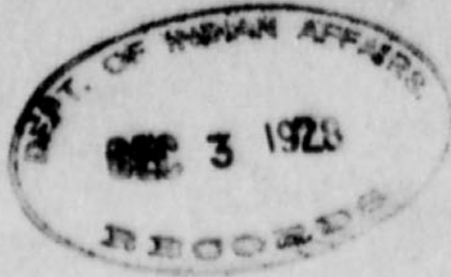
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Letter No. 261

Office of the Pas Indian Agency,

November 29th 1928

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 261,

amounting to \$ 92.30 in favour

of The Monarch Lumber Company The Pas, Man.

for Material for siding warehouse at Mackay School
& for coffin.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

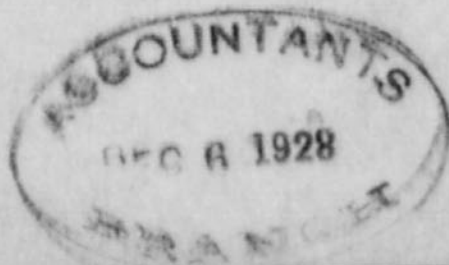
The Principal got authority from the Dept. or Mr.
Letter No. dated Ferrier.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101.



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WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR GOODS LOST IN THE MAILS

ALL CHEQUES MUST BE MADE PAYABLE AT PAR IN REGINA OR EXCHANGE ADDED.



1402 ROSE STREET
REGINA, SASK.
CANADA.

Nov. 23, 1928.

192

Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

BOUGHT OF

Order #992

WESTERN SCHOOL SUPPLY, LIMITED

SCHOOL EQUIPPERS

AGENTS FOR
THE PRESTON BALL BEARING DESKS, ALSO HYLOPLATE BLACKBOARD
GLOBES, MAPS AND KINDERGARTEN SUPPLIES 9183

Freight prepaid

1 Sanitary Desk #11

\$ 27.90

shipped to: J.W. Waddy,
Indian Agent,
Le Pas, Man.

For Mackay School
(1pce.)

Regina, Sask. 8th Dec. 1928.
Dept. Auth. 128-1-5, dated 14th
November, 1928.

REGINA VR. #5601

CERTIFIED CORRECT.

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

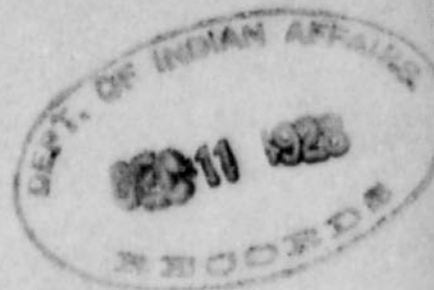
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Letter No. 205-11A.C.E.

Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Indian Agency~~

8th December 1928.

Sir,

I enclose herewith ^{/Regina} Vouchers Nos. 5601

amounting to \$ 27.90 in favour

of Western School Supply, Ltd., Regina, Sask.

for 1 sanitary Desk supplied McKay Residential School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 14th November, 1928.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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GUTTA PERCHA & RUBBER, LIMITED

MALTESE CROSS BLDG., WINNIPEG, MAN.

SOLD TO

ACCOUNTS NOT SETTLED PROMPTLY WILL BE SUBJECT TO SIGHT DRAFT
8% INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Dominion Government,
(Dept. of Indian Affairs)
Regina, Sask.

Dec. 5th. 28.

M. 2055. 192

INVOICE No.

77706

ORDER No.

F121/M

CHECKED BY

2% Jan. 10th 1929
Jan. 31st. 1929.

SHIPPED VIA

ALL GOODS SHIPPED AT PURCHASER'S RISK. CLAIMS FOR SHORTAGE, ETC., MUST BE MADE WITHIN TEN DAYS OF RECEIPT OF GOODS.

50 ft. 1 1/2" Victor Unlined Linen Hose.
1 Set. 1 1/2" Couplings attached.

16 1/2 8.25 ✓
1.15 1.15 ✓
9.40

Exp. prepaid to The Indian Agent. less 10%
The. Pas. Man.

8.46

Regina, Sask.
11th December, 1928.
Dept. Auth. 128-1-5.
dated 14th Nov. 1928.
REGINA VR. #5605

CERTIFIED CORRECT.

5490
M. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

We are not responsible for, nor will we accept
goods returned to us without our permission.

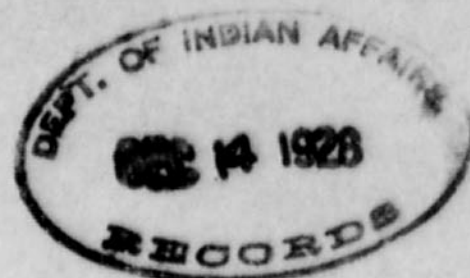
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Letter No. 205-11A C.E.

Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Indian Agency~~,

11th December 1928

Sir,

ad
I enclose herewith ^{/Regina} Vouchers Nos. 5605

amounting to \$8.46 in favour

of Gutta Percha & Rubber, Ltd., Winnipeg, Man.

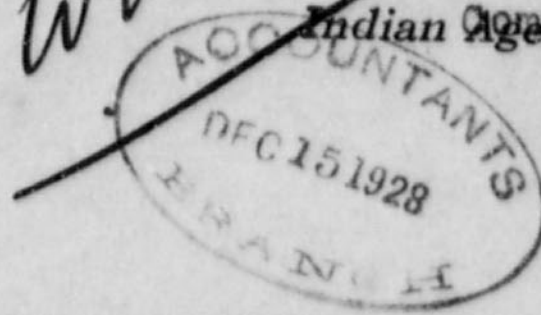
for Victor unlined Linen Hose for the McKay Residential
School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 14th November, 1928.

Your obedient servant,

Wm. G. ...
Indian Commissioner.



See ...
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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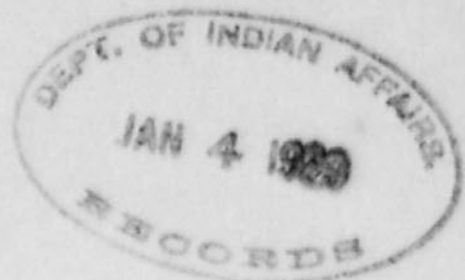
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1. ~~Records~~
2. ~~Books~~



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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. INSPECTOR PEACH,
dated Dec. 12, 1928, on his inspection
of the MCKAY Indian Residential School.

Original on File 128-1-6.

See letter of Dec 4/28
to off under JMS

The desks in Junior Room are transferred from Junior room to Senior Room every day, because the Primary Room is used as the girls' playroom. This is hard on the desks - several are going to pieces under the strain. Otherwise, care of furniture and material is very good. The blackboard in the junior room is too high from the floor. This should be lowered to about thirty inches.

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INVOICE

The Pas, Man.,

192

M. Dept of Indian Affairs, S.

IN ACCOUNT
WITH

The Pas.

E. Carroll

7. 1. 5.

DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE, TOOLS
CUTLERY, HOUSE FURNISHINGS
CAMP SUPPLIES, ETC.10 per Cent, Interest charged on
Overdue Accounts

DATE

ARTICLES

FOLIO

DEBIT

CREDIT

BALANCE

Aug. 31.

25 galls. S.W.P. Gray Paint. @ \$4.50

112.50

5 Gal. Linseed Oil.

6.75

2 gals. Turpentine.

4.00

3 - 4in paint Brushes.

3.30

1 - 4in paint Brush.

2.00

2 - 3in Paint brushes.

1.30

Supplies received. Prices just and fair.
Certified correct.

129.85

Supplied to Mackay Boarding School

308.

as per Tender.

Sent 11-1-29.

6164

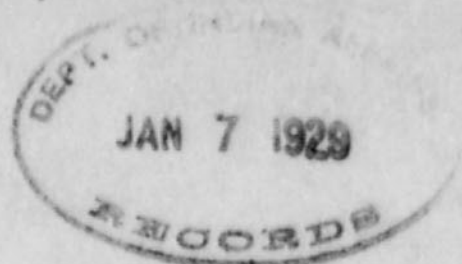
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 INDIAN AGENT
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 H. Connor.

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Letter No. 308

Office of the Pas Indian Agency,

Attest

Jany. 3rd, 1929. 192

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 308,
amounting to \$129.85 in favour
of E. Carroll,
for Paint for McKay Indian Residential School,

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Ordered by the Principal on instructions from the Dept.

Letter No. dated

The Principal got prices from this firm before purchasing material.
He informs me that he did not ask for tenders from any other firm.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101.

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CANADA WEST HARDWARE COMPANY Ltd.

WHOLESALE

General Hardware, Mining, Prospectors' and Trappers' Supplies

130 JAMES STREET

WINNIPEG, CANADA, Dec 7th

1928

SOLD TO

*Dept of Indian Affairs
The Postman*

YOUR ORDER NO. 5

NO.

3217

TERMS

SHIPPED FROM THE PAS, MAN.

PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

			2 PER CT. 30 DAYS	NET
12	Glass	10 x 12	.06	72
1	x 1/4	Putty		12
3	Gals	Wash Oil	80	240
				324

Goods supplied, price just and fair,
Certified correct,

Shoal Lake *W. W. Waddy*

#289

Indian Agent.

6809
6809

found correct.
W. Connor

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CANADA WEST HARDWARE CO.

WHOLESALE

LIMITED

GENERAL HARDWARE, MINING, PROSPECTORS' AND TRAPPERS' SUPPLIES

130 JAMES STREET,

WINNIPEG, CANADA,

Dec 10th 1928

SOLD TO

Indian Dept. W. Ray Shool
The Pas, Man.

Vote 7 Treaty 5
YOUR ORDER NO.

No. 3286

TERMS

SHIPPED FROM THE PAS, MAN.

PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

V	QUANTITY		MULTIPLIER	PRICE	2%—30 DAYS	NET
✓	2	Gross J. H. Bolt Screws 1x10		.29	58	
Goods supplied, price just and fair, Certified correct, #288 <i>W. A. Day</i> Indian Agent 128-1-5 Dec 4. 288 sent 11-1-29. <i>W. A. Day</i> 6163 and correct. <i>W. A. Day</i>						

SYSTEMS EQUIPMENT LIMITED, WINNIPEG 15447-28

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CANADA WEST HARDWARE COMPANY Ltd.

WHOLESALE

General Hardware, Mining, Prospectors' and Trappers' Supplies

130 JAMES STREET

WINNIPEG, CANADA, Dec 10

Vote 7 Treaty 5
1928

SOLD TO

Dept of Indian Affairs
The Pas, Man.

YOUR ORDER NO.

NO. 3285

TERMS

SHIPPED FROM THE PAS, MAN.

PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

			2 PER CT...30 DAYS	NET
✓ 50	# Sweeping Compound	.04	2 00	
✓ 5/12	Box Salt Storm Ash Pot 17199	105	44	
✓ 5/12	✓ Hangers 1719		60	
			<u>3 04</u>	
Goods supplied, price just and fair, Certified correct, #287 Pas pay Sch. <i>[Signature]</i> Indian Agent. 6163 sent to the Pas 11-1-29 <i>[Signature]</i> R. Connor				

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CANADA WEST HARDWARE COMPANY Ltd.

WHOLESALE

General Hardware, Mining, Prospectors' and Trappers' Supplies

130 JAMES STREET

WINNIPEG, CANADA, Dec 7th 1928

SOLD TO

Dept. of Indian Affairs
The Pas, Man.

YOUR ORDER NO.

NO 3219

TERMS

SHIPPED FROM THE PAS, MAN.

PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

			2 PER CT. - 30 DAYS	NET
✓	1/3	Box Hay Forks 3 T L.H.	1365	455
✓	1/2	Plates 10 x 12	.06	72
✓	1	x 10 Putty		12
✓	5	Gals Machine Oil	.80	400
✓	1/3	Box Garden Hoes	1150	383
✓	1/12	Handy Hand Saws	1925	160
✓	1/12	Rip Saws #4400	2400	200
✓	1	Only Keyhole Saw '2		65
✓	1/12	Box Screw Drivers 20 x 7	690	258
✓	1/12	Box Gimmer Chisels 51 x 1/2	693	58
		Forward		21 64

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CANADA WEST HARDWARE COMPANY Ltd.

WHOLESALE

General Hardware, Mining, Prospectors' and Trappers' Supplies

130 JAMES STREET

WINNIPEG, CANADA,

Dec 7th 1928

SOLD TO

Dept of Indian Affairs
The Postman

YOUR ORDER NO.

NO. 3219

TERMS

SHIPPED FROM THE PAS. MAN.

PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

			2 PER CT...30 DAYS	NET
		Continued		
✓	1/12	By Pioneer chisels 51x5/8	770	21 64
-	1/12	" " " + 3/4	792	64
✓	1/12	" Cold " 342x3/4	480	66
-	1/12	" H. S. Frames 282	685	40
✓	1	" " Blades 10"		57
✓	1/12	" Bit Braces "1099	2475	66
✓	1/12	" Auger Bits 62Tx3/16	500	206
✓	1/12	" " " 3/8	500	46
✓	1/12	" " " 1/2	580	46
✓	1/12	" " " 3/8	695	48
		Forward		58
				28 61

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CANADA WEST HARDWARE COMPANY Ltd.

WHOLESALE

General Hardware, Mining, Prospectors' and Trappers' Supplies

130 JAMES STREET

WINNIPEG, CANADA,

Dec 7th

1928

SOLD TO

Dept of Indian Affairs
The Pas Man
Vote 5 Treaty 5

YOUR ORDER NO.

NO. 3219

TERMS

SHIPPED FROM THE PAS, MAN.

PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

				2 PER CT.-30 DAYS	NET
		Continued			
✓ 1/12	Do	Nail Hammer "92	795	28 61	
✓ 1/12	-	Squares '3 B	295	66	
✓ 1	Only	Pocket Level 40		2 43	
✓ 1	-	Plane 5 C		25	
✓ 1	✓	Cast Stone 121		4 52	
✓ 1	✓	Brescent French A-16		1 10	
				65	
				38 22	

Goods supplied, price just and fair,
Certified correct,

Red Earth Agency
Indian Agent.

#291

6809

EXAMINED and
found correct.
R. Connor

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CANADA WEST HARDWARE COMPANY Ltd.

WHOLESALE

General Hardware, Mining, Prospectors' and Trappers' Supplies

130 JAMES STREET
WINNIPEG, CANADA,

Dec 6th 1928 A/C 233

SOLD TO

*Dept of Indian Affairs
The Pas, Man.*

YOUR ORDER NO.

NO. 3214

TERMS

SHIPPED FROM THE PAS, MAN.

PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

			2 PER CT...30 DAYS	NET
✓ 24	Gloss	10 + 12	.06	144
✓ 2	x 1/4 Putty		.12	24
✓ 5	Gals Machine Oil		.80	400
				<u>568</u>
Goods supplied, price just and fair, Certified correct, <i>Pas</i> #290 <i>Indian Agent</i> <i>8/17 sent Jan. 11/29.</i> <i>Found correct.</i> <i>P. Connor</i>				

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CANADA WEST HARDWARE COMPANY Ltd.

WHOLESALE

General Hardware, Mining, Prospectors' and Trappers' Supplies

130 JAMES STREET

WINNIPEG, CANADA, *Dec 7th*

192 *8*

SOLD TO

Dept of Indian Affairs
Vote 5 Treaty 5

YOUR ORDER NO.

NO.

3216

TERMS

SHIPPED FROM THE PAS. MAN.

PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

			2 PER CT...30 DAYS	NET
✓	<i>1/2</i>	<i>Do Goub Hoes</i>	<i>9⁰⁰</i>	<i>450</i>
✓	<i>3</i>	<i>Hayth 9 Snaths</i>	<i>3⁰⁰</i>	<i>900</i>
✓	<i>1/3</i>	<i>Do 3.T Hay Forks L.H.</i>	<i>1365</i>	<i>455</i>
✓	<i>1/4</i>	<i>Do Garden Hoes</i>	<i>12⁰⁰</i>	<i>300</i>
✓	<i>12</i>	<i>Glass 10x12</i>	<i>06</i>	<i>72</i>
✓	<i>1</i>	<i>+ 1/4 Potted</i>		<i>12</i>
Goods supplied, price just and fair, Certified correct, <i>#286</i> <i>Indian Agent.</i> <i>Chenman</i> <i>6809</i> <i>6335</i> <i>CK sent Jan. 16/29</i> <i>2189</i> EXAMINED and found correct. <i>R. Connor.</i>				

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DEPARTMENT

Indian Affairs

LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tender called

Nov 9 1928 by letter

by phone

Nov 15 1928 Opened

Nov 15 1928 by

Nov 15 1928 by

FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE

ARTICLES

REMARKS

all of the

Carroll

C. G. H. H.

Wood Hallam

2-2" ice chisels
 2-D.H.R.P. shovels
 1-Key 3" nail
 12 6g. cases 10 X 12
 1 thin butter
 3 gal machine oil

1356

13.09

Nov bid

C. G. H. H.
 1309

UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
 tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed

Dept. of

City or town

Province

DATE

Jan 2 1929

CANADA WEST HARDWARE COMPANY Ltd.

WHOLESALE

General Hardware, Mining, Prospectors' and Trappers' Supplies

130 JAMES STREET

WINNIPEG, CANADA, Dec 6th 1928

SOLD TO

*Dept of Indian Affairs
The Pas, Man.*

YOUR ORDER NO.

Vote 7 Treaty 5

NO. *3215*

TERMS

SHIPPED FROM THE PAS, MAN.

PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

			2 PER CT...30 DAYS	NET
✓ 1/6	Box Ice Chisels 2"	16 ⁵⁰	2 75	
✓ 1/6	Box D.H. R. Pt Shovels	12 ⁰⁰	2 00	
✓ 1	Keg Wire Nails 3" Com		5 10	
✓ 12	Glass 10 x 12	06	72	
✓ 1	x 1/4 Putty		12	
✓ 3	Gals Machine Oil	80	2 40	

Material supplied, price just and fair,
Certified correct,

*13.09
3.04
3.58*

Vchr 285.

Indian Agent.

R. Connor.

*6163-16.71 Jan 11/29
sent to The Pas*

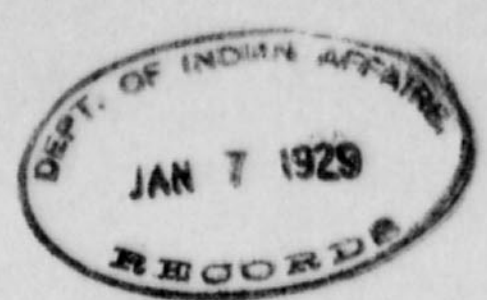
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Letter No. 291

Office of the The Pas Indian Agency,

Appt.

The Pas, Man. Jan 2nd 1929. 192

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 285-6-7-8-9-90-91,

amounting to \$ 85.74 in favour

of Canada West Hardware Co The Pas, Man.

for hardware for reserves and schools.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
1928 E-1 May 25th 1928
128-7-4 Dec 3rd 1928
Letter No 128-1-5 dated Dec 4th 1928

*Sett Man.
Pay + of 233*

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101.

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WE CANNOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR GOODS LOST IN THE MAILS
CLAIMS FOR ERRORS MUST BE MADE IN TEN DAYS FROM DATE OF INVOICE.

ALL CHEQUES MUST BE MADE PAYABLE AT PAR IN BRANDON OR EXCHANGE ADDED

CHRISTIE SCHOOL SUPPLY, LIMITED

SCHOOL FURNISHERS

SCHOLARS' DESKS, TEACHERS' DESKS, CHAIRS, TABLES, BOOKCASES, HYPOPOISE
BLACKBOARDS, MAPS, GLOBES, BELLS, CLOCKS, FLAGS, KINDERGARTEN GOODS
SECRETARY-TREASURER'S SUPPLIES FOR - SCHOOL DISTRICTS, RURAL TELEPHONE CO'S,
GRAIN GROWERS AND CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATIONS.

BRANDON, MAN.
CANADA

Dec. 19, 1928

ORDER NO.

17026

MENTION THIS NO. WHEN
WRITING ABOUT THIS
INVOICE

FILLED BY W.



Dept. Of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,
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Blackay School

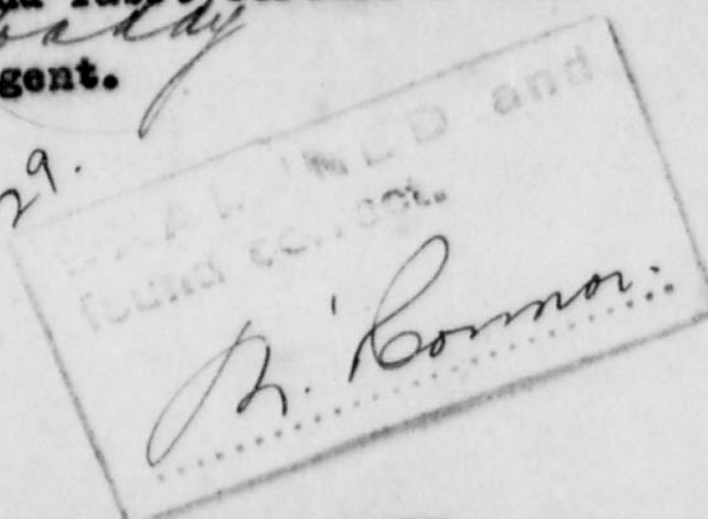
4	Plate Steel Single Desks # 21	8.00	32.00
2	Wood Backs Only for Preston Single Desks # 2	2.25	4.50
2	" " " " " " # 2	2.00	4.00
			<u>\$40.50</u>

C.N.R. Freight Prepaid to
J.W. Wadley, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Seats supplied. Prices just and fair. Certified correct.
Indian Agent.

300.

6162 11-1-29.

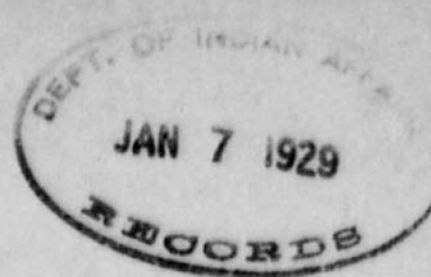


PLEASE MENTION THE NAME AND NUMBER OF YOUR SCHOOL DISTRICT EVERY TIME YOU WRITE.
RETURN THIS INVOICE WHEN SETTLING OR WRITING ABOUT ANYTHING PERTAINING TO IT

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Letter No. 300

Office of the *Pas* Indian Agency,

C. J. [Signature]
Jany 3, 1928. 192

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 300,
amounting to \$40.50 in favour
of Christie School Supply Limited, Brandon, Man.
for Seats for McKay Indian Residential School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. 128-1-5- dated Dec. 4, 1928.

[Signature]
Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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V.7. T. 5.

Beaver Lumber Company Limited,

HEAD OFFICE, WINNIPEG.

Dealers in

Lumber, Building Materials and Coal.

Sold to

Dec 11 12-

1928

No Dept. of Indian Affairs

Onac Kay School

TERMS:

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS.

MONTH	DATE	NO PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
		1	2x4-14 Oak.		10300		300	
		24	1x4-12 Spr Corn.		9644		420	
				106			720	720
						Less 10%		72
								\$6.48

Lumber supplied, prices just and fair.

Certified correct.

Chgd on Y.S. 742

#301.

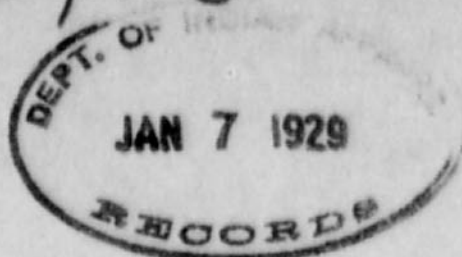
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128-1-5



Letter No. 301

Office of the.....Pas.....Indian Agency,

Jany 3rd, 1928.....192...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 301.....,
amounting to \$.....6.48.....in favour
of.....Beaver Lumber Co., The Pas, Manitoba.....
for...Material for repairing seats at McKay school.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No 128-1-5.....dated Dec. 4, 1928.....

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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EXTRACT FROM CANON GOULD'S LETTER OF SEPTEMBER 25, 1928.
BEING THE M. S. C. C. REQUESTS FOR ESTIMATES, 1929-30.

11. MACKAY

Painted

[Handwritten signature]

School to be re-sided or brick veneered,
estimated cost ?

(b) Residence for Principal, estimated cost
\$7,000.

(c) Telephone, estimated cost \$2500.

(d) Motor truck, estimated cost \$1000.

(e) Piggery, estimated cost \$750. (see Depart-
mental letter July 26, 1927 128-1-5)

(f) New stock barn, estimated cost ?

(g) Sundries, \$200.

Noted too 14

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[Handwritten signature]



TORONTO, ONT. January 24, 1929

39-43 The Bible House,
 Alexander Ave., Winnipeg, Man.

Duncan C. Scott, Esq., C.M.G.,
 Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs,
 Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Mr. Scott:-

At a meeting of our Commission held on the 22nd. inst. when our General Secretary was present, very careful consideration was given to the urgent need of a Principal's residence at the Mackay School. As the General Secretary himself had recently visited this institution, and had been impressed by the urgency of this need, the Commission instructed me to ask you to kindly give it your personal consideration, and to provide, if at all possible, for a suitable residence to be built this year. As the sum of \$7,000.00 for this purpose was included in the list of requirements at this School, which our Society presented to your Department to be provided this year, our Commission greatly hope that this amount may be included in your estimates for this specific purpose.

Believe me,

Yours very truly,

[Handwritten signature: T. B. R. Westgate]

TBRW/EMW

Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.

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Ottawa, January 30, 1929.

Reverend Sir:

I am directed to acknowledge your letter of the 24th instant, with reference to the need of a principal's residence at the MacKay Indian Residential School. In reply I beg to state that the Department will endeavour to place an item in the estimates for the coming fiscal year.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Mr. Westgate
For
Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D. D.,
Field Secretary, M. S. C. C.,
39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.



TORRID ZONE STEEL FURNACE
GAS, SMOKE AND DUST PROOF

WILLIAMS
OIL-OMATIC
HEATING

FROST BROS.

PLUMBING, HEATING AND
SHEET METAL WORK

XXXXXXXXXXXX
MOOSE JAW,
SASK.

The Pas, Man.

October 24th, 1928.

The Department of Indian Affairs,
The Pas, Man.

Attention J.W. Waddy, Indian Agent.

Dear Sirs:

Re McKay School
Estimate

Two Fifteen Hundred Gallon Water Tanks
fitted with Manholes Shell $\frac{1}{4}$ " Ends 7/16.

Two Water gauge Glasses with brass
mountings.

Two Air Pressure Gauges.

One 2" Brass Gate Valve on supply pipe.

One $1\frac{1}{4}$ " " " " " drain "

Removing old tank to outside of school.

Cutting and making good cement walls
and all wood work.

I hereby offer to supply all material and
workmanship necessary to install and complete Water
Tanks, as above, for the sum of Nine Hundred and
Eighty Dollars (\$980.00)

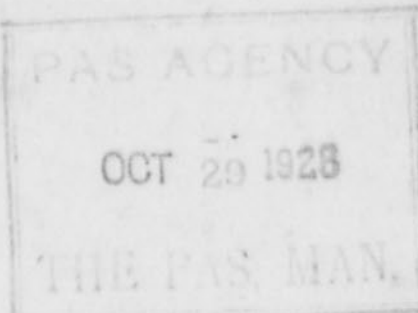
Your acceptance of this offer, will oblige.

Your obedient servant,

Frost Brothers.

per

James Shelden



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CHAS. W. HILL

P.O. BOX 818

ENGINEER AND MODEL MAKER
 REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND FIREARMS
 WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED

THE PAS, 29th. October 1928. 192
 MANITOBA

J. W. Waddy Esq.,
 Indian Agent.
 The Pas.

Dear Sir,

We beg to submit the following Tender for Installation
 of Pressure Tanks at The McKay Boarding School.

\$\$\$

"Provide two steel tanks 4 feet Diameter, 16 feet long,
 capacity 1,500 gallons Wine Measure. approximate weight
 3,100 lbs. Manhole in each Tank.
 Instal suitable Foundations.
 Necessary pipe valves and fittings including water &
 pressure gauges for each tank, and tandem connections
 to enable each tank to be operated separately.
 Old Tank to be removed, windows and cement work to be
 replaced and left in first class condition.
 The whole installed complete with due provision made for
 requirements of pump, and foundations according to
 Tank makers specifications. for the sum of Twelve Hundred
 and seven dollars. \$1207.00

With lighter gauge tanks

\$1087.00

With 4' 6" Tanks approximate weight 4,400 lbs
 length 16 ft. 1,500 gallons Imperial measure. \$1,450.00

Respectfully submitted.

Hill & Fryer.

McGowan

PAS AGENCY
 OCT 29 1928
 THE PAS, MAN.

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PHONE 34

C. S. DICKENS

Plumbing, Heating, Tinsmithing and
Electrical Wiring

SUCCESSORS:

THE CHAS. S. DICKENS CO. LIMITED

THE PAS, October 26th 1928 192
MANITOBA

Mr J. Waddy. Indian Agent.

The Pas. Manitoba.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to yours of the 11th inst; re; supplying and installing 2. 1500 Imperial gal; tanks at the McKay Indian Boarding School we beg to submit the following estimate.

To remove existing 2500 imp; gal; tank and install 2. 1500 Imp; gal; tanks of the same strength material as the old one, to-gether with all new fittings on same (the old fittings not considered good enough to use again).

Cutting out concrete wall and making good again where necessary. Supplying all necessary labor and material to perform the job in a thorough workman like manner for the total sum of Twenty Three Hundred and Twenty Dollars (\$2320.00)

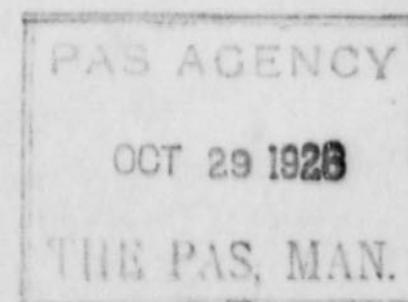
Trusting you will find this acceptable and awaiting your reply

We are

Yours Truly

The Chas; S. Dickens Co; Ltd;

Per Chas. S. Dickens Mngr;



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The Pas, Man.

~~HOUSEHOLD~~ January 23 1929.
P.O. Box 519.

M. The Department of Indian Affairs,

Per. J. W. Waddy. V. 7. T. 5.

IN ACCOUNT
WITH**Frost Bros.**PLUMBING, HEATING, TINSMITHING AND
SHEET METAL WORKWILLIAMS
OILOMATIC
HEATING

Accounts due when rendered

10% Interest Charged on Overdue Accounts

S. B. Beare, Limited, Toronto 48407

Re MacKay School.
To Fitting Pressure
Tank as per estimate.

980.00

Material supplied prices just and fair

Certified correct.

W. Waddy
Indian AgentEXAMINED and
found correct.

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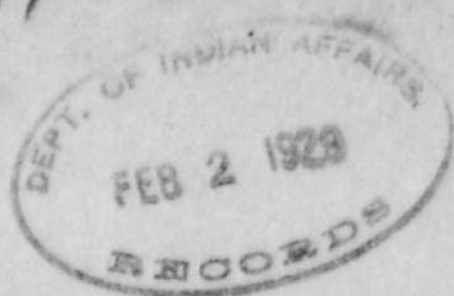
M. L. ...

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Letter No. 339

Office of the The Pas Indian Agency,

January 29th 1929

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 339,
amounting to \$ 980.00 in favour
of Frost Brothers, The Pas, Manitoba.
for installing pressure tank at McKay School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
~~15th~~
Letter No. Telegram ~~dated~~ October 15th, 1928.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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THE PAS, MAN January 12, 1929. 192

M Department of Indian Affairs, McKay Boarding School, Per. J. W. Waddy

UGHT OF

WOOD VALLANCE, LIMITED

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

Interest, 8 per cent. charged on Overdue Accounts.

V. 7. T. 5.

DATE

PARTICULARS

CREDIT

DEBIT

BALANCE

Roll 10 # 1-247

35	Sheets Galv. Iron 36 x 72	37.80
10	lbs. 1 1/2" Galv. Nails	.80

38.60

Material received prices just ~~right~~ and fair.

Certified correct.

338.

Indian Agent.

and
correct.
M. O'Leary
1/2/29

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Letter No. 338

Office of the Pas Indian Agency,

..... January 29th, 1929. 192...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 338.....,

amounting to \$ 38.60 in favour

of Wood Vallenge & Co., The Pas, Manitoba.

for ... Material for sheeting for warehouse McKay School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated October 23rd, 1928
Purchased at same price as material given on Voucher 247 for
which Abstract of Tender has been forwarded to the
Department.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Department of Indian Affairs

Treaty No. 5.....

To ~~Hill and Fryer,~~

The Pas, Manitoba.

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
1929.		
Feb. 26	*nstallation of Lighting Plant at McKay School V. 7. T. 5.	576.51
	Repairs to Storage Tank at McKay School. V. 7. T. 5.	39.05
	Repairs to Heating Plant at McKay School. V. 7. T. 5.	112.92
	Repairs to Generator at Guy School. V. 7. T. 10.	90.60
#375		
	EXAMINED AND found correct. <i>A. Connor</i>	
	sent 7-3-29.	
	7392	
	TOTAL,	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Form 52.

Agent

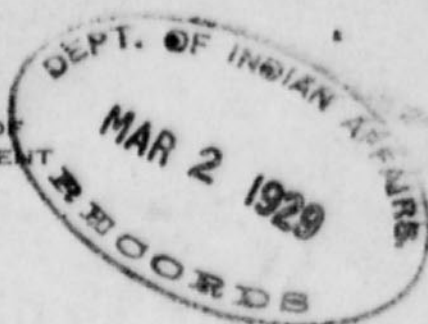
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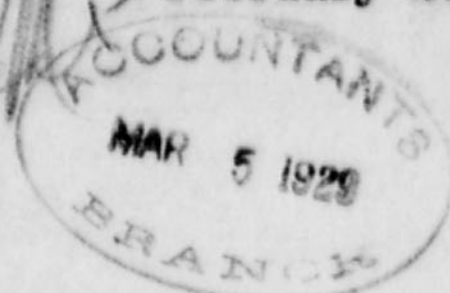


OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



The Pas, Man.
February 26th, 1929.

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Sir:

I have the honor to enclose Voucher No.375 amounting to \$810.08 in favor of Hill and Fryer, Plumbers of The Pas, Manitoba.

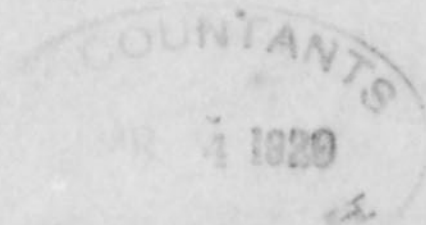
Part of this account is for the installation of the Lighting Plant at the McKay School, which was authorized by the Department last year. The repairs to the storage tank and heating plant at the same school were necessary and I believe were authorized by the Department when the Principal got his instructions last summer.

With reference to the repairs to the Generator at Guy School, I beg to state that in December this plant went out of commission and the Generator was sent in to The Pas by the Principal of the School. I had it put in repair immediately. I told the Principal that I had no authority for getting this work done, but I beg to recommend that the account be paid as it was no fault of the School Staff that the engine went out of commission.

Your obedient servant,

W. J. Wood
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.



*Payment
recommended
A.D.P.*

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THE CHURCH HOUSE XXXXX
XXXXXX 664 JAMES STREET XXXXX

TORONTO: ONT 5th March 1929

39-43. The Bible House,
Alexander Ave., Winnipeg, Man.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir:

Referring to Departmental Letters No. 128-1-5
of the 19th of May and the 30th of June last respectively
I have the honour to enclose herewith the following certified
accounts in duplicate:

Monarch Lumber Co. 17th July	\$ 95.35
Ross Navigation Co. 31st July	9.10
The Pas Construction Co. 20th August....	936.20
" " " " 28th August (boat)	800.00
E. Carroll 31st August	129.85
	<u>\$ 1,970.50</u>

May I request that cheques covering the various
amounts may issue to the firms concerned at your convenience.

I have the honour to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

Edw. C. Copley

Asst. Secy-Treas.
Indian Residential School Commission
M.S.C.C.

EWM/IMC

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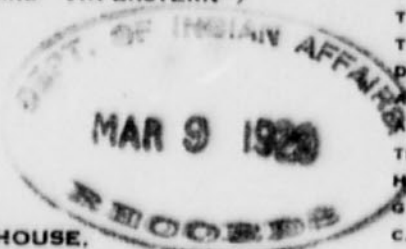
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29-43 THE BIBLE HOUSE,
ALEXANDER AVE. EAST.

WINNIPEG, MAN. March 4, 1929

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

During my recent visit to the Mackay School (Feb. 22 - Feb. 25) I made careful note of some of the repairs which are urgently required in connection particularly with the main school building, and subsequently discussed the same with Mr. Indian Agent Waddy, who concurred in my opinion that these repairs and improvements should be undertaken with the least possible delay. They are as follows:-

Boys' Recreation Room

This room is 37' long 27'6" wide and 9'6" high. The lower part of the walls is covered with V-joint lumber placed vertically, and is for the most part in good repair. The upper part was originally plastered, but when this fell off, the School Management covered it with beaver board taken from the hospital which was pulled down last year. The repairs thus effected have never been satisfactory either from the standpoint of durability, or as a means of keeping the room weather-proof. This beaver board should be removed, and the whole of the upper part of the walls covered with lumber laid on horizontally over felt paper to keep out the cold, and the lumber again covered with metallic shingles similar to those which now cover the ceiling of this room. I asked a Winnipeg firm to furnish me with an estimate of the cost of the metallic shingles to cover the area in question, which is approximately 5' wide and 129' long, and their figure was \$45.00. I am unable to give you an estimate of the cost of the lumber, but Mr. Waddy stated that it would not amount to very much. In addition to the lumber required for the recreation room itself, a little more will be required for the walls of the stairway leading to this room from the outside entrance. If your Department provided the material,

R.T.E.

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the School Management informed me that they could do the work, and I beg to recommend that Mr. Indian Agent Waddy be authorized to have this work taken in hand at once.

There is always temptation for the bigger boys to put paper and other combustible material into any opening in the walls, and it is for this reason that I am very anxious to have these repairs effected with the least possible delay.

During the very severe weather which has prevailed this winter, the boys had to spend more time than usual in their recreation room, with the result that the glass in the windows of this room was frequently broken. Our Commission, of course, repair all such breakages but they feel that expenditure in this connection might be considerably reduced if the windows were protected by heavy wire screens. I beg to request, therefore, that your authorization to Mr. Indian Agent Waddy include this item as well. The expenditure involved would not be very great.

Verandah Screens.

The upper verandah which runs along the front of the main school building was provided some years ago with mosquito screens, but the lower verandah was not supplied with the same protection and the staff and pupils have suffered very much in consequence. I beg to request, therefore, that authority also be given to Mr. Indian Agent Waddy to have the screens on the upper verandah repaired, and the whole of the lower verandah provided with this very necessary protection against these venomous and very troublesome insects.

Inside Toilets

For some reason or other this school was never provided with inside toilets in the basement for the use of either the boys or girls, two outside toilets being provided to take their place during the day time. This arrangement is very unsatisfactory in many ways, and especially from the standpoint of health. As it would not involve a very heavy expenditure to have two inside toilets installed, I beg to recommend that your representative be authorized to take the necessary action in this respect also.

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Commending the above matters to your careful
and sympathetic consideration,

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

L. R. Westgate

TBRW/EMW

Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.

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Ottawa, March 12, 1929.

Reverend Sir;

I have your letter of the 5th instant, enclosing five accounts in connection with improvements at the MacKay Indian Residential School. These, with one exception, have already been paid, having been forwarded in the regular way by Mr. Indian Agent Waddy. It is the practice to have accounts forwarded by principals to the Indian Agent, who is in a position to certify to the account and make a recommendation to the Department. This is true, even when authority is directed to the church office, as in this case. Mr. Indian Agent Waddy received a copy of my letter to you of the 30th of June, last. I am returning one copy of the paid accounts for your file.

The one exception is the Ross Navigation Company account of \$9.10, for freighting lumber. This should be forwarded to the Principal of the School, with the request that he explain the nature of the charge to Mr. Indian Agent Waddy, who will then present it to the Department if it is in order.

I have also your letter of the 4th instant, with reference to further improvements that appear to be necessary at the MacKay School. I am writing to Mr. Indian Agent Waddy, authorizing repairs to the walls of the boys' recreation room. He will also arrange to screen the windows. I am asking Mr. Waddy for a recommendation, with estimate, in connection with the screening of the lower verandah and the toilets in the basement.

Your obedient servant,

Encl. *ABM*

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D. D.,
Field Secretary, M. S. C. C.,
39-43 The Bible House,
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Winnipeg, Man.

Ottawa, March 12, 1929.

Sir:

Rev. Dr. Westgate, Field Secretary of the M. S. C. C., writes that you and he agreed that the walls of the boys' recreation room at the Mackay Indian Residential School should be repaired. You may arrange to have the beaver board removed and lumber laid horizontally over felt paper and covered with metallic shingles, similar to those on the ceiling. No unnecessary expense should be incurred. You may also arrange to put heavy wire screens on the inside of the windows of the boys' recreation room.

Dr. Westgate urges that the lower verandah be screened and that the screens of the upper verandah be repaired. Please let me have your recommendation and, if favourable, an estimate of the cost. It is also represented that two inside toilets should be provided in the basement. You might let me have an estimate and recommendation in this connection also.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. W. Waddy
J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

128-1-5

INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL COMMISSION
of the
Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada

GENERAL SECRETARY
REV. C. S. GOULD, M.D., D.C.L., D.D.
EDUCATION SECRETARY

CABLE ADDRESS
MARTURIA, TORONTO

("MISSIONS CODE," "C.I.M." AND "VIA EASTERN")

FIELD SECRETARY
REV. T. B. R. WESTGATE, D.D.
(THE BIBLE HOUSE, WINNIPEG, MAN.)

GENERAL TREASURER
J. M. MCWHINNEY, ESQ.

ACCOUNTANT
R. A. WILLIAMS, ESQ.

39-43 THE BIBLE HOUSE,
184 ALEXANDER AVE. EAST.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
THE PRIMATE (EX-OFFICIO)
THE BISHOP OF HURON (CHAIRMAN)
THE BISHOP OF MONTREAL
THE BISHOP OF TORONTO
THE BISHOP OF QU'APPELLE
DEAN LLWYD
ARCHDEACON SNOWDON
ARCHDEACON FOTHERINGHAM
THE REV. AND HON. DR. COPELAND
HON. MR. JUSTICE HODGINS
G. C. COPPLEY, ESQ.
C. S. SCOTT, ESQ.
G. B. NICHOLSON, ESQ.

WINNIPEG, MAN. March 18, 1929.

The Secretary. Dept of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Sir:

Referring to your letter No.128-1-5, of the 12th instant. I have the honor to inform you that the Ross Navigation Company's account for \$9.10 has been sent forward to the Principal of the MacKay school with the necessary instructions.

The Commission were of the opinion that the action set forth in your letter had been taken but were not sure of this and consequently in order to avoid the possibility of accounts for 1928 being submitted after the close of your fiscal year these bills were sent down.

I have the honor to be Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. W. McWhinney

EWM:ES

Ast. Sec. Treasurer,
Indian Residential School Commission.

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WINNIPEG, MAN. March 18, 1929.

Rev. T. D. Conlin,
Acting Principal, Mackay School,
The Pas, Manitoba.

Dear Sir:

With reference to letter 128-1-5 of the
12th instant, from the Department of Indian Affairs, copy of
which has been sent to you, enclosed herewith please find
Ross Navigation Company's account for \$9.10, to be forwarded
by you with the necessary explanation to Mr. Indian Agent Waddy,
in order that he in turn may present it to the Department for
payment.

Yours faithfully,

E. J. McWhinney

Asst. Sec. Treasurer

Indian Residential School Commission.

EWM:ES.
Enclosure

*Send copy
N-300*

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THE PAS, July 31st 1928
MAN.



M. Mc Kay Indian School.

The Pas. Man.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

THE ROSS NAVIGATION COMPANY

Limited

General Transportation Agents

Vote 7

Treaty 5

TERMS CASH. 10% INTEREST WILL BE ADDED TO ALL OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

FORM 1

To Statement Rendered

July 27 To Freighting Lumber N- 300 9.10

Services rendered, prices just and fair,
Certified correct,

\$425

Indian Agent.

5-4-29

8147

EXAMINED and
found correct.

Certified Correct

Thomas

Acting Principal

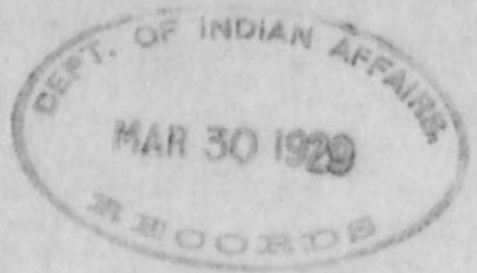
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128-1-5



R



Letter No. 425

Office of the The Pas Indian Agency,

The Pas, Man. March 25th 1929

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 425,

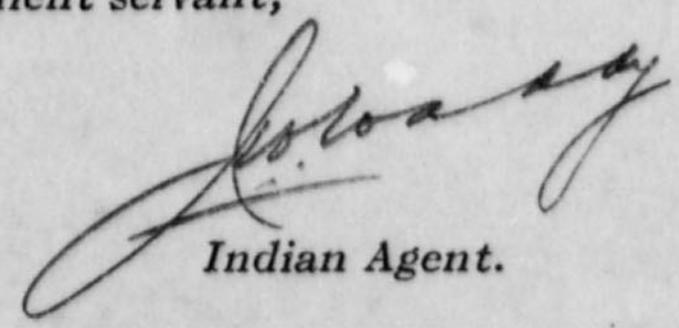
amounting to \$9.10 in favour

of Ross Navigation Co. The Pas, Man.

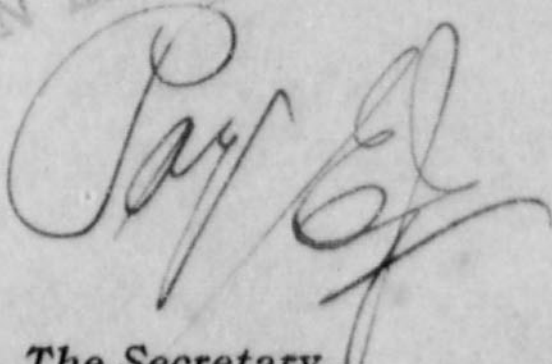
for freighting siding for warehouse to Mackay School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
authority granted by the Department to the Principal
Letter No. dated

Your obedient servant,


Indian Agent.

INDIAN EDUCATION



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101.

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MONTHLY STATEMENT

Dept of Indian Affairs

Prin Albert 2-25 1929

McKay Res School

L. H. B. S.

Vote 7 Treaty 5

In Account with **Singer Sewing Machine Company**
INCORPORATED

1012 CENTRAL AVENUE

PRINCE ALBERT SASK.

Terms

Machine 1273-29

256343

49 57

8146

Sewing machine supplied, price just and fair,
Certified correct.

#421

Indian Agent.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

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128-1-5
DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 30 1929
RECORDS

Letter No. 421

Office of the The Pas Indian

The Pas, Man. March 25th 1929. 192

[Signature]
Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 421

amounting to \$ 47.50 in favour

of Singer Sewing Machine Co Prince Albert Sask.

for sewing machine for Mackay School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated August 21st 1928.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

INDIAN EDUCATION

[Signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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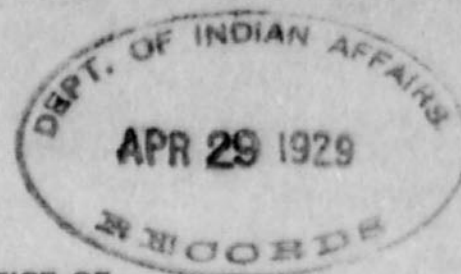
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



R

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



The Pas,
April 25th, 1929.

670/135.

Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter of March 12th, #128-1-5 regarding suggested repairs to the MacKay School, and I beg to say that I have held this matter over until a Plumber could report to me on the cost of getting the toilets installed.

He has offered to supply the following:-

4 Complete Toilets.

1 Urinal.

Break up concrete floor and supply and install 4" iron pipes, repair concrete floor again and supply transport of material and men to the job, complete for Four Hundred and Twenty-five dollars (\$425.00)

This work is absolutely necessary if we intend to avoid an outbreak of typhoid at the MacKay School and these toilets should be installed as soon as possible.

I expect to be at the school within the next two or three days and will get final measurements for screening verandas, etc. The other work noted in your letter, will be completed shortly.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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Ottawa, April 30, 1929.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 25th instant, relative to the installing of 4 complete toilets and 1 urinal at the MacKay Indian Residential School. It is noted that you consider this work is absolutely necessary to the health of the pupils.

The Department will approve of your incurring an expenditure not exceeding approximately \$425 in the installing of the toilets and urinal. You should arrange to have this work carried out at an early date. You should purchase the equipment required and arrange for the labour in having the work done. When these toilets have been installed to your satisfaction, you should forward an account, in duplicate, properly certified, covering the cost of the equipment and for the labour.

It is noted that you will obtain measurements for the screening of the verandahs and forward particulars as to the cost of the work required.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. W. Waddy
J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

SPORTING GOODS DEPT.
PHONE QUEEN 499

128-1-5

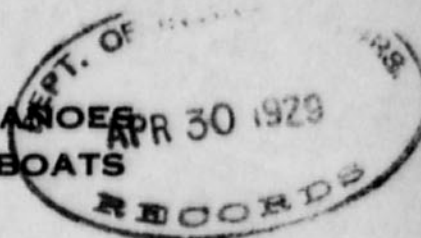
BOAT HOUSE
RIDEAU 1414

KETCHUM & COMPANY, LIMITED



Sporting and Athletic Goods

CLEVELAND BYCYCLES—ELTO MOTORS—CHESTNUT CANOES
FISHING TACKLE—GUNS AND AMMUNITION—ROW BOATS



SOLD TO

[Signature]
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Room 503 Booth Bldg.

OTTAWA, April 26-29
ONTARIO

TERMS CASH. Interest at 8% per annum charged on all overdue accounts.

order #128-1-4

- ✓ 1 pr. B.B. ^{goals} (only)
- ✓ 1 basket ball and rules
- ✓ 2 indoor balls @1.40

For Mackay Indian Residential School

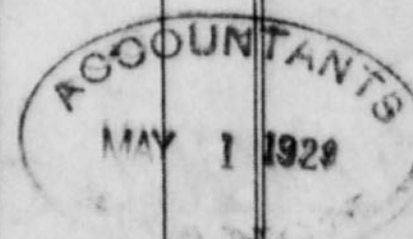


[Signature]
Certified correct,
supplies furnished,
charges fair and just

[Signature]
1/8/29

4 95 ✓
7 50 ✓
2 80 ✓

15 25 ✓



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Ottawa, May 10, 1929.

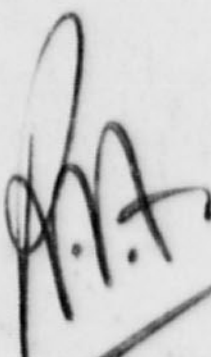
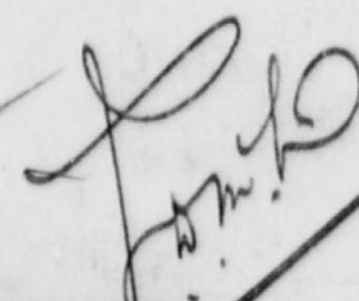
Sir:

The Church authorities have strongly represented that a principal's residence is required at the MacKay Indian Residential School if it is hoped to obtain and retain the services of a properly qualified gentleman to manage the institution. I should be pleased if you would let the Department have your recommendation in this connection.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

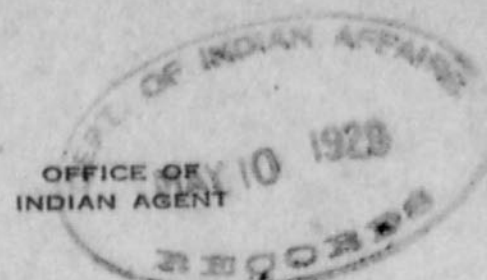
J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



128-1-5
R



The Pas, Man.

May 6th 1929

678-135

Dear Sir;-

In reference to letter #128-1-5 of the 12 March last I beg to state that when at the Mackay School last week I looked into the matter of screening the lower verandah. I think this work should be carried out as at present the staff have no place to use for a sitting room in the summer except inside the building. The screening, lumber, labor etc for this would amount to about \$125.00. There are a number of the other screens to be repaired and I beg to recommend that \$20.00 of wire screen be supplied for this work.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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678-135.

Ottawa, May 13, 1929.

Sir:

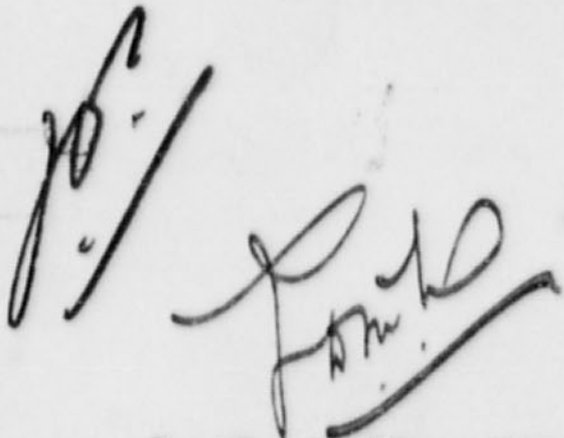
I have your letter of the 6th instant, giving an estimate of the cost of screening the lower verandah and repairing other screens at the MacKay Indian Residential School.

In reply I beg to say the Department will approve of you arranging to have the lower verandah screened. You may purchase the screening, lumber and other material required for the purpose. It is noted that you estimate the cost of the screening of the lower verandah, including the material and labour, to be approximately \$125, and the repairs required to the other screens, \$20. If possible, these amounts should not be exceeded. Please arrange to have this work carried out at an early date and forward a voucher, in duplicate, properly certified, covering the cost of the material and labour.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

CANADA WEST HARDWARE CO. WHOLESALE LIMITED

GENERAL HARDWARE, MINING, PROSPECTORS' AND TRAPPERS' SUPPLIES

130 JAMES STREET,

WINNIPEG, CANADA,

1929

SOLD TO

*Dept of Indian Affairs
The Postman*

YOUR ORDER No.

No.

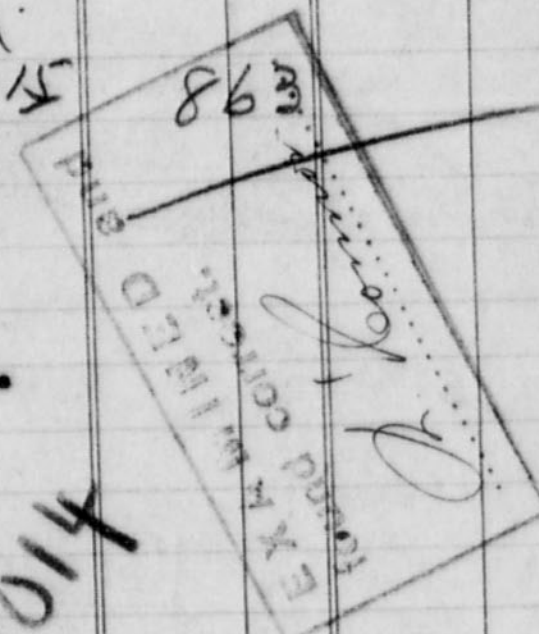
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Shipped from THE PAS, Man.

TERMS

PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

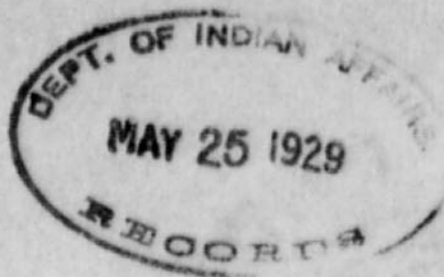
Quantity		Multiplier	Price	2%—30 Days	Net
✓ 22½	lineal yds sand screen 3x36 - 7½ yds		<i>79.15</i>		
Material supplied, price just and fair. Certified correct. <i>W. G. Gaddy</i> Indian Agent. #71.					



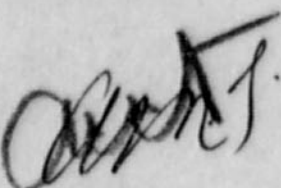
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Letter No. 71



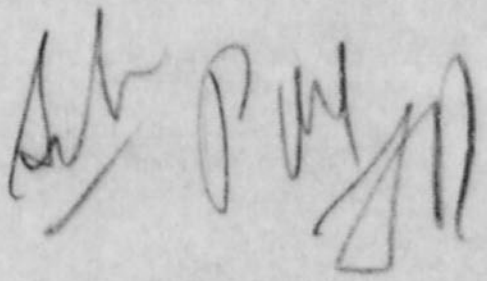
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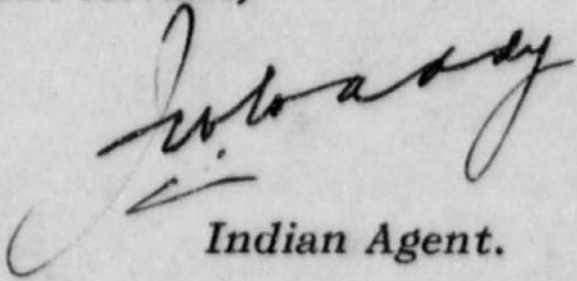
 May 21st, 1929

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 71,
amounting to \$ 8.63 in favour
of Canada West Hardware Company, Ltd.,
for Heavy screening for boys recreation room McKay
School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No 128-1-5 dated March 12th, 1929.

 Your obedient servant,


Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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THE PAS. April 30th 1929
MAN.



M. Indian Department. V.7.
T.5.
The Pas. Man.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

THE ROSS NAVIGATION COMPANY
Limited

TERMS CASH. 10% INTEREST WILL BE ADDED TO ALL OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

FORM 1

		To Statement Rendered		
Apl 12	To	Team Hire	203	6.00

Work performed price just and fair.

Certified correct.

W. W. Waddy
Indian Agent.

#70.

Sent 3/5/29
1013

EXAMINED and
found correct.

A. K. Kooner

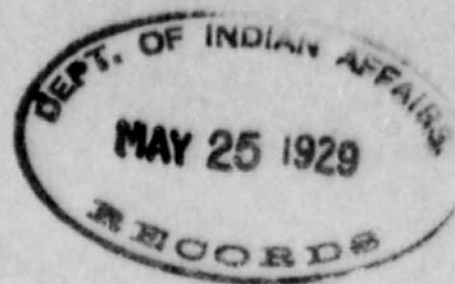
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Letter No. 70



128-1-5
R



Office of the Pas Indian Agency,

May 21st, 1929.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 70,

amounting to \$6.00 in favour

of The Ross Navigation Company, The Pas, Man.

for Team hired by Indian Agent to send plumber to make report on new toilet installation at MacKay School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No 128-1-5 dated March 12th, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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DEPARTMENT

LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called

1929 by letter Due

by phone

1929 Opened

1929 by

FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE

ARTICLES

REMARKS

14 2970 Painted Metal
Sheeting
135 low 4 ceiling
Cornice

1929.23 1929.50 1929.31

Wood Sillings 1929.23

THE PAS. MAN. May 17, 1929. 19

V. 7. T. 5.

M. DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, Per. J. W. Waddy, Esq.,

Bought of **WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED**

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE

PARTICULARS

CREDIT

DEBIT

BALANCE

<i>McKay</i> {	14	Sqs. Painted Metal Inside Sheathing		111.35
	135	Ft. Ceiling Cornice		11.90
<i>Pao D. S.</i>	6	Only 42" Green Window Blinds	2.00	12.00
<i>McKay</i>	25	lbs. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Com. Nails	.6 $\frac{1}{2}$	1.63

136.88

Material supplied. Price just and fair.

Certified correct.

J. W. Waddy
Indian Agent.

#73.

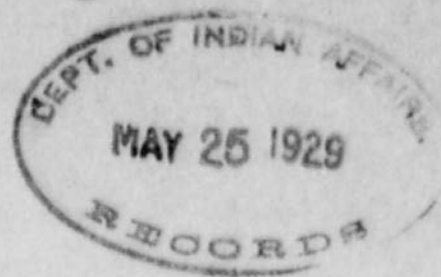
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Per 31-5-29.

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Letter No. 73



Office of the ~~Pay~~ Indian Agency,

May 21st, 1929. 192

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 73

amounting to \$ 136.88 in favour

of Wood Vallance Limited, The Pask Man.

for Material for Walls of boy's recreation room. McKay School.
Blinds for Pay Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated March 12th, 1929.
128-7-5. January 14th, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

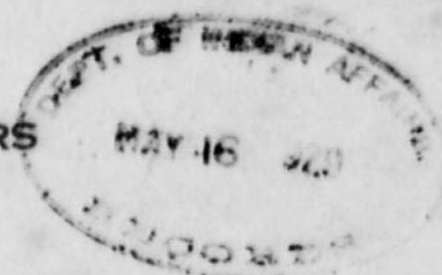
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 205-11A C
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

D REGINA, SASK., May 13th, 1929



Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 10th. instant, 128-1-5, informing me that the Church authorities have strongly represented that a Principal's residence is required at the McKay Indian Residential School if it is hoped to obtain and retain the services of a properly qualified gentleman to manage the institution. In reply I beg to say that I have always advocated that the Principal of an Indian Residential School live in a detached residence. That is what I pressed for in connection with the Blood School and also when it was decided to have the teacher in residence at Old Sun's. I would, therefore, advise that a Principal's residence be erected at the McKay School, but I cannot see how it would be possible to erect this building during the coming summer. The material could be taken up there by boat, but there is no proper landing and it would be a very difficult matter to get it unloaded and conveyed to the school. Would it not be better to make arrangements now to have the work of excavating done during the summer and have the material freighted by sleigh during the winter months, and proceed with the work of erection next spring?

We have several plans of houses here that I think would be suitable for a Principal's residence and the cost should be somewhere in the neighborhood of \$7000.00 provided the houses is heated by hot air, which in my opinion is the proper thing for a house situated in the country. I should be glad to have your instructions in the matter.

The Secretary

Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Your obedient servant,

W. J. Graham
W. J. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

*1000 in Saskatoon
for Residence*

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Ottawa, June 1st, 1929.

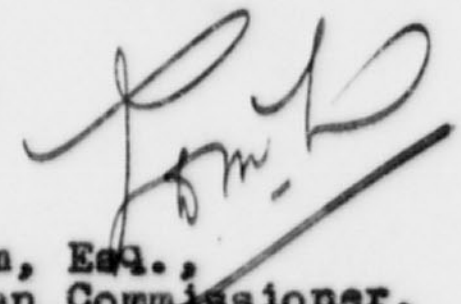
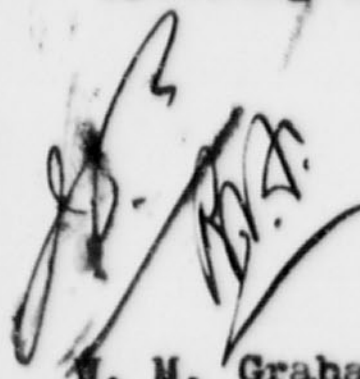
Sir:

I have your No. 205-11A C.E. of the 13th ultimo, relative to the erection of a principal's residence at the MacKay Indian Residential School. In this connection, I have noted your opinion regarding the difficulty in having material for the purpose freighted during the summer, and your suggestion that it would be better to make arrangements now to have the work of excavating done, and the material freighted by sleigh during the winter months, and the building proceeded with next Spring.

You may make the necessary arrangements to have the excavating required carried out, and, if considered advisable, the foundations for the building put in. The school has a good boat, and the school authorities might be prepared to undertake a certain amount of the freighting of the building material required. In any event, you should arrange for the purchase and freighting of the material when considered timely, in order that as much of the material and work can be carried out and accounts rendered in time to be paid from the appropriation provided for the present fiscal year. If you consider that it would be satisfactory, besides the excavation, to have the foundation put in this summer, you may have this portion of the work carried out. If the school authorities cannot freight in any material by boat, you should arrange to have it placed on the ground as early as possible next winter. Certified accounts should be forwarded in the usual manner covering any expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

Vote No. 7

Treaty No. 5

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

To John Gawley

The Pas

Man

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
1929.		
June 6th 1929.		
	To carpenter work at Mackay School	
	As carpenter putting galvanized iron etc on boys play room	
May 20	12 hours	
21	12	
22	12	
23	13	
24	12	
25	10	
27	12	
28	13----- 96 hours at 80¢	76.80
	Putting up verandah complete.	
May 29	13 hours	
30	13 "	
31	11 "	
June 1	12 "	
2	--	
3	12	
4	12	
5	12----- 85 hours @ .80¢	68.00
	Total	144.80

Certified correct,

Carpenter.

#104

EXAMINED and found correct.

TOTAL,

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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Letter No. 04.....

Office of the Pas..... Indian Agency,

W. H. H.
June 8th, 1929.....192.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 104.....,

amounting to \$ 144.80..... in favour

of John Gawley, The Pas, Man.....

for Wprk on McKay school - *Boys recreation room*
and verandah.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5..... dated March 12th & May 13th.

Sub Paul
Your obedient servant,

W. H. H.
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Yh. pas June 1929

M. ~~...~~ Dip

In Acct:
with

Ma Kay school

Robertson

The Rev

TERMS

V. 7. 7. 7. 5.

[Signature]

In support of
Carpenter going and
coming to work on
McKay school and
work as assistant
Carpenter from

20th 12 hours. 20-21-22-23

21-12

24. = 61 hours

NO RV

824	40
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92-12

83-13

24-12

1328

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Work performed, price just and fair.

Certified correct.

APR 19 1964

19/6/24

Indian Agent:

#105.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

Ms. Camp



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Letter No. 105.....

Office of the *Asst. Com. In Charge* The Pas..... Indian Agency,

..... June 6th, 1929 192.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 105.....,
amounting to \$ 36.40 in favour
of R.W. Espey, The Pas, Man.
for Repairs to boy's recreation room, McKay school.

Sh. O. J. N.
This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. 128-1-5 dated March 12th, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

W. A. D. J.
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101.

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Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada

GENERAL SECRETARY
REV. CANON S. GOULD, M.D., D.C.L., D.D.
EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY

FIELD SECRETARY
REV. T. B. R. WESTGATE, D.D.
(THE BIBLE HOUSE, WINNIPEG, MAN.)

GENERAL TREASURER
J. M. MCWHINNEY, ESQ.

ACCOUNTANT
R. A. WILLIAMS, ESQ.

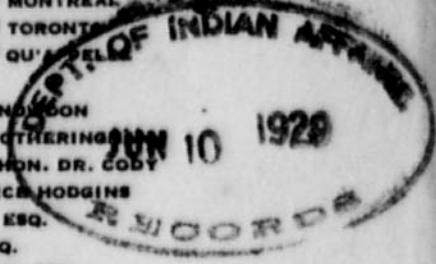
CABLE ADDRESS
MARTURIA, TORONTO

("MISSIONS CODE." "C.I.M." AND "VIA EASTERN")

39-43 THE BIBLE HOUSE,
128 ALEXANDER AVE. EAST.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

THE PRIMATE (EX-OFFICIO)
THE BISHOP OF HURON (CHAIRMAN)
THE BISHOP OF MONTREAL
THE BISHOP OF TORONTO
THE BISHOP OF QU'APPEL
DEAN LLWYD
ARCHDEACON ENGLAND
ARCHDEACON FOTHERINGHAM
THE REV. AND HON. DR. CODY
HON. MR. JUSTICE HODGINS
G. C. COPPLEY, ESQ.
C. S. SCOTT, ESQ.
G. S. NICHOLSON, ESQ.



WINNIPEG, MAN. June 7th, 1929.

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

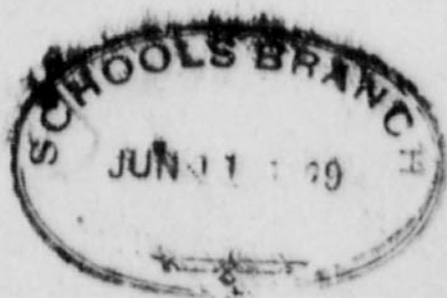
I shall be obliged if you will let me know if provision has been made by your Department to build a Principal's residence at the Mackay School this year. The need of this building is so very urgent, from the administrative side of our Society's work, that I earnestly hope it may be built and equipped not later than the beginning of next September.

Believe me, Sir,
Yours very truly,

T. B. R. Westgate

Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.

TBRW/JF



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*Adit
See notes*

Ottawa, June 11th, 1929.

Reverend Sir,-

I have your letter of the 7th instant relative to the building of a residence for the Principal at the MacKay Indian Residential School. In this connection, I have to inform you that Mr. Commissioner Graham, to whom this matter was referred, stated that it would be impossible to erect this building during the present summer. He recommended that arrangements be made to have the work of excavating carried out and the foundation installed during the summer and that the material be freighted in by sleigh during the winter months and the erection of the building proceeded with next Spring.

Mr. Graham was authorized to make the necessary arrangements to have the required excavating carried out and, if it is impossible to have the material freighted in by boat during the summer, he is to have it placed on the ground by sleigh as early as possible next winter.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J.D. McLean
For Mr. Westgate
Rev. T.B.R. Westgate, D.D.,
Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.,
39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

128-1-5

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

D REGINA, SASK., June 10th, 1929

Sir:-

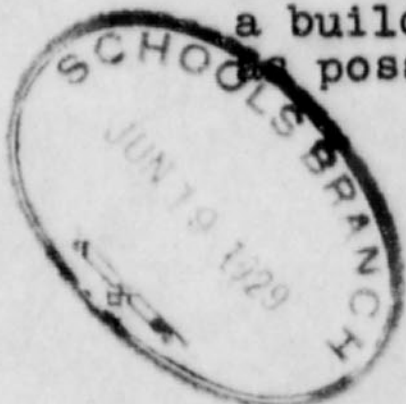
I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 1st. instant, authorizing me to erect a Principal's residence at the MacKay Indian Residential School.

I may say that Mr. Waddy is here today, preparing to go north tonight. I have discussed this matter with him and his opinion, in which I concur, is that it would be well to let it stand until he comes home. He points out that there will be no Principal at the school during the summer and no one to supervise the work. I feel that if we can start at this building the 1st. of September it could be completed by the 31st. of October. A supervisor will be hired, and the freighting of material, which Mr. Waddy tells me can be done by wagon, will be looked after by the Indians. There are also several handy Indians who can assist the foreman on the building. I propose building a house similar to the residence which was erected for the Agent at Battleford - not exactly the same, but a building of that size, and the cost will be kept as low as possible.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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Ottawa, June 21, 1929.

Reverend Sir:

I wish to refer to my letter of the 11th instant, concerning a residence for the Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School. Mr. Graham has now written that he believes the freighting of materials can be effected over the wagon road and he hopes to have the building started by September first and completed in about two months. I am sure this will be more satisfactory to your Society than the earlier arrangement.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

T. B. R. Westgate
Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D. D.,
Field Secretary, M. S. C. C.,
39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

Ottawa, June 21, 1929.

Sir:

I have your 205-11A of the 10th instant, with reference to a principal's residence at the MacKay Indian Residential School. I note that this building can be started by the first of September and that whereas the freighting can be done by wagon, you hope to have it completed by the 31st of October. The Department is pleased to learn that this building can be finished this year, and I have to request you to complete the arrangements. No unnecessary expense should be incurred.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

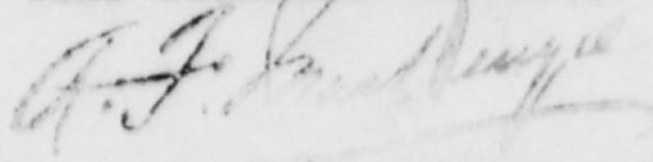
W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

Ottawa, June 27, 1929.

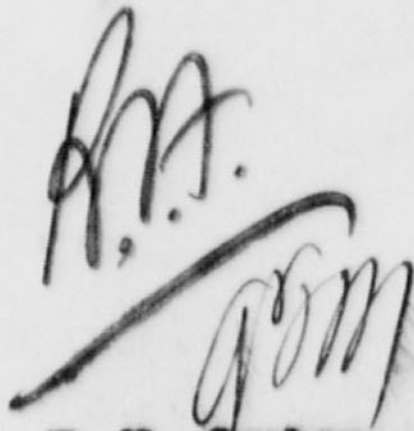
Sir:

Mr. Ferrier, who visited the MacKay Indian Residential School last year, has reported that the main building is badly in need of painting, and I am pleased to inform you that there is an appropriation of \$800 for this purpose. Would you please arrange to have the work undertaken at an early date.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.



W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.



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CANADA

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.E.
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

D REGINA, SASK. August 28th, 1929.

Sir:-

With reference to your letter of June 27th. last, No. 128-1-5, I beg to say that I have had a conversation with Mr. Waddy, and he informs me that it would be a mistake to put paint on the outside of the McKay Boarding School, which painting was authorized in your letter mentioned above. Mr. Waddy tells me that the siding is all separated and that the paper can be seen through the wide cracks between each board. I have instructed that the building be resided with this money.

Your obedient servant

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

Approved AM
The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, September 3, 1929.

Sir:

I have your 205-11A C.E. of the 28th ultimo, informing the Department that, in conversation with Mr. Agent Waddy, you had instructed that, instead of painting the outside of the Mackay Indian Residential School, as authorized by official letter of June 27th, last, the building be resided. Your action in this matter is approved.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.



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CANADA

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R



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-111A-C-2

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

D REGINA, SASK. August 30th, 1929.....



Sir:-

I beg to inform you that I am making arrangements at once to have a residence erected for the Principal of the McKay Indian Boarding School, keeping as near to the amount mentioned in your instructions as possible. The bills of material are being figured out here today and the plans are being forwarded to the Agent, so that the work of excavating may be commenced at once and the material will be delivered on the ground immediately.

It is hoped that when this residence is completed the Department will have some success in obtaining a first-class man as Principal at this school. For years we have had very incompetent men here, and our work has been more or less of a failure. In my opinion, only an experienced and competent man should be employed.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

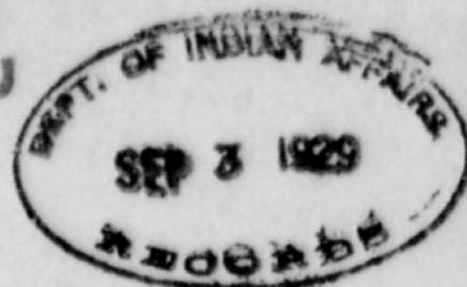
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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

ED

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

REGINA, SASK., August 30th, 1929.



[Signature]
Sir:-

I beg to inform you that I am now making arrangements to build the Principal's residence at the Mackay Indian Residential School, The Pas Agency, and I shall be glad to receive an accountable cheque for \$2,000.00 to pay for labour.

Your obedient servant,

3034
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

Please send accountable CK for \$2000.00 to pay labor erecting Principal's residence Mackay Residential Sch.
[Signature]
The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

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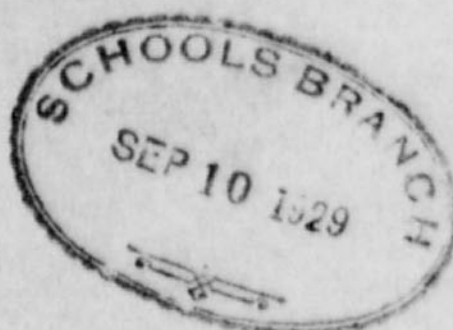


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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

The Pas, Man.
September 5th, 1929

135/10



Sir:

above I beg to report that the fire-proof slabs
~~for~~ the flue leading from the Furnace of the
MacKay Indian Residential School have broken
down and should be replaced immediately.

I beg to recommend that I be allowed to
supply 22 lineal feet of 1" thick Asbestos,
2' 6" wide.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa. Ont.

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Ottawa, September 10, 1929.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 5th instant, relative to the fireproof slabs above the flue leading from the furnace at the MacKay Indian Residential School, I have to say that you may purchase and supply 22 lineal feet of 1" thick asbestos, and arrange for any repairs required to the furnace to be carried out. No unnecessary expense should be incurred, and, when the work is completed, you should forward a certified voucher in the usual manner covering the cost.

Your obedient servant,

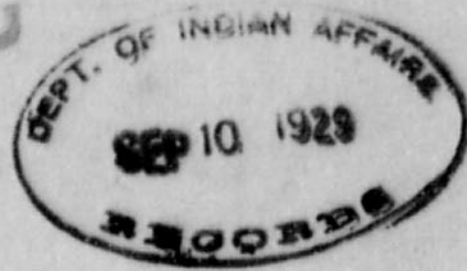
A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie

Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Waddy
A. F. MacKenzie
A. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.



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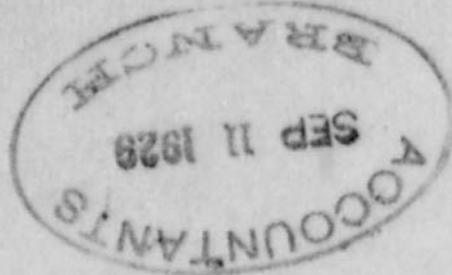
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No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

W. REGINA, SASK., 7th September, 1929.



Sir:-

May I please be furnished with an accountable cheque for \$350.00 to be used in connection with the re-siding of the Mackay Indian school in The Pas Agency.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham
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W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

Ad sent
3154
The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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3301-Schools V.7-T5. 38.85

The Pas, Man. ^{at} 233. 4.05
Aug. 20/29

Trust 4972

BEAVER LUMBER CO. LTD.

Mr. Waddy,
Dept Of Indian Affairs,
The Pas, Man.

Itemized Statement.

McKay School.

100 Linft Picture Mld

\$2.50 \$2.50

McKay School

25 2x4-14

233'

\$45.00

14 2x4-12

112'

"

2 2x4-18

24'

"

\$16.60

534 Linft Burlap Mld

2.25

12.00

502 " quarter Rd.

1.25

3.75

McKay School

150 Linft Cove Mld

3.00

4.50

50 " 3/4 Rd

1.25

.60

McKay School

8 2x4-14

75'

45.00

3.35

McKay School

36 Linft quarter Round.

1.25

.45

EXAMINED and
found correct.

H. Coghlan

1 2x6-12

12

4 2x4-12

32

45.00

2.00

Coffin

2 1x12-12

24'

49.00

1.15

3 1x10-12

30'

48.00

1.45

Cowley

1 1x12-14

14'

49.00

.70

3 1x10-12

30'

48.00

1.45

Less 15%

50.60

#157. Material received, bought at best
advantage, price just and fair.
Certified correct.

Waddy
Indian Agent.

Rec 42.90

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Letter No. 157

Office of the Pas Indian Agency

Adm

September 10th 9
1929

SIR,

I enclose herewith Voucher Numbers 157

amounting to \$ 42.90 in favor
of The Beaver Lumber Company, The Pas, Man.
for Material for McKay School, Veranda and coffin.

Trust
INDIAN EDUCATION

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. 128-1-5 dated May 13/1929.

Your obedient servant

Pay

Isbady

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Indian Agent.

Form No. 101.



PHONE 34-P. O. BOX 85

THE PAS July 2nd 1929 19
MANITOBA

Vote 7 Treaty 5.

M Indian Dept;

Per Mr J.W.Waddy. Indian Agent. The Pas. Man;

To THE CHAS. S. DICKENS CO., LIMITED Br.

HEAT, LIGHT, SANITATION, TINSMITHING

ACETYLENE WELDING

Accounts Due When
Rendered.

10% Interest Charged on
Overdue Accounts.

May and June 1929

To supplying complete plumbing pipes & fittings
and 4 Closets and 1 urinal, and installing
same also cutting up concrete floor and
making same good, as per previous estimate

425 00

Mackay School repairs.

3300

Supplies received, price just and fair, certified correct,

Sent 18-9-29.

#177

EXAMINED and
found correct.

Hogblaw

Indian Agent.

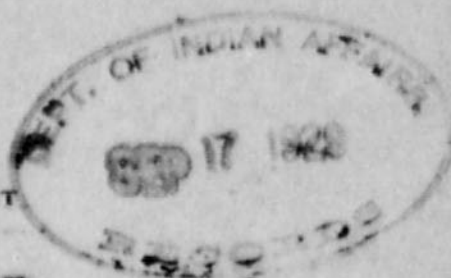
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INDIAN AGENT



Letter #.....177

The Pas, Man.

Sept 14th 1929

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to enclose voucher #.....
amounting to \$425.00 in favor of.....
C.S. Dickens, The Pas, Man
for installation of toilets at Mackay School.

This expenditure was authorized by
Departmental letter #.128-1-5 dated.. Ap 30. 1929

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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THE PAS, MAN. June 3, 1929. 19

M Department of Indian Affairs, Per. J. W. Waddy, The Pas, Man.

Bought of

WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

Vote 7 Treaty 5

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE

PARTICULARS

Folio #92

CREDIT

DEBIT

BALANCE

50 Yds. 24" x 14 Screen Cloth	.21	10.50
6 Pkgs. Tacks	.06	.36

Mackay School verandah screening.		10.86
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Material supplied, price just and fair, certified correct,

EXAMINED and
found correct.

#180

128-1-5- May 13

Indian Agent.

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Letter #.....¹⁸⁰

The Pas, Man.

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to enclose voucher #.....^{180 & 181}
amounting to.....^{15.73} in favor of.....^{Wood Vallance Co}

The Pas, Man.
.....

for..... material for Mackay School and for fencing
on the Pas Reserve.

This expenditure was authorized by
Departmental letter #.....¹²⁸⁻¹⁻⁵ dated.....^{May 13th 1929.}

The fencing was emergent order by Indian Agent.

Your obedient servant,

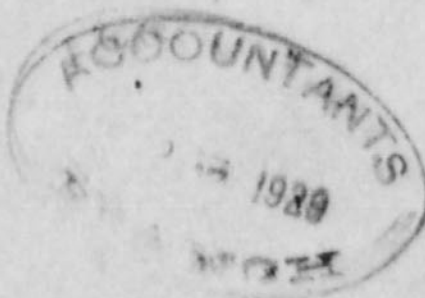
Indian Agent.

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Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.



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PAS AGENCY.

Vote No. ⁷.....

Treaty No. ⁵.....

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Canada West Hardware Co. Ltd.....

Winnipeg Man.
.....

DATE 1929		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
May	25	Goods as per statement attached For Mackay School	25	76 ✓
		Voucher 185	25	76
		EXAMINED BY found correct. <i>[Signature]</i>		
		<i>Per 23-9-29.</i>		
		<i>3352</i>		
		TOTAL,		

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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Letter #A85 *[Signature]*

The Pas, Man.
Sept. 13th 1929

Dear Sir;-

I have the honor to enclose the following
vpucher. No..... for \$.....25. 76
in favor of.....Canada West H'ware Co Ltd. Winnipeg Man.
for.....Screening of Varanda at Mackay School

This expenditure was authorized by
Departmental letter No. 128-1-5 Dated
..... May 13th 1929.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

INDIAN EDUCATION

[Signature]



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Folio _____

STATEMENT

September 1929.¹⁹

M The Department of Indian Affairs.
VOTE 7

TREATY 5

HILL & FRYER

In Acct with

Per THE PAS. MAN.

Terms _____

1929.						
Mar	23.	Trip to McKay				
		Boarding School to				
		locate fault & start				
		up Lighting Plant.				
		Mechanic 4 hrs. 1.25	5.00			
		Hire of Car 2 ⁹	6.00			
		25-9-33	11.00			
		Work performed, price just and fair.				
		Certified correct.				
		<i>A. Tweddall</i>				
		Voucher #194.	Indian Agent.			
		EXAMINED and				
		found correct.				
		<i>H. Logan</i>				

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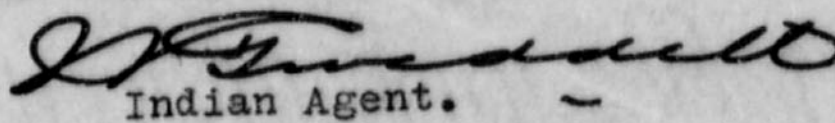
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The Pas Man.
Sept. 16th 1929

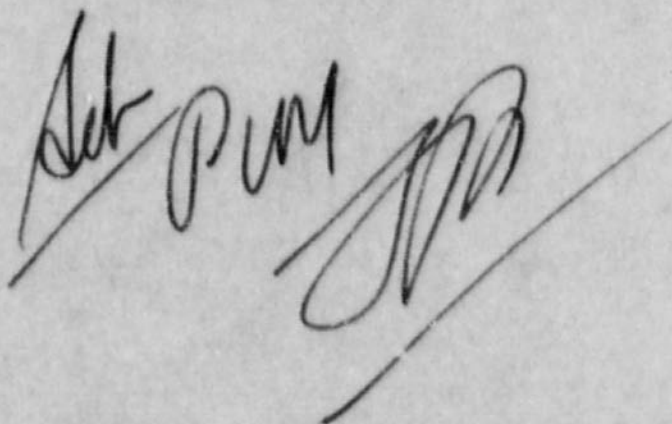
Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to enclose Voucher #194 for
\$11.00 in favor of Hill & Fyrer, The Pas Man., for
emergent repairs at ManKay School.

Your obedient servant.


Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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Folio _____

September 1929. 192

M The Department of Indian Affairs.

VOTE 7
TREATY 5

HILL & FRYER

In Acc't with THE PAS. Man.

Terms _____

McKay Boarding School:

1929.

June

4
to
9

Eavestrough and Conductor pipe.

70 feet 3" Conductor pipe

8 Elbows 3"

30 feet 12" Trough

6 Feet 4" Conductor pipe

2 Elbows 4"

30 7" Spikes

30 4 1/2 Tubes

3 lbs Solder

12 Straps.

Labour. Putting up new material as above where needed, cleaning out trough all around building, taking out elbows and cleaning out connections to conductors leading to soft water tank in basement, and refastening trough and conductor pipes.

Tinsmith 45 hrs.

Helper 45

11	7.70
35	2.80
12	3.60
20	1.20
50	1.00
	30
92	60
60	1.80
	25

1.00	45.00
.45	20.25

\$84.50

A lot of this work was not accessible and we had to build scaffolds. It is a three story building. Hence apparently high labor cost. Material supplied, work performed, price just and fair.

Certified correct.

Voucher #198

Indian Agent.

H. Logan

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

Letter #196

The Pas Man.
Sept. 16th 1929

Cont.

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to enclose Voucher #196
for \$84.50 in favor of Hill & Fryer, the Pas Man.,
for work at ManKay School.

This expenditure was authorized in 1928.

Your obedient servant.

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

[Handwritten initials/signature]

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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INVOICE

The Pas, Man., September 12th. 1929.

M. Dept of Indian Affairs,

Vote 7
Treaty 5IN ACCOUNT
WITH

E. Carroll

DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE, TOOLS
CUTLERY, HOUSE FURNISHINGS
CAMP SUPPLIES, ETC.10 per Cent, Interest charged on
Overdue Accounts

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	DEBIT	CREDIT	BALANCE
Sept. 9.	25 lbs 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ C. Nails.		1.70		
	25 lbs 4in nails.		1.70		

			3.40		

H. Hoggblan
Dept. Anthy 12A-1-5 3/9/29
 Goods for re-siding MacKay School
 Goods received price just and fair,
 Certified correct.
 voucher #193
W. Swindell
 Indian Agent.

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INVOICE.

The Pas, Man., September 9th. 1929

M. Dept of Indian Affairs.

The Pas.

IN ACCOUNT
WITH

E. Carroll

DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE, TOOLS
CUTLERY, HOUSE FURNISHINGS
CAMP SUPPLIES, ETC.10 per Cent, Interest charged on
Overdue Accounts

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	DEBIT	CREDIT	BALANCE
	<i>H. Hoggblan</i>				
	2 kegs 2in box nails.		12.50		
	1 keg 2in common nails.		5.90		

			18.40		

Dept. Anthy 12A-1-5 3/9/29
 Residing Mackay Indian Residential School
 Material recieved, price just and fair, certified correct,
 #189
W. Swindell
 Indian Agent.

3510-1840
3.40
21.80

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Letter No. 205-11A.C.E.



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Adopt
Office of the Indian Commissioner Indian Agency

September 19th. 1929.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 189 & 193
from The Pas Agency,

amounting to \$21.30 in favour

of E. Carroll, The Pas, Man.

for nails to re-side the Mackay Indian Residential School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 3rd September, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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DEPARTMENT.....Median.....Waters.....

192... 9 by letter ~~phone~~

200

192...*9*... Opened...

192... by

Ad

ARTICLES

FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE

REMARKS

7000 lbs. Go
1 clear Sidings

330.00

2500-

103-1X2-16 A45

05.91

25.91

24 rolls put together

57.60

57.60

177-So/Earth

12.00

12.00

416.10

436.10

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March 19

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UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed

Signed XP Incorporated

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Dorchester
Mary

DATE Nov 16 1957

Hester
Dorchester
Mary

MR

The Pas.
Dept. of Indian Affairs

STATION

Sept. 9th 1929
The Pas Man.

V.7. T. 5.

TEN PER CENT
INTEREST WILL BE CHARGED
ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE	NO OF PIECES		FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
		1/2 x 6 Clear Buell Sdg. Cedar.				
	200	160	140	240	100	
	3	3 1/2	4	5	6	
	80	20	10	170	40	90
	7	9	10	11	15	16
	210	17	120	18		
		Net Price F.O.B. Mackay School.	7000			330.00
		103-1x2-16 S4S #2		01 1/2	1650	
	24	Rolls put Tar. gloghlan	240		5760	
	1	M #1 op lath.	120		1200	
		Net Price			41610	
		For Mackay Indian Res School				
		#142. Material received price just and fair.				
		Certified correct.				
		Indian Agent.				
		Dept Aubrey 128-1-5	3/9/29		41610	
		Serv 26/9/29	3509-		945	
					425.55	

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MR.

STATION

192

TEN PER CENT
INTEREST WILL BE CHARGED
ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS



Vote 7 Treaty 5

SEP 18 1928

DATE	NO OF PIECES		FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
		35 - 1x6-10 #2 sp.	175	60-	10.50	
				less 10%	<u>1.05</u>	
					9.45	
		Dept Anthy 128-1-5	519	.79		
		Residing Mackay School.				
		Material received, price just and fair, certified correct,				
		#190				
		found correct.				
		Hogblan				

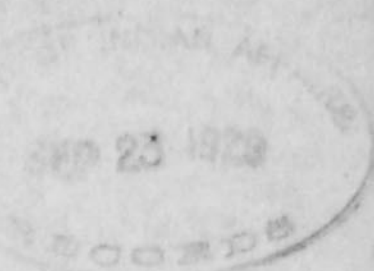
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Office of the Indian Commissioner Indian Agency;

Adm.

September 19th, 1929.



Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 144 & 190, from The Pas Agency,

amounting to \$425.55 in favour

of The Monarch Lumber Co. Ltd., The Pas, Man.

for bevel siding & boards for re-siding the MacKay Indian Residential School. Abstract of Tenders is attached.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 3rd September, 1929.

Set out

Your obedient servant,

Wm. H. ...

Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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412 MAYOR BLDG.
St. Alexander
& Mayor Sts.
PHONE LANCASTER 1445

LA FRANCE FIRE ENGINE & FOAMITE LIMITED

TORONTO

MONTREAL, QUE. Sept-24-1929.

Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Attention Mr. Paget.

Dear Sir:-

Thanks kindly for your order of the 21st inst.,
for Fire-Extinguisher Recharges to be shipped to the
Acting Indian Agent, The Pas, Manitoba.

Same will have our immediate attention.
Thanking you for courtesies of the past,
I remain,

Very truly yours,

LA FRANCE FIRE ENGINE & FOAMITE LTD.

PER. *Romeo*

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Department of Indian Affairs,

THE PAS, Manitoba.

Vote 7
Treaty 10

IN ACCOUNT WITH

UNDERWOOD & McLELLAN

CONSULTING ENGINEERS AND SURVEYORS

SEP 21 1929

THE PAS, MAN., Sept. 9th, 1929.

PLEASE ADD EXCHANGE IF NECESSARY

		DEBIT		CREDIT		BALANCE	
	To Engineer's Services - in connection with Proposed Residence at McKay School -		\$25.00				
	Services rendered, levels taken and blue prints supplied. Price just and fair, certified correct.						
	Voucher #208						
	<i>Dept. Authy 21/6/29</i> <i>128-157</i>						
	<i>3679-29</i>						
	<i>sent 3-10</i>						
	<i>Indian Agent.</i>						

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Letter No. 205-11A C.E.



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Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Indian Agency~~

September 24th, 1929.

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Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 208
from The Pas Agency,
amounting to \$25.00 in favour
of Underwood & McLellan, The Pas, Man.,
for Engineer's services, taking levels, etc.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 21st June, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham

Indian Commissioner.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called *Sep 1* 192*9* by letter Due *Sep 3* 192*9* Opened *1929* by *phume*

ARTICLES		FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE		REMARKS
		<i>Canada West</i>	<i>Wood Vallance - E. Carroll</i>	
<i>19 sets furniture DB</i>				
<i>19 for each left DB</i>				
<i>3 for 4" butts DB</i>				
<i>3 for 3 1/2" " DB</i>				
<i>18</i>				
<i>15 inside door sets Furniture DB</i>				
<i>3 sets - storm door "</i>				
<i>3 door Mat 5 Coat hooks DB</i>				
<i>3 for Butts Fly hinges</i>				
<i>5" 9" steel Butts</i>				
<i>9 embossed castles</i>				
<i>7 for turn buttons & screws</i>				
<i>8 for 3 1/2" turn nails</i>				
<i>1 keg 1 1/8 blind bath nails</i>				
<i>3 kegs 2 1/2" con nails</i>				
<i>50 lbs 5 in box nails</i>				
<i>15 v for 14 black wire</i>				
<i>10" 3" 2m nails</i>				
<i>20" 2 1/2" "</i>				
<i>15" 2" "</i>				
<i>2" 1 1/2" "</i>				
<i>1 pint liquid glue</i>				
<i>2-30" X 96"</i>				
<i>2 chimney turnbuckles</i>				
		<i>69.97</i>	<i>68.50</i>	<i>Wood Vallance</i>
			<i>68.50</i>	

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed.....
Dept. of.....
City or town..... Province.....
DATE.....

THE PAS. MAN. September 5, 1929.

M. Department of Indian Affairs, Per. Mr. J. W. Waddy,

Vote 7
Treaty 5

ight of **WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED**

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

SEP 21 1929

INTEREST AT 5 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE	PARTICULARS	CREDIT	DEBIT	BALANCE
	<i>Folio #153</i>			
	19 Only Sash Fasteners D. B.			1.34
	19 Prs. " Lifts D. B.			.52
	3 Prs. 4" Butts D. B.			.84
	18 Prs. 3 1/2" " D. B.			3.78
	15 Only Inside Door Sets D. B.			8.62
	3 Only Storm " " "			1.72
	3 Doz. Hat & Coat Hooks D. B.			1.89
	3 Prs. Butterfly Hinges 1 1/2"			.30
	5 Prs. 2 1/2" Steel Butts			.40
	9 Only Cupboard Catches			1.15
	7 Doz. Turn Buttons with screws			.70
	3 Kegs 3 1/2" Com. Nails			15.30
	1 Keg 1 1/8" Blued Nails			7.30
	3 Kegs 2 1/2" Com. Nails			14.55
	50 lbs. 2" Box. Nails			2.76
	15 lbs. No. 14 Black Wire			.90
	10 lbs. 3" Fin. Nails			.52
	20 lbs. 2 1/2" " " "			1.06
	15 lbs. 2" " " "			.83
	2 lbs. 1 1/2" " " "			.62
	1 1/2 Pt. Liquid Glue			.40
	2 Sheets 30 x 96 Galv. Iron 28 Ga.			2.80
	1 Only 7" Chimney Thimble			.10
	1 " 8" " " "			.10

EXAMINED and
found correct.

J. Bell

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3-10-29
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Dept. Auditor 12-1-5
June 21-1929

Goods supplied for Principal's residence at Mackay
School, price just and fair, certified correct.
Voucher #209

68.50

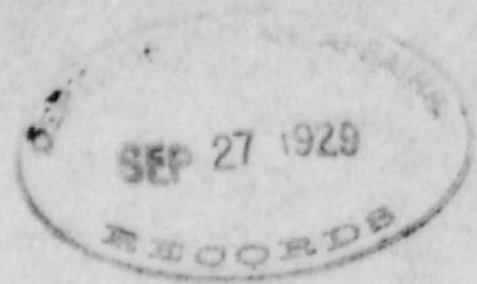
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Letter No. 205-11A C.E.



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Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Indian Agency~~

September 24th, 1929.

C. H. J.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 309
from The Pas Agency,
amounting to \$68.50 in favour
of Wood Vallance Ltd., The Pas, Man.,
for hardware for the Principal's residence at the
Mackay Indian Residential School. Abstract of Tenders
is attached.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

See

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 21st June, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]

W. M. Graham

Indian Commissioner.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

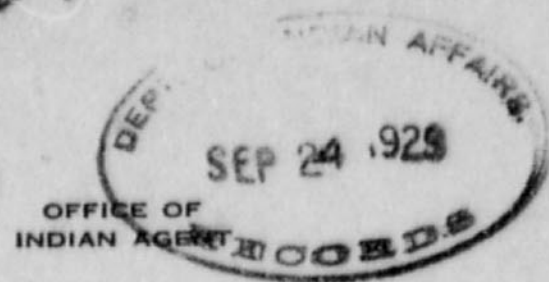
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



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210-135

The Pas, Man.
September 20th, 1929

[Signature]
Dear Sir:-

I beg to seek authority for the following
goods for the MacKay Indian Residential School,

6 lbs Bycarbonate of soda
16 ozs Commercial Sulphuric acid
for Gardene Extinguishers
2 Fire Hose 50ft. long by 1½ inch
2 Couplings (1 for nozzle-1 for hydrant)

I have the honor to recommend these goods
be supplied as soon, as possible.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature: J. B. Macdonell]
Indian Agent.

The Deputy & Secretary,
Dept of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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*Recd
for 2 cents under*

Ottawa, September 28, 1929.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 20th instant, requesting authority to purchase fire equipment for the use of the MacKay Indian Residential School.

In reply I have to say that you may arrange for the purchase and delivery of the following:

- 6 Lbs. Bicarbonate of soda,
- 16 Ozs. Commercial sulphuric acid for Guardene extinguishers,
- 2 Fire hose, 50' long by 1½",
- 2 Couplings (1 for nozzle and 1 for hydrant).

When the chemicals for the Guardene extinguishers are delivered, the Principal should see that the extinguishers are properly recharged and placed in good condition and ready for immediate use in case of fire.

After you have made the above purchases, you should forward an itemized account, in duplicate, properly certified, covering the cost.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. G. Tweddell, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

W. REGINA, SASK., 26th September, 1929.

Sir:-

Further to my letter of the 28th ultimo, in connection with the residing of the MacKay Indian Boarding School at the Pas Agency instead of painting it this year, for which the Department authorized an expenditure of \$800.00, I wish to inform you that I am just in receipt of a letter from Mr. W. G. Tweddell, Indian Agent, advising me that the work is progressing satisfactorily and that the carpenters are doing a first class job, but it is taking more time than was at first anticipated on account of having to draw every nail in the old siding before the new siding can be put on. It will, therefore, cost more than was anticipated. Mr. Waddy advised me that he thought it could be done for the \$800.00 authorized, but now I find that it will cost from \$1,025.00 to \$1,050.00. As the carpenters were on the work, I had no alternative but to authorize this expenditure. I trust that the Department will approve of my action in this connection.

Your obedient servant.

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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NIGHT LETTER

Form 6107, replacing Form N.L. 2-T.W.

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W. G. BARBER, GENERAL MANAGER

RECEIVER'S NO.

TIME FILLED

CHECK

Send the following Night Letter, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, October 1st, 1929.

W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

Church authorities strongly recommend open fireplace in
Principal's residence MacKay Residential School STOP If you have
not made arrangements for this please do so as Department considers
it advisable STOP If authorized immediately can be provided
without inconvenience to builder

J. D. McLEAN.

Chg. Dept. I.A.

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Day Letter	
Night Message	
Night Letter	
If none of these three symbols appears after the number of words the message is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.	

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THE SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS OTTAWA ONT

ACTING PRINCIPAL MACKAY SCHOOL REQUESTS OPEN FIRE PLACE BE BUILT
IN PRINCIPALS RESIDENCE STOP OUR COMMISSION STRONGLY URGE THE
PROVISION OF THIS COMFORT STOP IF AUTHORIZED IMMEDIATELY CAN BE
BUILT WITHOUT INCONVENIENCE TO CONTRACTOR STOP KINDLY GRANT
THIS REQUEST

WESTGATE.

This is a collect message, and
will be charged to your account
unless we are notified at once
to the contrary.



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Ottawa, October 1st, 1929.

Reverend Sir,-

I have your night letter of yesterday's date with reference to an open fireplace for the Principal's residence at the MacKay Indian Residential School. I immediately telegraphed to Mr. Indian Commissioner Graham, who is in charge of the construction of this building, asking him to arrange for this extra.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. T.B.R. Westgate, D.D.,
Field Secretary, M. S. C. C.,
39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

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Night Letter	N L

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C.N.T. 6296
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SECY DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

OTTAWA ONT

AM INFORMED IT WILL COST FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS TO PUT
FIREPLACE IN PRINCIPALS RESIDENCE MCKAY SCHOOL I CONSIDER
THIS UNNECESSARY PLEASE WIRE IF YOU STILL WISH IT TO BE
BUILT

W M GRAHAM.

1929 OCT 2 PM 5 27

FORM 6124

CLASS OF SERVICE SYMBOL

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Night Letter	

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W. G. BARBER, GENERAL MANAGER

RECEIVER'S NO.

TIME FILED

CHECK

Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, October 3, 1929.

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner, Regina, Sask.

Please provide fireplace principals
residence Mackay school.

J. D. McLEAN.

Chg. Dept. I. A.

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LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called.....	1929	by letter	Due	1929	Opened	Sept 3 rd	1929	by phone
135	Sept 1	1929	Sept 3	1929	Sept 3 rd	1929		

FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE

ARTICLES	Canada West Co.	Woods Vallerand - E. Carroll	REMARKS All of The 708.
4 gal. White Paint-outside			
10 " Dark Brown "			
14 " Green Shingle stain.			
1 " Black paint-outside			
3 " Golden Oak Stain			
7 " Floor Varnish			
3 " Shellac			
6 " Inside Clear Varnish			
10 lbs Putty	\$ 161 ⁹² / ₁₀₀	# 134 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀	No Bed.
12 sheets Sand Paper		R. W. Vallancey	

INDICATE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed _____

Dept of Indian Affairs

DATE / Oct 2nd 29

City or town Healdsburg Province California

THE PAS, MAN. Sept. 30th 1929

Vote 7
Treaty 5

M. Department of Indian Affairs,
The Pas, Man.

Bought of **WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED**
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

INTEREST AT 8 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE PARTICULARS Folio 1016 CREDIT DEBIT BALANCE

4 Gals. Outside White Paint	4.05		16.20
10 " Dark Brown "	3.75		37.50
15 " Shingle Stain S. O. S.	1.38		20.70
1 " Black House Paint			3.75
3 " Golden Yellow Stain	2.65		7.95
7 " Floor Varnish	2.75		19.25
3 " Shellac	3.75		11.25
6 " Inside Clear Varnish	2.75		16.50
10 Lbs. Putty			.70
12 Sheets Sand Paper			.20

For Principal Residence Mackay School
Goods supplied, price just and fair.
Certified correct. 134.00 ✓ R

Voucher #240. Indian Agent.
Deft Authy 128-1-5 2/16/29

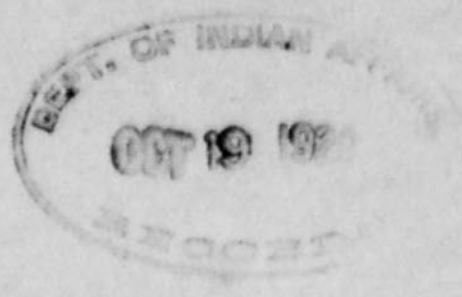
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Letter No. 205-11A C.E.



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Office of the Indian Commissioner.....~~Indian Agency~~

Check

.....October 16th, 1929.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 240
from The Pas Agency,

amounting to \$134.00.....in favour

of Wood Vallance Ltd., The Pas, Man.,.....

for paint for the Principal's residence, Mackay Indian
Residential School. Abstract of Tenders is attached hereto.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5.....dated 21st June, 1929.

[Signature]

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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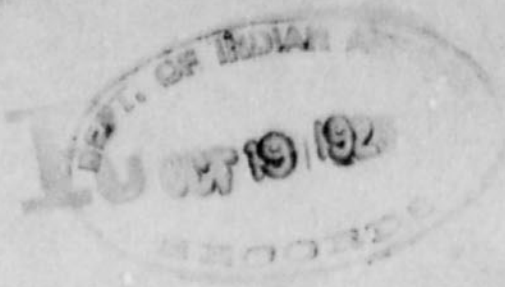
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Letter No. 205-11A.C.E.



128-1-5



Office of the Indian Commissioner.....~~Indian Agency,~~

.....October 16th, 1929..

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 273,
from The Pas Agency,

amounting to \$127.50.....in favour

of The Monarch Lumber Co. Ltd., The Pas, Man.,

for bevel siding to repair the Mackay Indian Residential
School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5.....dated 27th June, 1929.....

Your obedient servant,

Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

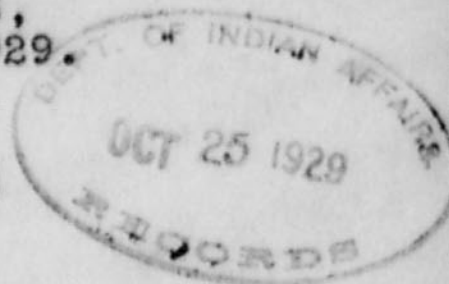
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EXTRACT FROM LETTER OF REV. T. B. R. WESTGATE, D. D.,
FIELD SECRETARY, M. S. C. C., 39-43 THE BIBLE HOUSE,
ALEXANDER AVE., WINNIPEG, MAN., dated October 9, 1929.

Orig. on 160-2



RESIDENTIAL SCHOOLS & IMPROVEMENTS, WHICH THE
M. S. C. C. DESIRE TO HAVE PROVIDED DURING
THE FISCAL YEAR 1930-31.

R

MACKAY

- (a) Main school building to be re-sided or brick veneered.
Estimated cost ? *done 1929 & expended 1930*
- (b) The question of the enlargement of this School so as to provide recreation room for the girls, etc., could conveniently be considered at the same time. (See the 1st sheet of this list)
- (b) Piggery. (See Departmental letter July 26, 1927, 128-1-5.
Estimated cost \$750.00.
- (c) New fence for girls' recreation yard.
Estimated cost \$200.00.
- (d) Telephone connection with The Pas.
Estimated cost \$2,500.00.
- (e) Motor truck.
Estimated cost \$1,000.00.
- (f) Paint and general repairs.
Estimated cost \$300.00.

The Chas. S. Dickens Co. Limited

Per..... Pres. & Manager

October 19th 1929

Vote 7
Treaty 5

Indian Department

The Pas Manitoba.

Invoice in Triplicate

October 19th Supplied for MacKay School

2. 50ft lengths of 1½" Underwriters Fire Hose
with couplings, & 2 extra couplings.

31 50

6 lbs Bicarbonate of soda, & 16 ozs sulphuric
acid for extinguishers

1 25
32 75

Goods supplied, price just and fair,
Certified correct.

Voucher #307

Indian Agent.

RECEIVED
F. Y. J. ...
30/10/29

Nov. 2/29.
4658

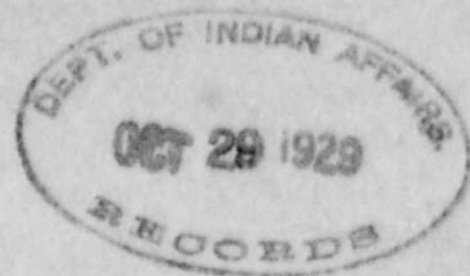
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Letter No. 307



128-1-5
R



Office of the The Pas Man., Indian Agency,

October 24th. 1929

C. J. [unclear]
Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 307
amounting to \$ 32.75 in favour
of C.S. Dickens Co. Ltd. The Pas Man.,
for Fire equipment for MacKay Indian Res. School, The Pas

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. 128-1-5 dated September 28th, 1929

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]

Indian Agent.

[Signature]
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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The Chas. S. Dickens Co. Limited

Per..... Pres. & Manager

October 19th 1929

Indian Department

Vote 7
Treaty 5

The Pas. Manitoba.

Invoice in Quadruplicate.

October 9th Supplied for MacKay School

7 sheets asbestos board 1" thick
9 iron supports 6ft long with holes drilled
and screws supplied @ 60¢

15 75

5 40

21 15

Goods supplied, price just and fair.
Certified correct.

Voucher #308

J. S. [Signature]
Indian Agent.

21.15
32.75
53.90

4658-

Sent Nov. 2/29.

EXAMINED AND
found correct.

M. O. [Signature]
30/10/29

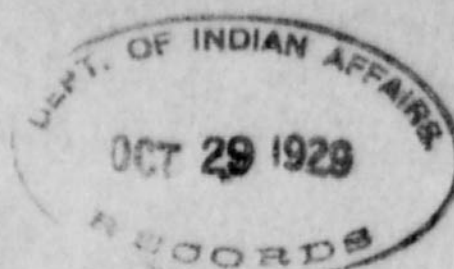
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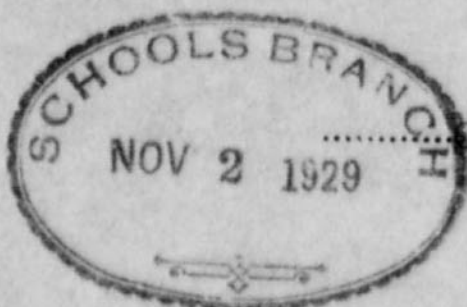
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128-1-5



Office of the The Pas Man., Indian Agency,



October 24th, 1929.

1. *[Signature]*
2. *[Signature]* Str,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 308

amounting to \$21.15 in favour

of C.S. Dickens Co. Ltd. The Pas Man.

for Fireproof slabs above furnace at MacKay School The Pas

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated September 10th, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]

[Signature]

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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Indian Agency.

The Pas, Manitoba.

The Pas, Man., October 12th, 1929.

Vote 7
Treaty 5

TO JOSEPH S. PRITCHARD,

THE PAS, MANITOBA.

Excavating from outside of foundation to inside
of basement of new house

22 feet

@ \$1.90 per foot

\$41.80

Pay to The Royal Bank of Canada, The Pas, Man.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

H. Logblan

Services rendered price just and fair,
Certified correct.

Voucher # 298

INDIAN AGENT.

4880

Joseph S. Pritchard

J. Swindell

Indian Agency

The Pas, Man.

The Pas, Man., October 12th, 1929.

Vote 7
Treaty 5

TO JOSEPH S. PRITCHARD,
THE PAS, MANITOBA.

Excavating Water Line - 395 feet @ \$1.90 per foot

- \$750.50

Pay to The Royal Bank of Canada

Services rendered, price just and fair
Certified correct.

Voucher #299

Indian Agent.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

H. Logblan

8880
Joseph S. Pritchard

Department of Indian Affairs,

The Pas, Man.

The Pas, Man., Oct. 22nd, 1929.

Vote 7 Treaty 5

TO JOSEPH S PRITCHARD
The Pas, Man.

46 feet of 6 inch sewer pipe and laying of same @ .80 per foot

- \$36.80

Services rendered, price just and fair
Certified correct.

J. Swadlow
4880
Voucher #297 Indian Agent,
Make cheque payable to The Royal
Bank of Canada, The Pas, Man.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

H. Loghlan

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The Pas, Man., Oct. 22nd, 1929.

Department of Indian Affairs,

The Pas, Man.

Vote 7
Treaty 5

TO JOSEPH S FRITCHARD
The Pas, Man.



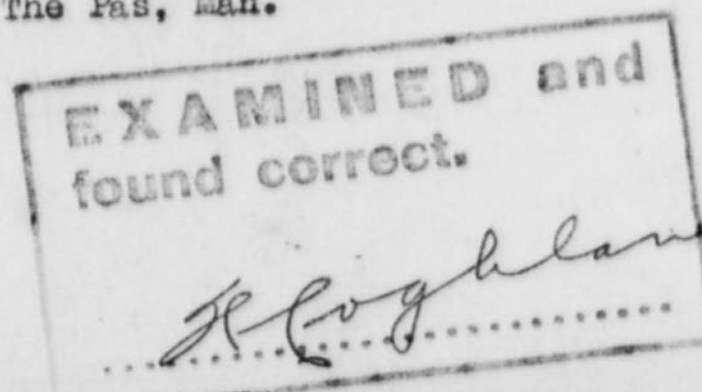
395 feet of 3/4 inch galvanized pipe and laying of same @ .25 per foot - \$98.75

Services rendered, price just and fair,
Certified correct.

Voucher #296

J. F. Fitchard
Indian Agent.

Make cheque payable to The Royal
Bank of Canada, The Pas, Man.



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The Pas, Man., Sept 17/29
Vote 7
Treaty 5

Dept Of Indian Affairs,

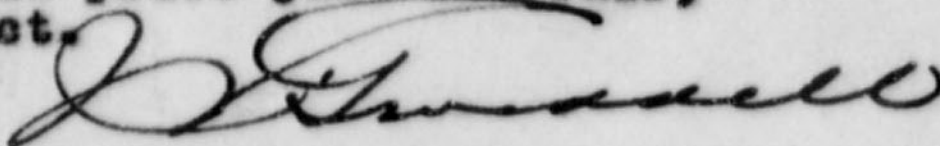
The Pas, Man.

In account with J. Pritchard,
The Pas, Man.

Pay to The Royal Bank of Canada, The Pas
for my account.

To excavating fifty feet sewer line house
to septic tank at \$1.90 per foot \$95.00

Services rendered price just and fair,
Certified correct.

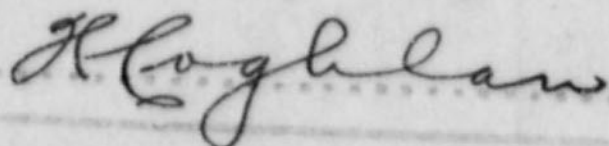


Indian Agent.

Voucher #235.

4880

EXAMINED and
found correct.



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Vote 7
Treaty 5

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

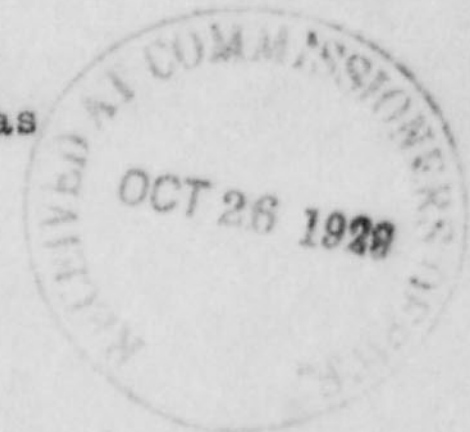
The Pas, Man.

In account with J. Pritchard,
The Pas, Man.

Pay to The Royal Bank of Canada, The Pas
for my account.

To excavating septic tank 24 yards

at \$2.00 \$48.00



Services rendered, price just and fair,
Certified correct.

Indian Agent.

Voucher #234.

4880

EXAMINED and
found correct.

...H. Loghlan...

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The Pas, Man., Sept. 17/29.

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Vote 7
Treaty 5

The Pas, Man.

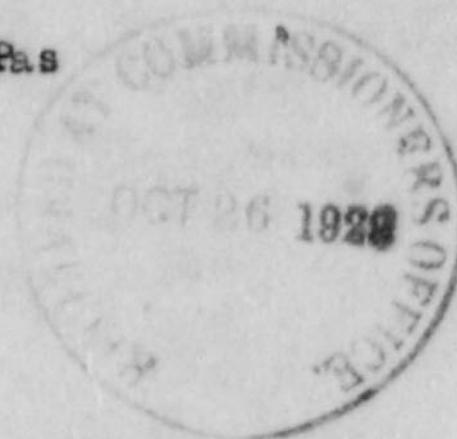
In account with J. Pritchard,

The Pas, Man.

Pay to The Royal Bank of Canada, The Pas
for my account.

To excavating basement 143 yards at

\$1.75 per yard. \$250.25



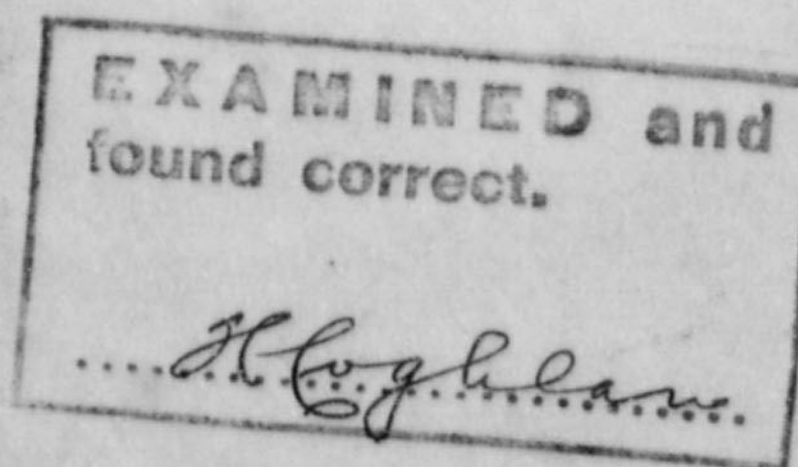
Services rendered, price just and fair,
Certified correct

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Voucher #233

Indian Agent.

4880



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The Pas, Man., Sept. 17/29.

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Vote 7
Treaty 5

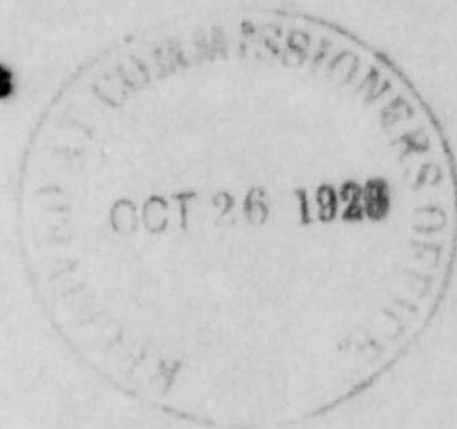
The Pas, Man.

In account with J. Pritchard,

The Pas, Man.

Pay to The Royal Bank of Canada, The Pas
for my account.

To excavating footing for foundation 137 feet
at 90¢ per foot \$123.30



Services rendered, price just and fair,
Certified correct.

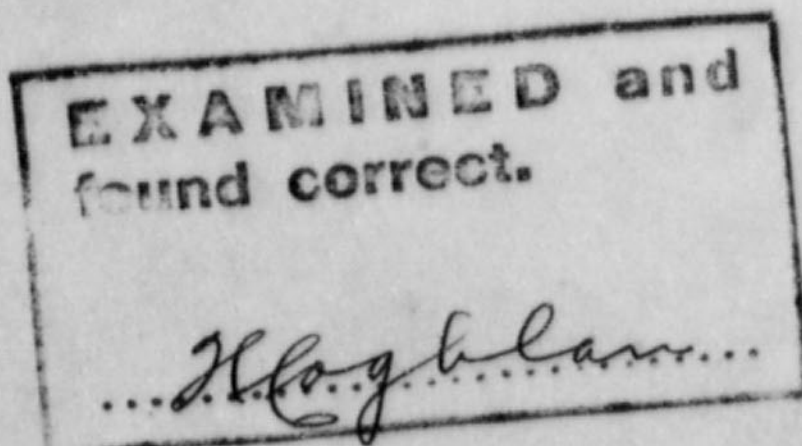
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Indian Agent

Voucher #232

4880

Sept 14-11-29.



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Assignment of Moneys Due from Particular Contracts or Accounts.

In Consideration of advances now ^{and} _{or} hereafter to be made by **The Royal Bank of Canada** to the undersigned, the undersigned hereby assign, transfer and set over unto **The Royal Bank of Canada** all moneys, claims, rights and demands whatsoever which the undersigned may now, or at any time hereafter, have or be entitled to in respect of or incidental to or resulting from the following contracts, agreements or accounts and in respect of interest, costs and expenses in connection therewith namely:—

Contract for excavating, pipe laying, etc., at Mackay Indian School.
Tender for which was accepted by J. W. Waddy, Indian Agent in his letter dated September 4th, 1929.



with full power to the said Bank to demand and receive said moneys, and to give valid and binding receipts therefor; and also with power to the Bank at any time to compound with or release any of the parties liable on the said contracts or agreements, and to sue for said moneys.

In Witness Whereof the undersigned has hereunto set his hand and seal.

Dated at The Pas, Man. this Eleventh day

of September 19 29.

WITNESS

W. E. H. Hargman
Joseph S. P. P. P.



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

ED

REGINA, SASK. October 28th, 1929.

Sir:-

I beg to forward herewith and recommend for payment The Pas Agency vouchers as shown below, amounting to \$1444.40, in favour of The Royal Bank of Canada, The Pas, Man., as per assignments attached, given by Joseph S. Pritchard, for labour and material supplied in connection with the Principal's residence, MacKay School, as shown on the vouchers, and accompanied by Mr. Pritchard's various tenders.

The arrangement for the work was prepared by Mr. Waddy after consultation with The Pas City Engineer, and was done at a per foot basis for excavation of water line and septic tank, and cubic yard basis for cellar. The excavating is done through limestone shale and has to be picked - not a loose shovelful of material in the whole job. This is making the excavation work very expensive. Mr. Pritchard has all his own equipment, cooking outfit, etc. on the ground.

Vr. No.	232	Excavating for foundation	\$123.30 ✓
"	233	" basement	250.25 ✓
"	234	" septic tank	48.00 ✓
"	235	" sewer line, house to tank.	95.00 ✓
"	296	Galvanized Pipe	98.75 ✓
"	297	Sewer Pipe	36.80 ✓
"	298	Excavating outside to inside basement	41.80 ✓
"	299	" water line	750.50 ✓
			<u>\$ 1444.40</u> ✓

Department authority is dated 21st June, 1929,
Letter No. 128-1-5.

Your obedient servant,

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. INSPECTOR HAMILTON,
DATED OCTOBER 31st, 1929, ON THE MACKAY INDIAN
RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL.

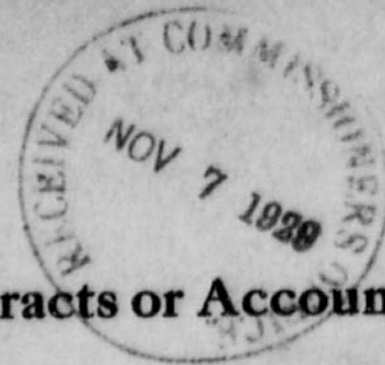
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The new house being erected for the Principal of the Mackay School was well along, being practically closed in, and the lathing was being started on the day I left. The house is 24 x 26, with 4 bedrooms and a bathroom upstairs and 1 small bedroom, kitchen, pantry, dining-room, living room and hall downstairs. The work, up to the present, has been well done, and the house, no doubt, will be warm and comfortable. The difficulties experienced in digging the septic tank and outlet have been very expensive, due to the rock formations. I instructed the Principal to have all drains and outlets covered with manure and old hay to prevent freezing, and if these instructions are carried out, I do not think any trouble will be experienced.

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In Witness Whereof the undersigned ha^s hereunto set **his** hand and seal.

Dated at.....**The Pas, Man.**.....this.....**Eleventh**.....day.....

of.....**September**.....19..**29**..

WITNESS

[Signature: Bergman]
[Signature: Lett Murray]

[Signature: Joseph S. Pitchard]

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The Pas, Man., Nov. 4/29

Department of Indian Affairs,
The Pas, Man.,

Dear Sirs;

To excavating at the Indian School Residence.

325' of ditch at \$1.90 per foot
 325' of ditch lowered 18" deeper than
 the original contract at 75¢ per foot
 4' Glazed tile at 80¢ per foot
 321' drain tile at 30¢
 increasing depth of septic tank in rock
 two feet six inches as per contract

\$617.50

225
 248.75
 3.20
 96.30

25.00
 558.75

PAY TO THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA. THE PAS. MANITOBA.

Joseph P. Puttard 18/11/29
 SUPPLIES AND WORK PERFORMED ON RESIDENCE AT MACHAY INDIAN RES.
 SCHOOL. PRICE JUST AND FAIR. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER #324

EXAMINED and

INDIAN AGENT.

Dept. authy
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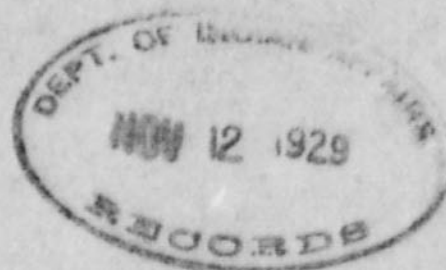
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2/6/29

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Letter No. 205-11A C.E.



Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Manitoba~~

[Signature]
November 8th, 1929.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 324
from The Pas Agency,

amounting to \$ 985.75 in favour

of Royal Bank of Canada, The Pas, Man.,

for excavating ditch etc. & supplying tile for the Principal's residence, Mackay Indian Residential School by Jos. Pritchard. Tenders on work went forward with Vouchers 234 & 235 on Oct. 28th. This completes the excavating. Assignment of monies to Bank is attached.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 21st June, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]

[Signature]

Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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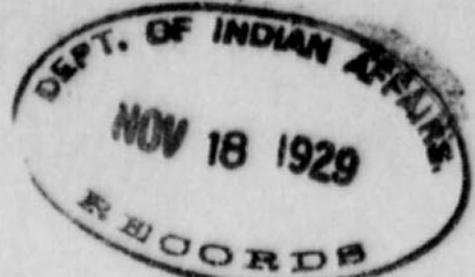
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. **205-11A C.E.**
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

[Handwritten signature]

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
REGINA, SASK., Nov. 15, 1929

Sir,

I beg to ask for an accountable advance cheque of \$350.00 to complete payments in connection with the McKay School Principal's residence.

*sent 21-11-29
5060*

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten initials]

[Handwritten signature: W.M. Graham]
W.M. Graham.
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

[Handwritten signature]

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COPY.

The Pas, Man.,
Nov. 9/29.

Mr. MacNamara.

Dear Sir:

I thought I would inform you that I was out to the Big Eddie School and looked over the new House, found three small defects in the wiring and had them put right while I was there.

The School was under quarantine so was unable to see inside but I could see they have the Brass Rod System to slide down from each storey. There is some plumbing being done and should be looked over in the near future.

Everything was in A 1 condition other than the 2 small overlooks.

Yours truly,

(SGD) A.Gardiner.

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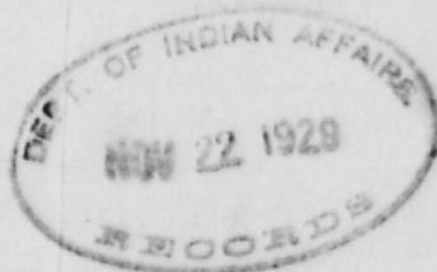


DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
DEPUTY MINISTER
WINNIPEG

November 19th, 1929.

*Architect
S. J. [unclear]*

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Dominion Government,
Ottawa, ONTARIO.



Dear Sir:-

I attach copy of letter received from A. Gardiner, who is the Building Inspector for the Town of The Pas, which has reference to the new industrial school being built at Big Eddy.

The circumstances in connection with the matter are that we were asked to inspect the wiring in this building from a fire prevention point of view, and made arrangements with Mr. Gardiner to do so, and you will note that with the exception of one or two defects the wiring is all right, and that Mr. Gardiner now offers to inspect the plumbing.

There is no Provincial legislation dealing with plumbing, and I have so advised Mr. Gardiner, but I thought possibly you would like to make use of his services.

Reference is made to the brass rod fire escape system. This, as an efficient fire escape, went out of date in Manitoba long ago and the only fire escape we consider satisfactory is the stairway type or better still, the metal chute, and I am just wondering if this pole system should not be condemned.

I appreciate that the Provincial authorities have no jurisdiction in the matter of a Federal Government building, but thought that you would be glad to have me call your attention to this item of fire escapes.

Yours very truly,

A. MacLennan
ASSISTANT DEPUTY MINISTER.

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Folio.....

Statement

Vote
Treaty 5

Nov 18 1929

Indian Department
The Pas

In Acc't with The Pas Workshop

Terms The Pas

Oct 30 2 Bars of steel
for fire place 2.00
for Mc Kay Residence

Goods supplied price just and fair,
Certified correct.

[Signature]

Voucher#351

Indian Agent.

Dept authy 128-1-5 21/6/29

29-11-29. 5276

EXAMINED and
found correct.

[Signature]

Letter No. 205-11A C.E.



Office of the Indian Commissioner.....~~Indian Agency~~

November 21st, 1929.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 351
from The Pas Agency,

amounting to \$2.00.....in favour

of The Pas Workshop, The Pas, Man.,

for 2 steel bars for the fireplace, Principal's residence,
Mackay Indian Residential School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5..... dated 21st June, 1929.

Sub pay
Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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The Pas, Manitoba,
November 18th, 1929.

IN ACCOUNT WITH J. P. DRINNAN. THE PAS MANITOBA.
TO THE INDIAN DEPARTMENT. THE PAS MANITOBA.
RE HOUSE AT MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL. THE PAS. MAN.

Sept. 30

Hire of one man to run concrete mixer and hire of mixer
for basement of residence..... 20 hours \$40.00

Services rendered, price just and fair,
Certified correct.

J. P. Drinnan

Voucher #352

Indian Agent.

Dept Audit 125-1-5

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Sent 3-12-29

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21/6/29
and
5 and correct
M. O. L. ...
21/6/29

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Letter No. 205-11A C.E.



128-1-5



Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~at Mackay~~

November 25th, 1929.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 352
from The Pas Agency,

amounting to \$ 40.00 in favour

of J. P. Drinnan, The Pas, Man.,

for hire of concrete mixer and man to run it - 20 hours,
Principal's residence, Mackay Indian Residential School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 21st June, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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THE CANADIAN OFFICE & SCHOOL FURNITURE CO, 128-1-5-

ORDER NO. 42236

Their Order No.

Terms **net**

Date **November 25, 1929.**

Sold To **Department of Indian Affairs, Canada, Ottawa, Ont.**

Ship To **W. G. Tweddell, Indian Agent, The Pas., Man.**

Ship Via **C.N.R.**

When **S.A.P.**

Date Shipped

Remarks **Invoice in duplicate to Mr. Tweddell.**

DEPT. OF IND.
NOV 25 1929
RECORDS

INVOICE

acknowledgement of your
an exact copy as we have
ordered it. If not correct, kindly ad-
vise us at once.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	AMOUNT
6	No. 1 B.B.A. single desks	7.50	45.00
1	No. 1 " " " front		6.50
1	No. 1 " " " rear		6.50
6	No. 2 " " " desks	7.50	45.00
1	No. 2 " " " front		6.50
1	No. 2 " " " rear		6.50
12	No. 3 " " " desks	7.25	87.00
2	No. 3 " " " fronts	6.50	13.000
2	No. 3 " " " rears	6.50	13.00
	K.D. f.o.b. The Pas		229.00
	Ornamental standards		
		tax included	

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THE PAS. MANITOBA.
NOVEMBER 20th, 1929.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS. THE PAS. MANITOBA.
IN ACCOUNT WITH G. H. HALLIDAY. THE PAS. MANITOBA.

Re.  ON HOUSE AT MACKAY INDIAN SCHOOL. THE PAS MANITOBA.

TO BUILDING FIREPLACE AS PER CONTRACT.....	\$ 120.00
TO LATHING AND PLASTERING AS PER CONTRACT.....	243.20
TO BUILDING FURNACE AND CHIMNEY PER CONTRACT.....	45.00
	<u>\$ 398.20</u>

COPY OF SIGNED CONTRACT ATTACHED HERewith
SERVICES RENDERED PRICE JUST AND FAIR.
CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER #353

INDIAN AGENT.

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Letter No. 205-11A C.E.



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Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Indian Agency~~

November 25th, 1929.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 353
from The Pas Agency,

amounting to \$ 398.20 in favour

of G. H. Halliday, The Pas, Man.,

for building fireplace, furnace & chimney, lathing &
plastering in the Principal's residence, Mackay Indian
Residential School, as per contract attached.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 21st June, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Mr. Lyon
DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
THE PAS AGENCY
THE PAS

MANITOBA.

In Acct with A. Rivalin

Terms THE PAS MAN.

RECEIVED AT C.M.A.
NOV 29 1928

Sept	30	Taking concrete mixer				
		to Mackey School				
		residence	5	00		
Oct	6	Bringing mixer back				
		to the Pas	5	00	10	00

Services rendered, price just and fair.
Certified correct.

[Signature]

Voucher #361

Indian Agent.

Dept Aukley 128-1-5

24/6/29

Sent 7/2/29

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[Signature]

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found correct.

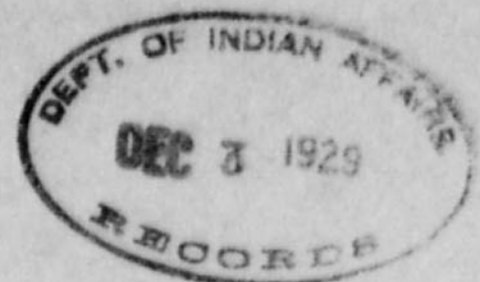
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Letter No. 205-11A C. E.

Office of the Indian Commissioner..... ~~Indian Agency~~

W. G. L.



November 29th, 1929.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 361
from The Pas Agency,
amounting to \$10.00 in favour
of A. Rivalin, The Pas, Man.,

for hauling the concrete mixer to and from The Pas, for use
at the Mackay Indian Residential School, Principal's
residence.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 21st June, 1929.

Sub paid

Your obedient servant,

W. G. L.
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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~~November 1929.~~

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M The Department of Indian Affairs.

In Acct. with HILL & FRYER
Per The Pas.

Per... **The Pas.****Terms:**

1929.									
Octr	21	<u>McKay Boarding School.</u>							
		1 piece	1" pipe	18 feet					
		1	:	:	6	:			
		1	:	:	3	:	27 feet @ 16¢	4.32	
		4 Elbows	1" @ 20¢					.80	
		1 Tee	1" @ 30¢					.30	
GOODS SUPPLIED PRICE JUST AND FAIR. CERTIFIED CORRECT.									
								\$5.42	
VOUCHER #377		INDIAN AGENT.		5891					
				Order #205-11A.C.E. Sept. 15th.					
		Dept Aubrey		EX-125 50 and 7/6/29					
				found correct.					
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Letter No. 205-11A C.E.

Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Indian Agency~~

December 13th, 1929

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 377, from The Pas Agency,

amounting to \$5.42 in favour

of Hill & Fryer, The Pas, Man.

for 27 ft. 3/4" water pipe replaced in the MacKay School for connections to the Principal's residence, the old pipes being rusted through.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 27th June, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

INDIAN EDUCATION

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Indian Commissioner.

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CHAS. W. HILL
The Pas.
Man.

W. G. Tweddell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Dear Sir,

In accordance with your request of yesterday, I duly visited the McKay School and have the following report:-

"The wiring in Mr. Turner's room does not show any defects. There is a small amount of current between conduit and one side of circuit, also between steam pipes and one side of circuit, but not sufficient to cause a fire. This is due to induction, as there is no short circuit.

The wiring for the top floor is not in conduit (in the attic), but should be as the ceiling is metal lathed, and knob & tube wiring is not allowable where metal lath or metallic ceiling is employed.

This constitutes a fire hazard and I consider it possible for a small arc to exist between the end of metal lath and building paper on the outside wall, connection to earth being made by frost or dampness on the paper, carrying the current. This would burn slowly, and a small portion of smoldering paper falling down between walls to plate on next floor could cause a fire. There is some evidence of the metal lath being heated at one spot, and there was fire between the studding.

Outside of this I could not detect anything likely to cause the fire from the Electrical service.

I noticed that all the lighting outlets on the conduit sections have metal covers with unbushed holes for the drop cord.

This is in-correct as in time the insulation will wear and cause a short. In several places the drop cord shows sign of wearing.

I found some joints in wiring not soldered.

It is peculiar that the Top Floor is wire in knob & tube, while the basement, first and second floors are wire in conduit.

I would respectfully suggest that the top floor be properly wired in conduit, and the whole conduit system bonded together and efficiently grounded.

The metal covers on lighting outlet boxes replaced with porcelain covers, the drop cord examined throughout, and also the joints in wiring.

Respectfully submitted,

(Sgd) Chas. W. Hill.

The Pas, Manitoba,
December, 21st, 1929.

503-135

Dear Sir:-

I am enclosing a report from Mr. Hill, electrician which will explain itself.

I thought it would be much better to have inspection done by an expert, and if there was any defect in the wiring it could be remedied at your discretion, and prevent any recurrence of the trouble.

I presume that the buildings are insured and that an inspector will view the building, so as to fix damages etc.

In the meantime I can assure you that all necessary precautions are being observed.

I am pleased to inform you that everybody worked well including the carpenters, Dr. Robertson and the children were splendid.

The water supply from the pumps was poor as the cylinder is out of order. It seems that this cannot be remedied as the cylinder is down 62 feet and is joined to the casing. The only remedy would seem to be a new well drilled.

Happily the fire started at noon otherwise it might have been more serious.

I would estimate damage at \$500.00.

Awaiting your approval and instructions.

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) W. G. Tweddell,
Indian Agent.

W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

W. REGINA, SASK., 24th December, 1929.

Sir:-

I enclose copy of a letter received from Mr. W. G. Tweddell, dated the 21st December, with the enclosure from Mr. Hill, the electrician to whom he refers. Mr. Tweddell telegraphed me on the 19th instant, reporting a fire which had taken place at the Mackay School, and indicating that a report was following, and I take it that the letter, copy of which I now enclose, purports to be Mr. Tweddell's report. I am requesting him to submit fuller information in regard to the out-break of the fire. In the meanwhile, it would appear that the repairs intimated by the electrician should be carried out to ensure the safety of the school building.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



*forward this
to Mr. Hill
re: repairs.
Account, not
Sketch proposal*

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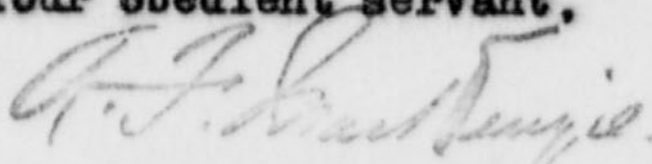
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Ottawa, December 30, 1929.

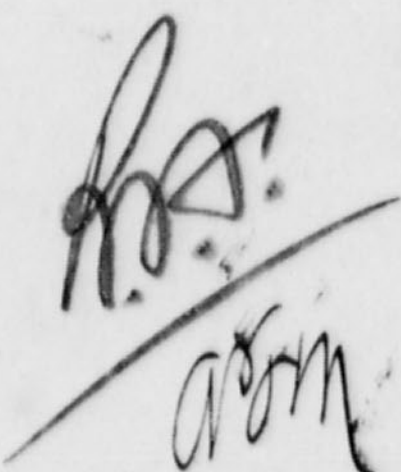
Sir:

I have your 205-11A C.E. of the 24th instant, with enclosures, relative to a recent fire at the MacKay Indian Residential School. When you receive the full report regarding the outbreak, please forward it to the Department. You may make whatever repairs are really necessary and you should secure an estimate of the cost of the electrician's proposals and send it to the Department for its consideration.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.



W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

Box 519.

The Pas, Man.
MOOSE JAW, SASK. Dec. 19th

1929

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The MacKay School, Per Indian Department.

The Pas Manitoba

IN ACCOUNT
WITH**Frost Bros.**Vote
Treaty7
5PLUMBING, HEATING, TINSMITHING AND
SHEET METAL WORKWILLIAMS
OILOMATIC
HEATING

Accounts due when rendered

10% Interest Charged on Overdue Accounts

S. B. Seare, Limited, Toronto 43407

1929.

Oct.

5 To Septic Tank Fittings
built ready for install-
ation.

1 Anthes Syphon trap	18.80
3 4x4 T Y's	6.30
1 4 x 1/2 bend	1.15
9' 4" Soil pipe.	7.65
Lead and Oakum	5.40
Plumber & Helper 4 hrs.	10.00
Express charges	3.75
2 Manhole Frames & corners.	15.00

All as per order
dated Oct. 1st, 1929.

Dec.

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To installing plumbing
heating and electrical
work as per estimate
of Sept. 25th, 1929.

686.00 954.05

Goods supplied and work performed price just and
fair. Certified correct.

Voucher #406

Indian Agent.

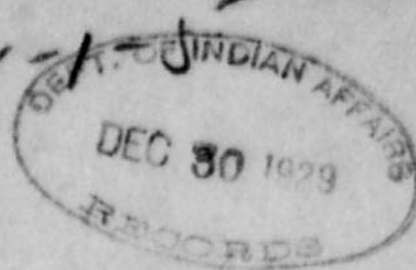
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Letter No. 205-11A C.E.

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Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Indian Agency~~

27th December 1929

[Handwritten signature]

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 406
from the Pas Agency, with abstract of
tenders
amounting to \$ 954.05 in favour

of Frost Brothers, The Pas, Manitoba

for expense re installing septic tank Principal's
residence, Mackay Indian Residential School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 21st June, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

INDIAN EDUCATION

[Handwritten signature]

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Indian Commissioner.

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THE PAS. MAN. December 20th 19

M Department of Indian Affairs, The Pas, Man.

VOTE 7
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ht of **WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED**
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

INTEREST AT 5 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE	PARTICULARS	CREDIT	DEBIT	BALANCE
	Mackay School			
Nov. 22nd	50 Lbs. 2½" Flooring Nails 6.25		3.13	
	10 Lbs. 2½" Finishing Nails		.70	3.83
Dec. 20th	1 Pr. 2½" Light Narrow Butts DB		.18	
	4 Drawer Pulls DB .06		.24	
	7 Prs. Butterfly Hinges 1" AC .15		1.05	
	1 Pr. Light Tee Hinges (with screws)		.20	
	1 Thumb Latch #2		.18	1.85
	Dept. Auth. 128-1-5, dated 20th June, 1929.		\$ 5.68	5.68 ✓

GOODS SUPPLIED PRICE JUST AND FAIR. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER #416

INDIAN AGENT?

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found correct.

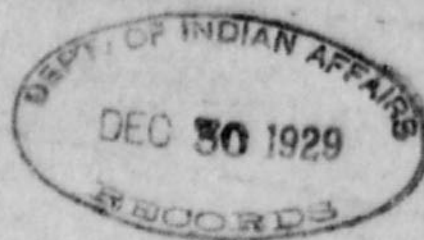
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Letter No. 205-11A C.E.

Office of the Indian Commissioner Indian Agency,

26th December 1929

Carroll

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 416
from the Pas Agency

amounting to \$5.68 in favour

of Wood, Vallance Limited, The Pas, Manitoba

for finishing fixtures for residence at Mackay Indian
Residential School, The Pas, Manitoba.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 20th June, 1929.

6365

Your obedient servant,

Wm. G. Ham

Indian Commissioner.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Carroll

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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R

The Pas, Manitoba,
January 7th, 1930.

540-135

Dear Sir:-

Re: Fire at MacKay Indian Residential School.

In reply to your letter #205-11A C.E. of the 3rd. instant, asking for more accurate account of the fire at the above named school, I beg to reply as follows,

The opinion of those who visited the rooms which were damaged is that the fire started in Miss Cole's room between the outside and inside walls and that fire dropped down between the walls in Mr. Turner's room.

It was impossible when I got there to locate the exact spot where the fire started, as all the woodwork was charred and chopped and torn out, also part of the floor. Mr. Fraser had been in Mr. Turner's room just a short time before, and there was no sign of fire there then. Miss Cole who was sick and confined to her room smelled smoke first and gave the alarm.

It seems impossible to give an exact cause, no fire was being used in the rooms as they are heated by steam. As the fire was between the walls the only source from which it could emanate would be the wiring or spontaneous combustion. Mr. Turner claims that the power was off at the time, as he was charging the batteries, but fire could smolder for a long time before it would flame. Boxed in between the walls once it broke into flame it would form a draft and spread rapidly.

My estimate of damages given you was a liberal one on account of claim for insurance. The damage is caused more by tearing, chopping and water - which was not spared. Mr. Turner's room has a metal ceiling which is not much damaged but Miss Cole's room was a plaster ceiling and the water has made it all fall so that it will have to be replastered also some of the walls in both rooms. A small portion of the floor in each room has been chopped and in such shape that more will have to be taken up for repairs. I do not think that the joists are much damaged, merely charred, that is where they can be seen.

I have again discussed the wiring and probable sources of fire with Mr. Hill and he states that he cannot definitely place the cause of the fire but considers the wiring unsafe especially on the top floor where it does not comply with regulations. I have asked Mr. Hill to make a report suggesting the repairs and alterations required also the cost of same which I will forward to you as soon as possible. Mr. C. S. Dickens is the only other electrician in The Pas.

Your obedient servant,

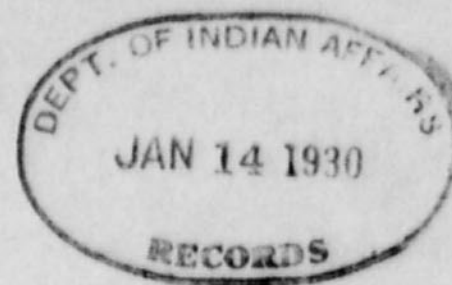
(Sgd) W. G. Tweddell,

Indian Agent.

W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.



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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

W. REGINA, SASK., 10th January, 1930;

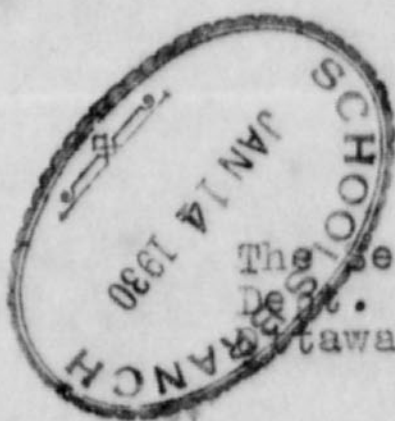
Sir:-

noted

I now enclose a more detailed and coherent report from Mr. W. G. Tweddell, Indian Agent at the Pas, concerning the out-break of fire at the MacKay Indian Residential School. I have directed the Agent to repair the damage that has been done and when he forwards me an estimate of the cost of repairing the wiring system, I will send it on to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.



The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

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No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

W. REGINA, SASK. 16th January, 1930.

Sir:-

I beg to advise the Department that I am in receipt of a letter from the Indian Agent informing me that the senior classroom in the MacKay Indian Residential School has burlap instead of wainscot and this is full of holes and unsightly. The Agent suggests covering this part of the wall with metal, but I certainly would not recommend it. If this repair is considered necessary, a joint wainscot should be put in, but personally I think it is a matter that can stand for the present.

Your obedient servant,

no funds

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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ALL CLAIMS MUST BE MADE ON RECEIPT OF GOODS

INTEREST AT 8% CHARGED ON
OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

D. J. LADD AND COMPANY

BUILDING PAPERS, PREPARED ROOFINGS, ASPHALT SHINGLES, BUILDING FELTS,
WALL BOARDS, INSULATIONS, ROOF CEMENTS, PAINTS AND STAINS,
SHEET METAL PRODUCTS, ETC., ETC.

OFFICE AND WAREHOUSE:
107 HANNATYNE AVENUE, E.

VOTE 7
Treaty 5

JAN 23 1930

WINNIPEG, MAN., December 23rd. 1929

SOLD TO Dept Indian Affairs

The Pas, Man

Register No. 4054

Your Order

Pas Sale Reg. No.
#1237

Terms Net

Ex Pas Warehouse

42 Ft.

Galvanized Corner Bead

30-1-30

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F.O.B. Pas

GOODS RECEIVED FOR MACKAY RESIDENCE RECEIVED PRICE JUST AND FAIR
CERTIFIED CORRECT.

K. P. Thomas

VOUCHER #446

INDIAN AGENT.

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File No. 205-11A C. E.



Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Indian Agency~~

Amst
January 23rd, 1930.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 446
from The Pas Agency,

amounting to \$2.31 in favour

of D. J. Ladd & Co., Winnipeg, Man.,

for galvanized corner bead for the Principal's residence
MacKay Indian Residential School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 21st June, 1929.

INDIAN EDUCATION
Your obedient servant,

Amst
Indian Commissioner.

Pay
The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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D REGINA, SASK., January 21st, 1930.

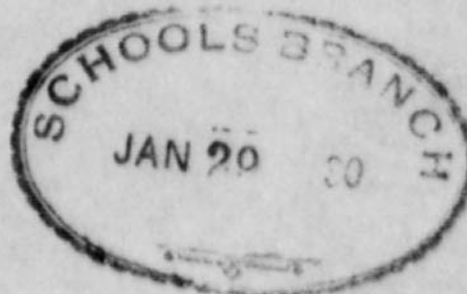
Sir:-

With reference to your No. 128-1-5, of the 30th. ultimo, I am now in receipt of a letter from Mr. Tweddell, Indian Agent at The Pas, in which he gives an estimate of \$375.00 for the re-wiring of the McKay Indian Residential School, which estimate was submitted by Mr. C.W.Hill, electrician at The Pas. I would ask for authority to have this work proceeded with.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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*Adm
See under*

Ottawa, January 29, 1930.

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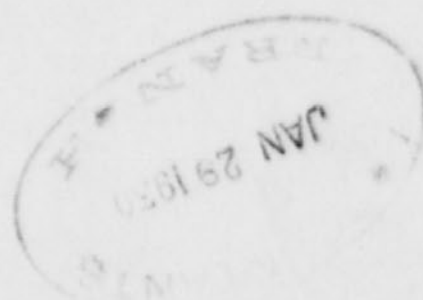
I have your No. 205-11A C.E. of the 21st instant, relative to the estimate of \$375.00 which you received from Mr. Indian Agent Tweddell, The Pas, for the rewiring of the MacKay Indian Residential School.

In this connection I have to say that the funds at our disposal for the balance of the present fiscal year are extremely limited, and unless these repairs are urgent they would have to stand over until early next Spring. If after enquiry you are assured that the rewiring is urgent, you may arrange to have same carried out in accordance with the report submitted by the electrician, Chas. W. Hill, and forwarded under cover of your letter of December 24th, last. It is hoped, however, that it will be possible to have this work remain in abeyance until our new appropriation for the next fiscal year is available.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.



Copy

606-135

The Pas, Manitoba,
January 24th, 1930.

Dear Sir:-

I have received a request from the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, for a punch-ball, two sets of boxing gloves, some ropes for climbing purposes and a horizontal bar.

Mr. White the Farm Instructor has been teaching the boys drills, and reports the boys have taken very well to this. Should you grant this request I may say that the boys play-room could very easily be made into a small gymnasium, as the boys certainly require the exercises.

I may say that the boys have not much to amuse themselves with after school hours and certain work duties have been performed, and I beg to suggest that the above mentioned articles be supplied to them,

Awaiting your instructions.

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) W. G. Tweddell,

Indian Agent,

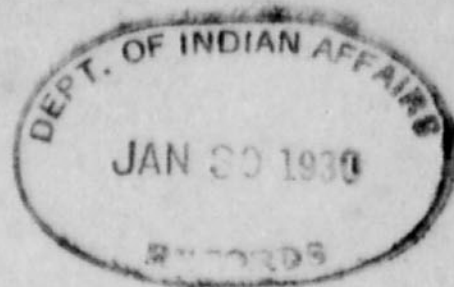
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Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

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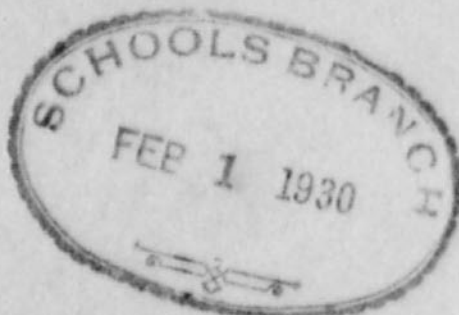
IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

W. REGINA, SASK., 27th January, 1930.



[Handwritten signature]
Sir:-

I enclose copy of a letter received from Mr. Tweddell requesting some gymnasium equipment for the MacKay school. May I please receive the Department's instructions in the matter.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: W. M. Graham]

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W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, February 1, 1930.

Sir:

I have your 205-11A C.E. of the 27th ultimo, enclosing a communication from Mr. Agent Tweddell requesting that gymnasium equipment be supplied for the use of the MacKay Indian Residential School.

In this connection I have to say that the Department has no funds available to provide for the cost of this equipment. I may say that the Department supplied this school last Spring with basket ball and playground ball equipment.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

Vote No.

Treaty No.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

To W. M. Graham "In Trust",

Indian Commissioner,

Regina, Sask.

CREDIT VOUCHER

DATE 1929.	SERVICE	AMOUNT
	<u>Re Mackay Indian Residential School and Principal's Residence, The Pas Agency.</u>	
Sept. 9	To accountable advance - Re residence, Ck. 3034	2,000.00
" 16	" " " - Re-siding Sch." 3154	350.00
Nov. 25	" " " - Re residence, " 5060	350.00
		<u>\$ 2,700.00</u>
	<u>EXPENDITURE</u>	<u>RECEIPT NO.</u>
Sept. 7	J.W. Waddy - Advance-re-siding school	89383 350.00
" 20	" - Refund of amt. paid Constant	89418 27.00
" 20	W.G. Tweddell - Advance re labour	89420 1,623.00
Oct. 15	Pat Constant - Hauling gravel	89469 57.00
Nov. 8	Pat Constant - Supplying & Hauling gravel.	89497 36.00
" 16	W.G. Tweddell - Advance re labour	113005 600.00
		<u>2,693.00</u>
1930. Jan. 13	W.G. Tweddell - Unexpended balance	<u>43.69</u>
	Total amount expended	2,649.31
Jan. 29	Receiver General - Cheque #113089 for unexpended balance	50.69
	Agent's Credit Voucher attached.	
		Found correct.
		<i>M. J. L. ...</i>
		TOTAL, 2,700.00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Regina, Sask.,
January 30th, 1930.

REGINA VOUCHER NO. 71

Wm. Graham
Indian Commissioner.

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Letter No. 205-11A. C. E.



Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Indian Agency,~~

January 30th, 1930.

Sir,

Regina Credit
I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 71
Expended 2,649.31
Unexpended Bal. 50.69
amounting to \$ 2,700.00 in favour

of W. M. Graham, "In Trust", Indian Commissioner, Regina, Sask.,

for accountable advances re Mackay Indian Residential School and Principal's Residence, The Pas Agency. Cheque #113089, for unexpended balance, is attached.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated

Your obedient servant,

John
For be
Miss
Thompson
Wm. J. ...
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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DUPLICATE, FOR DEPARTMENT.

No. 210

Bank of Montreal,

for 9/10/49
A.M.

\$ 50.69

Ottawa, Feb. 4th, 1930.

RECEIVED from W. M. Graham

on account Indian Funds

the sum of Fifty-69/100 Dollars,
which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this
Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

Ent'd.

Pro. Manager.

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BANK RECEIPT No.

Amt \$50 69 chq.



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Date Feb. 3 1930

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DEPARTMENT Indian Affairs

LOCAL PURCHASE-ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called Sept 1 1929 by letter Due Sept 3 1929 by J. H. Waddy
 opened Sept 3 1929

FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE

ARTICLES					REMARKS
165 Lumber	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
4 base	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
32	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
40	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
6	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
100	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
140	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
120	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
1200	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
54 base	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
52	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
15	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
1980	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
740	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
2400 ft	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
1400	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
1800	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
600	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
9200	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
216	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
240 ft	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
240	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
70	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
70	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
560	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
70	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10
38	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10	2 x 10

UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
 tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed J. H. Waddy
 Dept. of Indian Affairs
 City or town Manitowish Province Manitowish

DATE Jan 29/30

LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called	1927	by letter	Due	1927	Opened	by
	Sep 10		Sep 3		Sep 3	J. H. Haddy

ARTICLES	FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE	REMARKS
18 Rolls Jubilee Jar Paper 12 " " Plain " 130 Bags Cement 40 " Lime (100) 1200 Ready Mix Concrete 190 Portland Cement	Bonachillo Brothers Co. \$350.00 \$310.00 <i>[Signature]</i>	
<i>[Large signature]</i>		

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I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed _____

Dept. of-

City or town-

DATE Nov 29/30

DEPARTMENT... *A. J. Evans*... *Chairs*...

LOCAL PURCHASE-ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called	192	by letter	Due	192	Opened	by
Sept 1 st or	1927		Sept 3 rd	1927	Sept 3 rd	J. G. Waddy

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UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

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I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed W. D. McNeill
Dept. of Indian Affairs
City or town St. Paul Province Manitoba

DATE Jan 29/30



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Dealers in

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Department Of Indian Affairs.

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McKay School Residence

TERMS:

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS

MONTH	DATE	Nº PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
			Returns.					
		9	Sax Cement			155	12.15	
		9	" Lime			100	9.00	
		2	" Hardwall Plaster			100	2.00	
		8	Pieces S/Gal-12	32		58	1.88	
		24	Lineal SxS			44	.95	
		25	" Cap trim			540	1.50	
		11	" Base block			104	1.10	
		18	Pieces 1x2-12 Sp	36		60	2.18	
		1	" 1x4-12 "	4		44	.15	
							\$50.65	
			Credit by returns				\$50.65	
			Rebate on Gray					
			14 ⁰⁰ 19 ⁶⁵				35.65	
			Credit.				64.50	
			<i>Certificate Correct</i>					
			<i>J. J. [Signature]</i>					
			7468					
			EXAMINED					
			M. [Signature]					
			11/2/30					



Beaver Lumber Company Limited,

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Lumber, Building Materials and Coal.

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The Res. Man. Jan. 15/30

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No Department Of Indian Affairs,

McKay School Residence.

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TERMS:

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS

MONTH	DATE	Nº PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
Nov	29	1850'	E.G. Fir Flooring #1	1850		92	170.20	
		6	Doors 2/6 x 6/6 Exp			615	36.90	
		4	" 2/8 x 6/8 Exp			650	26.00	
		1	" 2/10 x 6/10 Glazed				14.20	
		1	" 2/8 x 6/8 "				13.20	
Dec	7	9	Lineal Hand Rail			15	1.35	
							261.65	
			Discount				41.90	
						Nett	\$219.95	
Dec	7	1	Door 2/0 x 6/0				5.60	
		4	" 2/0 x 6/6			530	21.20	
		1	" 2/8 x 6/8 3572				18.95	
		1	piece 1x12 - 14 E.G. Steps				1.90	
							47.65	
			Discount				7.60	
							40.05	
							219.95	
							\$250.00	Nett
			Less CREDIT as per memo attached				64.30	
						TOTAL----	\$195.70	
			Goods received price just and fair.					
			Certified correct.					
			Voucher #450					
			Indian Agent.					
			DEPT. AUTHY 128-1-5					
			2/16/29					
			M. A. Lanning					
			11/7/30					

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To Department Of Indian Affairs.

McKay School Residence.

TERMS:

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS

MONTH	DATE	Nº PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
Sept 27		5	Pieces 2x10-16 Spruce Common	80		52	4.15	
		4	" 2x10-12 "	80		49	3.90	
		62	" 2x4-12 "	496		45	22.50	
		16	" 2x4-10 "	100		45	4.50	
		17	" 2x6-14 "	238		45	10.70	
		8	" 2x6-12 "	96		45	4.50	
		12	" 1x6-16 "	120		48	5.75	
		4	" 1x6-12 "	56		48	1.70	
		1	" 1x6-14 "	11		48	.50	
		1	" 1x6-8 "	4		48	.20	
		1	" 6x6-14 "	42		48	2.00	
		15	Box Canada Cement			135	17.55	
Sept 27		4	" 2x10-12 "	80		49	3.90	
		92	" 1x8-16 "	981		44	43.15	
		108	" 1x8-12 "	864		44	38.00	
		9	" 2x4-16 "	96		48	4.50	
		24	" 2x6-12 "	96		60	5.75	5.75
		8	" 2x2-14 "	23		60	1.40	
		10	" 1x2-10 "	17		60	1.05	
		1	" 1x2-12 "	2		60	.10	
		1	" 1x2-16 "	3		60	.30	
		1	" 1x4-10 "	V.Jt 4		47	.20	
		24	" 2x10-12 "	Common 480		48	23.50	
		33	" 2x4-16 "	332		48	16.90	
		13	" 2x10-14 "	305		48	14.85	
		15	" 2x6-14 "	210		45	9.45	
			Carried Forward				240.60	240.60
							240.60	

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TERMS:

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS

MONTH	DATE	NO. PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
			Balance brought forward				240.60	
							238.00	
Oct	25	140	lineal Dripont			560	7.85	
		58	Pieces 2x4-12 Spruce Common	434		45	19.10	
		50	Bundle Spruce Lath			12	18.00	
		80	Pieces 2x4-12 Spruce Common	960		50	48.00	
		94	" 2x4-12 " "	1084		48	49.15	
		1	" 2x2-14 " "	8		60	.80	
		2	" 1x10-16 " "	27		44		
		3	" 1x10-14 " "	35		44		
		2	" 1x10-12 " "	20		44		
		5	" 1x8-8 " "	27		44		
		1	" 1x8-6 " "	4		44		
		11	" 1x8-10 " "	73		44		
		1	" 1x8-12 " "	8		44		
		4	" 1x8-14 " "	37		44		
		1	" 1x8-16 " "	11		44	10.65	
Oct	26	10	" 1x6-10 " "	50		44	2.80	
		5	" 1x8-12 " "	50		44	1.40	
		3	" 1x8-12 " Ship Lap	24		44	2.88	1.08
		1	" 1x8-10 " "	7		44	.60	
		3	" 1x8-8 " "	16		44	.70	
		15	Bundle Spruce Lath			12	9.00	
		2	Outside Door Frames 2/10x6/10 8" jo			850	17.00	
		2	Combination Doors 2/10x3/10			1510	30.20	
		19	Window Screens			300	57.00	
		19	Storm Sash			455	34.45	
		19	Window Frames			450	35.50	
		15	Sash 10/12/3			255	28.25	
		15	Sash 10/12/3 1/2 x 6/3 1 3/4			300	36.00	
		1					755.50	
							755.30	

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McKay School Residence.

TERMS:

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS.

MONTH	DATE	NO. PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
			Balance brought forward				755.30	
Oct	34	40	Pieces 1x17 Cedar Lap S14g	340		42	755.30	
		20	" 1x12-16 "	160				
		20	" 1x12-16 "	160				
		10	" 1x12-14 "	70				
		20	" 1x12-15 "	150				
		130	" 1x12-12 "	780				
		60	" 1x12-11 "	330				
		80	" 1x12-10 "	280				
		20	" 1x12-9 "	90				
		30	" 1x12-9 "	180			118.15	
		2	" 1x12-9 Clr Fir for newel 11	110			1.20	
		40	3x4 Line			1.00	40.00	
		252	Lineal Rabbeted Door Jamb			11 1/2	27.70	
		3	Sash 10/12/3 14			168	4.98	
		1	" 22x26-1			325	3.25	
		216	Lineal 1x3 Clear Fir	108		110	11.90	
		240	" Cap trip			560	13.45	
		240	" Hook Mould			158	5.60	
		70	" Base Block			10 1/2	7.00	
		70	" Window Stool			11 1/2	8.05	
		560	" 1x10 B.N. Base			12 1/2	67.20	
		750	" Quarter Round			125	9.40	
		600	" B.N. casing			600	36.00	
							1103.35	1105.15
			Discount				176.55	176.80
							926.80	928.35
								928.35

Goods received price just and fair.
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To Department of Indian Affairs,

Mekay School and Residence

TERMS:

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS.

MONTH	DATE	Nº PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
			Balance brought forward				662.75	
Dec	7		21 Pieces 1x4-8 V. Jt				662.75	
			21 Pieces 1x4-8 V. Jt				662.75	
"		4	Pieces 1x4-14 Glr Fir	28	110		3.10	
		20	" 3/4-12 Fir V. Jt	80	58		4.65	
		1	" " 11 " "	4	58		.25	
			21 Pieces 1x4-8 V. Jt				662.75	
		1	" 4x8 1" Fir Veneer	32	20		8.40	
		20	Lineal 5" B.N. Casing		600		1.70	
Dec	14	20	Pieces 1x4-8 V. Jt	78	71		5.55	
		3	" 1x4-10 "	20	71		1.40	
		6	" 1x4-11 "	22	71		1.55	
		6	" 1x4-12 "	24	71		1.70	
		12	" 1x4-14 "	56	71		5.95	
		20	130 Lineal Window Stop		200		2.60	
		574	Redcliffe Brick		45		25.85	
		1	Grate (fireplace)				2.00	
		1	Dome Damper				6.00	
		1	Fire Dome				16.80	
							25.85	
							41.90	
							312.42	
							654.12	
			Discount					

Goods received price just and fair.
Certified correct.

Voucher #448

Indian Agent.

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Department of Indian Affairs,

McKay School Residence.

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TERMS: **Extras.**

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS.

MONTH	DATE	Nº PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
			Balance brought forward				413.60	
Nov	5	144	Lineal Window Jamb			7	10.10	
		35	" " Sill			18	6.30	
		5	Pieces 2x6-14 Spruce sized	70	180		7.00	
		1	" 2x6-10 " "	10		"	1.00	
		6	" 1x5-14 " Common	35	46		1.60	
		1	" 1x5-16 " "	7	46		.50	
		1000	Lineal 1x2 " "	167	80		10.00	
Nov	5	120	Saw Hard wall Plaster			100	120.00	
		7	" Gold Dust			100	7.00	
		5	Bundle Lath			12	1.80	
		1	" Shingle			7	1.75	
Nov	12	20	Saw Canada Cement			155	27.00	
		3	Sash 22x26			275	8.55	
			Dray				3.30	
Nov	26	10	Windows 24x24-2			535	38.50	
		120	Part Step			125	1.55	
Nov	28	2	Windows 24x24-2				5.50	
Nov	30	21	Lineal Window Steel				5.55	
							<u>662.25</u>	
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Department Of Indian Affairs.

McKay School Residence.

TERMS: Extras.

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS

MONTH	DATE	Nº PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
Oct	2	30	Sax Canada Cement			135	40,50	
"	3		To plans for house #58				6,50	
2	5	310	Lineal Drain Tile			20¢	62,00	
"	22	25	Sax Cement (Canada)			135	33,75	
			To dray charges on Tile				5,50	
"	22	60	Pieces 1x8-10 Sp Ship	400		48	19,20	
		52	" 1x8-12 " "	416		48	19,95	
		63	" 1x8-14 " "	508		48	28,20	
		51	" 1x8-16 " "	544		48	26,10	
			Dray				5,50	
		19	Windows 26x26-2			420	79,80	
		776	Brick Redcliffe			45	34,90	
			Dray				5,50	
		286	Lineal 1x2 Fir			2¢	5,70	
		8	" Window Sill			18¢	1,45	
		4	" Door Sill			18¢	.70	
		4	Pieces 2x4-22 Spruce Comm	88		55	4,85	
		300	Redcliffe Brick			45	9,00	
		20	Sax Cement			135	27,00	
			Dray				5,50	
							<u>415,60</u>	

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Beaver Lumber Company, Limited,
HEAD OFFICE, WINNIPEG

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VOTE 7 TREATY 5

Lumber, Building Materials and Coal.

Sold to

The Pac. Mon. Jan. 15/30.

16 Department of Indian Affairs.

McKay School Residence

TERMS:

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS

MONTH	DATE	Nº	PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
				Balance brought forward				809.73	
Sept. 26	64	Pieces	1x4-10	Spruce V.Jt.	214		47		
	65	"	1x4-12	" " "	260		47		
	2	"	1x4-14	" " "	9	483	47	22.70	
	8	"	2x6-14	" Common	112		45	5.05	
	2	"	2x10-14	" "	47		49	2.30	
	40	Bundle	Spruce	Lath			12	24.00	
	160	Lineal	1x10	Spruce Common	133		48	6.40	
	232	"	1x8	" "	139		48	6.60	
	4	Pieces	1x8-16	Sp Com	43		48		
	4	"	1x8-14	" "	37		48	3.85	
Sept. 27	214	Lineal	2x2	Spruce			24	4.30	
	1728	"	1x2	"			14	17.30	
	65	Pieces	1x4-14	Spruce V.Jt.	294		48	12.95	
	16	"	1x8-16	" Ship lap	171			13.80	
	11	"	1x8-14	" "	108	274	44	12.05	
	3	"	2x10-16	" Common	90		52	4.15	
	6	"	2x10-14	" "	140		49	6.85	
	22	"	2x4-16	" "	235		48	11.30	
	1	"	6x6-14	" "	42		58	2.45	
								952.85	
				Less Discount				152.45	
								800.40	
				Goods received, price just and fair. Certified correct.					
				Voucher #447 Indian Agent.					
				Dept. Antiquities 128-1-5					
				EXAMINED and found correct.					
				21/6/24					
				M. C. Conroy					



Beaver Lumber Company, Limited,

HEAD OFFICE, WINNIPEG

Dealers in

Lumber, Building Materials and Coal.

Sold to

The Pas, Man., Jan. 15/30.

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Department Of Indian Affairs,

McKay School Residence.

JAN 24 1930

TERMS:

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS

MONTH	DATE	Nº PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
Sept. 25		730	Redcliffe brick			40	29.20	
		96	Sax Canada Cement			135	129.60	
		18	Rolls Jubilee Tar paper			240	43.20	
		12	" " plain "			210	25.20	
		40	Sax Lime			100	40.00	
		190	Lineal Window Stop			200	3.80	
		80	" 1x4 clear fir	27		110	2.95	
		66	" Drip Cap			560	3.70	
		42	" 1x12 E.G. Stepping	63		137	8.65	
		42	" 1x8 Clear Fir	28		110	3.10	
		60	" 2x2 Baluster Stock			400	2.40	
		120	" Picture Mould			250	3.00	
		470	Redcliffe Brick #1			45	21.15	
		56	Bundle #1 Shingle			700	98.00	
		21	Sax Canada Cement			135	28.35	
		183	Pieces 1x8-16 Sp. Shiplap	1952		44	85.90	
		100	Bundle Spruce Lath			12	60.00	
		256	Pieces 1x8-16 Spruce Shiplap	2731		44	120.15	
		20	" 2x10-12 Spruce Com.	400		49	19.60	
		20	" 2x10-14 " "	467		49	22.90	
		20	" 2x4-18 " "	240		50	12.00	
		32	" 2x4-16 " "	341		48	16.35	
		1	" 2x10-12 " "	20		49	1.00	
		17	" 1x8-16 " Shiplap	181		44	7.95	
		8	" 1x8-14 " "	75		44	3.50	
		39	" 1x8-16 " Common	416		44	18.30	
							<u>809.75</u>	

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February 3rd, 1930...

Sir,

amounting to \$ 2,558.75 - 7468 in favour

of Beaver Lumber Co. Ltd., The Pas, Man.,

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 21st June, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Commissioner.

*The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.*

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

128-1-5
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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.S.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

W. REGINA, SASK. 3rd February, 1930.

Alfred [unclear]
[unclear]

Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of Department 128-1-5 of the 29th ultimo, authorizing me to proceed with the re-wiring of the Mackay School in the event of its being an urgent necessity. Owing to the danger of conflagration, which might be caused by defective wiring and also due to the fact that parts of the building would be without light in the meantime, I have authorized this work to be done.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham

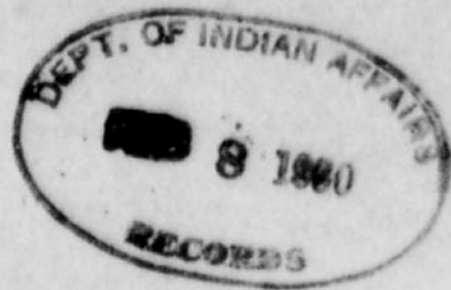
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Letter No. 205-11A C. E.



Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Indian Agency~~

February 5th, 1930.

[Handwritten signature]
Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 462
from The Pas Agency,

amounting to \$15.60 in favour

of G.H. Halliday, The Pas, Man.

for plastering part of the Mackay Indian Residential
School damaged in the recent fire.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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SPORTING GOODS DEPT.
PHONE QUEEN 499

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128-1-5

BOAT HOUSE
RIDEAU 1414

KETCHUM & COMPANY, LIMITED



Handwritten: R. S. M. J. K.
Sporting and Athletic Goods

CLEVELAND BICYCLES — ELTO MOTORS — CHESNUT CANOES
FISHING TACKLE — GUNS AND AMMUNITION — ROW BOATS



SOLD TO Dept. of Indian Affairs

OTTAWA,
ONTARIO

Feb. 8-30

TERMS CASH. Interest at 8% per annum charged on all overdue accounts.

order #128-1-4

2 footballs @4.75
2 indoor balls @1.40
3 B.B. bats @1.20
1 volley ball outfit

For MacKay Indian Res. School.

Handwritten:
23.90
4.75
28.65

Handwritten:
7581 18-2-30
Certified correct,
supplies furnished,
charges fair and just.
Signature: M. J. K.
18/2/30

9	50	
2	80	
3	60	
8	00	23 90

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Beaver Lumber Company Limited,

HEAD OFFICE, WINNIPEG

Dealers in

VOTE 7
TREATY 5

Lumber, Building Materials and Coal.

Sold to

The Pas, Man. Feb 6/30

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Department of Indian Affairs.

McKay School Fire Damage

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS

TERMS:

MONTH	DATE	Nº PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
Jan 24		120	Linft 1x2 Sp			14	1.50	
		80	" 1x4 "	27		45	1.20	
		2	Sax Hafd Wall			100	2.00	
		1	Bble Lath			12	.60	
		1	1x10-12 Sp	10		49	.50	
		21	Lineal 2x2			42	.85	
							6.65	
			Less 15%				1.00	
							5.65	

Goods received price just and fair,
certified correct.

Voucher #469

Indian Agent.

Dept. auth. 128-1-5, dated 30th December, 1929.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

H. H. H. H. H.

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Letter No. 205-11A C.E.



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Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Indian Agency~~

15th February 1930

Sir,

[Handwritten signature]

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 469
from The Pas Agency
amounting to \$5.65 in favour
of Beaver Lumber Co. Ltd., The Pas, Manitoba.
for repairs to Mackay Indian Residential School,
The Pas, Man.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 30th December 1929.

[Handwritten initials]

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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THE PAS, MAN. Jan. 31st 30

M. Department of Indian Affairs, The Pas, Man.

Vote 7
Treaty 5

WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

INTEREST AT 5 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE	PARTICULARS	CREDIT	DEBIT	BALANCE
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MacKay School Repairs

Jan. 23	4 only Yale Inside Door Locks Sets	4.23		
	8 Pieces Strap Iron $\frac{3}{4}$ x 10 (Drilled)	1.15		
Feb. 4	#73			
	3 Prs. Corr. Tee Hinges 8"	1.26		

2-30.42
\$ 6.64
GR

Goods received price just and fair,
Certified correct.

Voucher #475 Indian Agent.

Dept. Auth. 128-1-5, dated 30th December, 1929.

EXAMINED and
found correct.
H. H. H. H.

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Letter No. 205-11A C.E.



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Office of the Indian Commissioner Indian Agency,

[Handwritten signature]

15th December 1930

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 475
from The Pas Agency

amounting to \$6.64 in favour

of Wood Vallance Ltd., The Pas, Manitoba.

for repairs to Mackay Indian Residential School,
The Pas, Man.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 30th December, 1929.

[Handwritten initials]

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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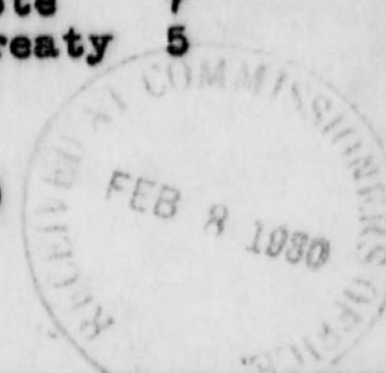
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M. Department of Indian Affairs, The Pas, Man.

Bill of **WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED**

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

INTEREST AT 5 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS



DATE	PARTICULARS	CREDIT	DEBIT	BALANCE
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1930	"Fire Damage", MacKay School			
	#325			
Jan. 15	2 Lbs. Shingle Nails	.09		.18
	#577			
23	1 Box Stove Bolts $\frac{1}{2}$ x $1\frac{1}{4}$ RH			.50
	12 Carriage Bolts $\frac{1}{2}$ x 3"	.01		.12
	1 Gross Wood Screws $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x 10 FH			.36
				<u>\$ 1.16</u>

Goods received price just and fair,
Certified correct.

[Signature]

Voucher #474

Indian Agent.

Dept. Auth. 128-1-5, dated 30th December, 1929.

EXAMINED and
found correct.
[Signature]

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Letter No. 205-11A C.E.



Office of the Indian Commissioner Indian Agency,

15th February 1930

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 474
from The Pas Agency

amounting to \$1.16 in favour

of Wood, Vallance Ltd., The Pas, Manitoba.

for repairs to the Mackay Indian Residential School
The Pas, Manitoba.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 30th December, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Vote No. 7

Treaty No. 5

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

To Harry Inkster, Esq.,

P.O. Box 551

The Pas, Manitoba.

DATE 1930.	SERVICE	AMOUNT
	To time put in on repairing, at the Mackay Indian Residential School, The Pas, Manitoba.	
January 17	Rebuilding stairs to boys play-room 10 Hours	
" 18	" " to furnace room 8 "	
" 21	Repairing stairs to girls dormitory 10 "	
" 22	" hand-rail on boys stairs 8 "	
" 23	" " on girls and staff stairs 10 "	
" 24	" school desks and assembling same 10 "	
" 25	" school desks 8 "	
" 26	" " " 8 "	
" 28	Putting asbestos sheets above furnace 8 "	
" 29	Repairing burlap in boys dormitory 10 "	
" 30	Refitting all inside doors 8 "	
" 31	" " outside " 8 "	
February 1	Rewening and fitting locks on six doors and hanging door on girls bath-room 4 "	
To tal of hours worked 110 Hours @ 80¢ per hour		88 00
Voucher #465 Harry Inkster		
Dept. Auth. 128-1-5, dated 30th December, 1929.		
EXAMINED and found correct. H. H. Logan		
TOTAL,		

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a true and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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Letter No. 205-11A C.E.



Office of the Indian Commissioner Indian Agency,

15th February 1930

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 464 & 465
from the Pas Agency
amounting to \$24.00 & 88.00 resp. in favour
of Harry Inkster, The Pas, Manitoba.
for repairs to Mackay Indian Residential School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 30th December 1929.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

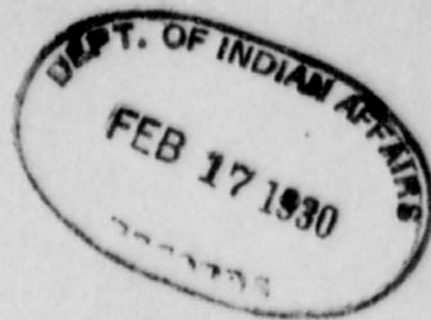
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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF W. G. TWEDDELL, INDIAN AGENT, FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1930, ON THE MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL.

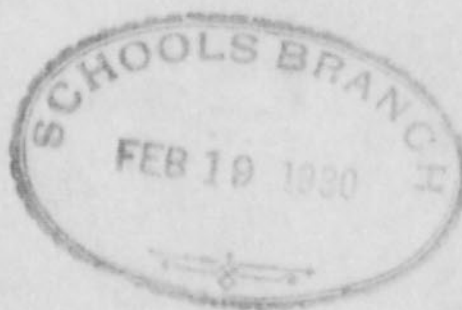
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See correspondence in this file

General Management:- Would be better if Principal in residence.

Suggestions:- Principal move into residence at once.

Question of furniture for Principal's residence is being enquired into.



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No. 205-11A C.E.

Office of the Indian Commissioner.....~~Indian Agency~~

[Handwritten signature]

February 25th, 1930.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 488
from The Pas Agency,
amounting to \$39.40 in favour
of Hill & Fryer, The Pas, Man.,
for an emergency job on the McKay School well.
Authority given originally by the former Agent, Mr. Waddy.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated

Your obedient servant

[Handwritten signature]

Indian Commissioner.

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[Handwritten signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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P.O. BOX 313

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THE PAS. March 1930. 192
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The Department of Indian Affairs.

The Pas.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician

REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND FIREARMS UNDERTAKEN. WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED.

TERMS NETT. INTEREST AT EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

1930.
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For McKay Indian Residential School.
Big Eddy.

3 Injection Nozzle Tips.
2 Combustion Chamber Gaskets.
6 Marvel Air Valves.

3.50	10.50
.45	90
1.25	7.50

\$18.90

Spare parts for engine supplied. Price just & fair.
Certified correct.

Voucher #538

J. J. [Signature]
Indian Agent.

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Sent 26-3-30

EXAMINED
found correct

[Signature]

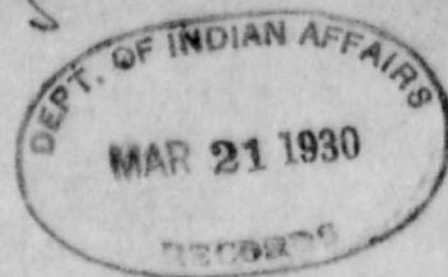
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Letter No. 538

128-1-5



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Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

March 17th. 1930.

 Sir,

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I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 538

amounting to \$ 18.90 in favour

of Chas. W. Hill Esq. The Pas Manitoba.

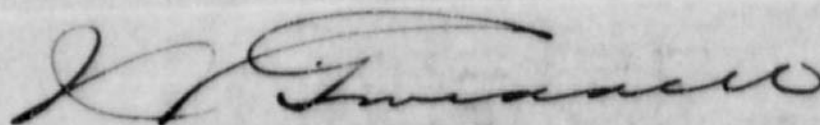
for Spare parts for engine at Mackay Indian Res. School
The Pas Manitoba.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

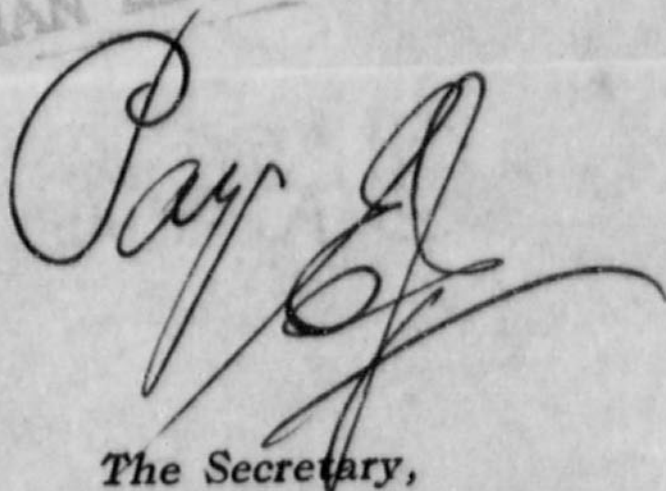
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Your obedient servant,



Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Mr. Department of Indian Affairs.

The Pas.

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IN ACCOUNT WITH

CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician

REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND FIREARMS UNDERTAKEN. WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED.

TERMS NETT. INTEREST AT EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

1930
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Materials for Repairs after Fire at
McKay Indian Boarding School. Big Rdy.8 Feet Metal Cornice
4 Squares Metal Ceiling.
12 Feet Burlap3 ft. 1 1/4" Black Pipe
2 Threads & 1 Cut
1 Wal Elbow 1 1/4"

.24	1.92
.80	3.20
	3.20

.20	60
	35
	35

\$9.62Services and material rendered price just
and fair. Certified correct.

Voucher #530

Indian Agent.

Dept Anthy 122-1-5 30/12/29
Sent 27-3-30 8280

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Letter No. 205-11A. C.E.



128-1-5
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Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~McKay Agency~~

March 20th, 1930.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 530
from The Pas Agency,
amounting to \$9.62 in favour

of Chas. W. Hill, The Pas, Man.,

for material to repair the fire damage at the McKay
Indian Residential School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 30th December, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham

Indian Commissioner.

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The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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P. O. BOX 313.

PHONE 112

DATE 15th. Jany 1930.

CHAS. W. HILL

ENGINEER & ELECTRICIAN

THE PAS, MANITOBA

M. W. G. Twedell Esq.....

Indian Agent,

The Pas.

JAN 17 1930

Dear Sir,

Herewith please find estimate for Electrical Work at the McKay School.
For your information I would like to point out that there are
several instances in which the wiring does not comply with the
Underwriters requirements.
Some bathrooms without switches,
Brass Sockets on Basement lights.
Conduit not properly grounded.
Outlet boxes not fitted with bushed covers for drops.

Yours very truly

Chas W Hill

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MANITOBA

Department of Indian Affairs,

The Pas.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

CHAS. W. HULL

Engineer and Electrician

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REPAIRS TO SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND FIREARMS UNDERTAKEN. WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED.

TERMS NETT. INTEREST AT EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

1930.

March 24.

**Electrical Work at the McKay Indian
Boarding School, Big Eddy.**To amount as per ~~estimate~~.

Estimate dated Jany 15th.

Rewiring Top Floor in Rigid Conduit.

Overhaul outlets on Ground & Second Floors.

Change outlet box covers to Porcelain.

: Sockets in Basement to Porcelain.

Ground Conduit throughout.

\$375.00 ✓

estimate
~~estimate~~ called for 29 lights & 11 Switches.
 These were not put in as originally intended,
 Two lights were cut out in each Dormitory,
 as the Principal did not desire them.
 In lieu thereof, a light & switch was wired
 into the Attic. The Hall lights were extended
 to take in the Stairways at either end, (these
 not being illuminated previously) and switches
 provided. The 2nd & Top floor Hallway lights
 were changed to Porcelain lamp receptacles in
 lieu of the drops, and switches installed on
 Walls. All basement outlets were furnished
 with porcelain covers.
 I found only 5 Joints soldered in the old
 wiring, and had to untape all Joints, clean
 solder, re: tape & varnish.

Materials supplied, services rendered, price just and fair as per
~~estimate~~. Certified correct.*estimate, sent to Audit Office*

Voucher #564

INDIAN AGENT.

Dept. Auth. 128-1-5, dated 29/1/30;

EXAMINED
found correct.*Clear*

Letter No. 205-11A C.E.



Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Indian Agency~~

128-1-5
..... 3rd April 1930

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 564
from the Pas Agency

amounting to \$ 375.00 in favour

of Chas. W. Hill, The Pas, Manitoba

for completion of electrical work at Mackay Indian
Residential School as per estimate

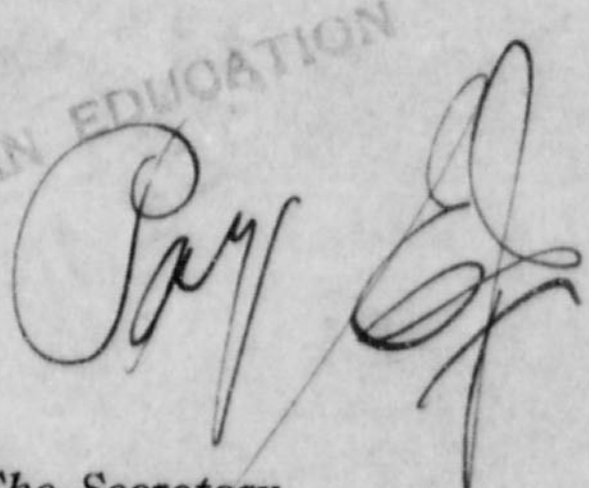
This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 29/1/30

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham

Indian Commissioner. awt

INDIAN EDUCATION

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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Ottawa, April 14th., 1930.

Dear Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 4th instant, No. 13-142, I beg to return herewith Canadian National freight bill for \$43.34, being freight paid by Guymer Transfer & Forwarding Company on a shipment of school desks received from The Canadian Office & School Furniture Co. Ltd., from Preston, Ont., and which accompanied your voucher No. 429.

Yours truly,


F.H. Paget
Chief Accountant and Purchasing Agent.

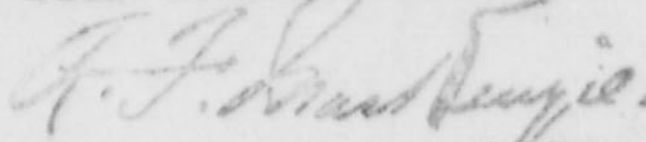

W.G. Tweddell Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Ottawa, April 28th, 1930.

Dear Sir,-

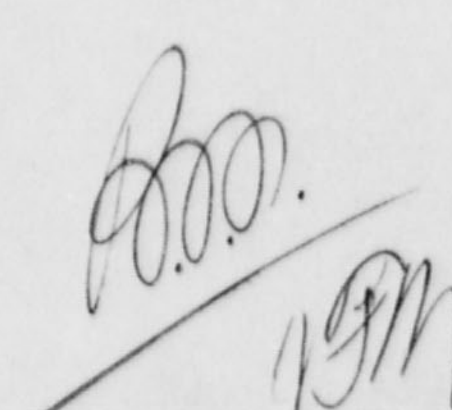
I wish to acknowledge, with thanks, your letter of November 19th, last, concerning the MacKay Indian Residential School, near The Pas, Manitoba. I regret that your communication was inadvertently overlooked. The Department Architect agrees that the pole fire escape system is not satisfactory and I am writing to our local representative with a view to getting a price on wooden stairs from balcony to balcony.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie.

Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



The Deputy Minister,
Manitoba Dept. of Public Works,
Winnipeg, Man.

Ottawa, April 28th, 1930.

Sir,-

The Department is not satisfied with the pole fire escapes at the MacKay Indian Residential School. Would you secure an estimate of the cost of having a wooden stairs erected from balcony to balcony? It might be advisable to have the stairs at both ends of the building.

The Department wishes, also, to emphasize the necessity of frequent fire drills. Please inform the Principal.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie

A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. G. Tweddell
W. G. Tweddell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

2 letters



PHONES: 840 252
840 253

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
BUREAU OF LABOR
AND
FIRE PREVENTION BRANCH
332 LEGISLATIVE BUILDING
WINNIPEG



May 1st, 1930.

A. F. MacKenzie, Esq.,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

Dear Sir;-

Re your file No. 128-1-5.

I wish to thank you very much for
your letter of the 28th of April re fire escapes
on the Indian Residential School near The Pas.

Yours truly,

A. MacKenzie
Deputy Fire Commissioner.

R.

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The Pas, Manitoba,
May 2nd, 1930.

Dear Sir:-

There is included in Cheque #20974 of the 2nd, instant for \$1440.08, an item of \$43.35 shown as Refund Account.

This is a freight refund received from the Canadian National Railways, The Pas, on school desks for the MacKay Indian Residential School, as per your letter #F128-1-5 of the 14th, ultimo.

I trust this will meet with your approval.

Your obedient servant,

J. J. [Signature]
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa Ontario.



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The Pas, Manitoba,
May 2nd, 1930.

Dear Sir:-

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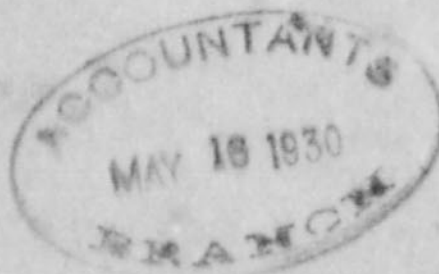
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I trust this will meet with your approval.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa Ontario.



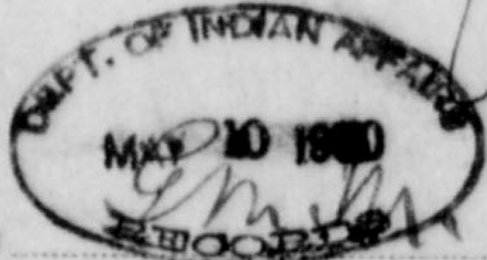
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BANK RECEIPT No. 9427

Amt. \$43.³⁵ pt clg

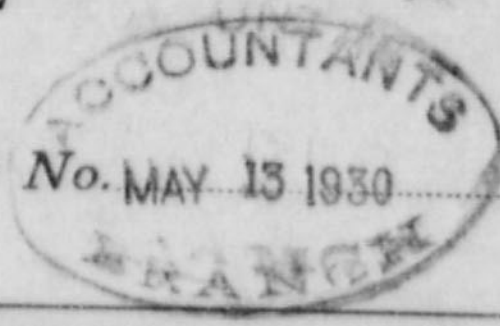


Date _____ 19____

Entered Journal No. 26 Folio 598

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Dept. Receipt No. MAY 13 1930



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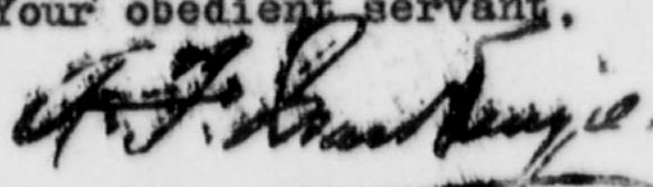
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Ottawa, May 17, 1930.

Sir:

I wish to refer to your 205-11A C.E. of August 28th, last, with reference to residing the MacKay Indian Residential School. Funds are not available for the purpose of painting this building, and I have to authorize you to make the arrangements. No unnecessary expense should be incurred. Please be guided by general instructions of the Deputy Superintendent General's 1-1-5 of the 14th instant.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.



W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

128-1-5



Adm.

R

ACCOUNTANTS
MAY 19 1930

*For
General Rev.
A.G.M.*

DUPLICATE, FOR DEPARTMENT.

No. 9804

Bank of Montreal,

\$ 43.35 Ottawa, May 16th 1930.

RECEIVED from Dept.,

on account Indian Funds,

the sum of Forty-three.....1.....35/100 Dollars,
which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this
Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

[Signature]

Pro. Manager.

Ent'd.

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W G Lueddell

Dept of Indian Affairs

Thet as man

The 15th May 1930
MANITOBA

Estimate for erection of 4 fire escapes

at McKay School Big Eddy To enlarge present wall holes and erection
of steps to take place of present slide poles To supply all material and
labour for same for the sum of Two hundred and forty eight dollars \$ 248 ^{xx}/₁₀₀

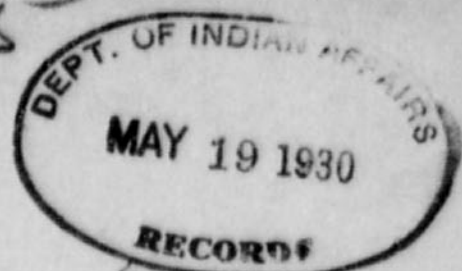
W Lyon

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



128-1-5

R



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

86-135



The Pas, Manitoba,
May 15th, 1930.

Dear Sir:- Re:-Fire Escape at MacKay School.

In reply to your letter #128-1-5 of the 28th, ultimo I beg to say that I have had the Fire Escapes at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, looked over, and submit quotations for the material and work from the Beaver Lumber Co. \$240.00 and William Lyon \$248.00 both of The Pas.

This would be four stairs, two at each end, from balcony to balcony. 2 x 10 stringers with 2 x 8 tread of Fir with hand rails and ballasters.

Kindly advise if either of these figures have your approval and I will have the work done at once.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst, Deputy & B Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa Ontario.

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CLAN

Ottawa, May 22, 1930.

Sir:

I have your 86-135 of the 15th instant, with reference to fire escapes at the MacKay Indian Residential School. You may accept the offer of the Beaver Lumber Company, Limited, to erect escapes at each end, from balcony to balcony. When the work has been satisfactorily completed, please forward a properly certified voucher, in duplicate, for payment.

Your obedient servant,

A. S. Williams

A. S. Williams,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

W. G. Tweddell
W. G. Tweddell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

42-100



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

The Pas, Manitoba,
April 16th, 1930.

Dear Sir:-

I have received a motor shipped by the Canadian Johnson Co., Peterboro, Ontario, and addressed to "The Indian Agent, The Pas, Man."

As yet I have no instructions in regard to this.

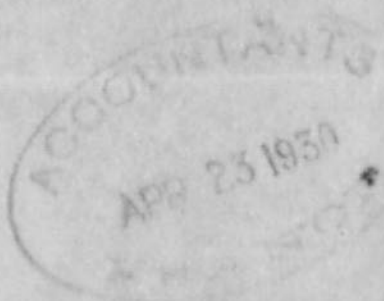
Will you kindly inform me if this motor is for this Agency.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa Ontario.

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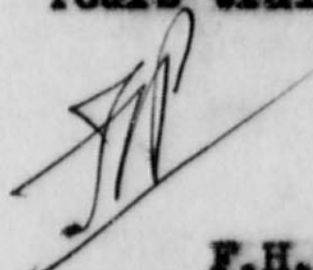
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Ottawa, April 25th., 1930.

Dear Sir,--

Referring to your letter of the 16th instant, stating that you have received the motor shipped by the Canadian Johnson Co., Peterboro, Ont., I beg to state that the Department did not order the motor in question.

Yours truly,



F.H. Paget
Chief Accountant and Purchasing Agent.

W.G. Tweddell Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.



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THE PAS. MAN.

1930

M. *Mackay School**Indian Department*IN ACCOUNT
WITH**James Shedden**VOTE 7
TREATY 5

PLUMBING, HEATING, TINSMITHING AND SHEET METAL WORK

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED

10% INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

1930

<i>May</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>Clearing Sewer at</i>				
		<i>Septic Tank. 30</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>✓</i>	
<i>"</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>Altering Sewer Pipes</i>				
		<i>2 # 4" Soil Pipe</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>✓</i>	
		<i>1 4"x6" increaser</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>75</i>	<i>✓</i>	
		<i>1 lead joint</i>		<i>50</i>	<i>✓</i>	
		<i>4 lb Kelpur</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>✓</i>	<i>✓</i>
		<i>6 - Plumber</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>✓</i>	<i>19 25</i>

TO MATERIAL SUPPLIED AND WORK DONE AT MACKAY
SCHOOL RESIDENCE. ON SEPTIC TANK.
PRICE JUST & FAIR. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER #51

INDIAN AGENT.

*sent 4-6-30.*EXAMINED and
found correct.*1331*
[Signature]



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B

Letter No. 51

Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

May 23rd 1930

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 51

amounting to \$ 19.25 in favour

of James Shedden The Pas Manitoba

for Material supplied and work done on septic tank of
Residence of MacKay School Principal.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated Emergent.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]

MAY 26 1930

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Indian Affairs
School Files

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File 580-5, part 5	The Pas Agency - McKay Residential School - Church of England - Building Maintenance - Supplies - Accounts. 1930 - 1933
File 580-5, part 6	The Pas Agency - McKay Residential School - Church of England - Building Maintenance - Supplies - Accounts. 1933 - 1940
File 580-9, part 1	The Pas Agency - McKay Residential School - Church of England - School Lands - (Maps). 1912 - 1930
File 580-14, part 1	The Pas Agency - McKay Residential School - Church of England - Live-stock. 1925 - 1933
File 581-1, part 1	Norway House Agency - Norway House Residential School - United Church - General Administration. 1898 - 1933
File 581-1, part 2	Norway House Agency - Norway House Residential School - United Church - General Administration. 1933 - 1946
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File 581-5, part 1	Norway House Agency - Norway House Residential School - United Church - Building Maintenance - Supplies - Accounts. 1901 - 1907
File 581-5, part 3	Norway House Agency - Norway House Residential School - United Church - Building Maintenance - Supplies - Accounts. 1921 - 1930
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No.

Department of Indian Affairs

MAC KAY RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL

BUILDING, ACCOUNTS & C.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

98-135



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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



The Pas, Manitoba,
May 23rd, 1930.

Dear Sir:- Re:-Painting of MacKay School.

I beg to ask your authority to call for
Tenders for the painting of the above school.

May say this was included with the estimates
along with the re-siding of the school. The re-siding
has been completed.

My reason for asking this, is that I shall
be away at Treaty time for some time.

Should this meet with your approval, would
you please instruct me as soon as possible in order
that the work may be let before my departure.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]

Indian Agent.

Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa Ontario.



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CANADA

Ottawa, May 28, 1930.

Sir:

I have your 98-135 of the 23rd instant, with reference to painting the MacKay Indian Residential School. On the 17th instant, the Department wrote to Mr. Indian Commissioner Graham, of Regina, authorizing him to arrange for this improvement. You should look to him for instructions.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

W. G. Tweddell
W. G. Tweddell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

W. REGINA, SASK., 16th June, 1930.



Sir:-

The Agent at The Pas has asked if he may have permission to provide six one-half screens for the verandah on the Principal's residence at the Mackay school. The cost of these should not be more than about \$12.00 to \$15.00. Will you please advise me if this may be done.

Your obedient servant,

Wm. M. Graham
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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CANADA

Ottawa, June 20, 1930.

Sir:

Replying to your No. 205-11A C.E. of the 16th instant, I have to say that the Department will approve of an expenditure not exceeding the sum of \$15 in the purchase of half screens for the verandah on the Principal's residence at the MacKay Indian Residential School.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

W. M. Graham

W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

VOTE 7 TREATY 5

THE PAS, MAN. June 17th 1930

M. Department of Indian Affairs, The Pas, Man.

Bill of

WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE**

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE

PARTICULARS

Folio 728

CREDIT

DEBIT

BALANCE

Mackay School.

30 Gals. Pearl Gray Paint	3.75	112.50
3 Gals. Cream Paint	3.75	11.25
10 Gals. Raw Linseed Oil	1.28	12.80
5 Gals. Turpentine	1.00	5.00
10 Lbs. Putty	.08	..80
		<u>\$ 142.35</u>

GOODS SUPPLIED PRICE JUST & FAIR. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

J. J. Macdonell

VOUCHER NO. 83

INDIAN AGENT.

*Dept Authy 128-1-5*EXAMINED and
found correct.*M. A. Brown*
7/3/30

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128-1-5
No. 205-11A C.E.



Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Indian Agency~~

Amst
JUL 2 1930
June 28th, 1930.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 83
from The Pas Agency,

amounting to \$142.35 in favour

of Wood Vallance Ltd., The Pas, Man.,

for paint for the McKay Indian Residential School.
(Only local wholesaler able to supply material)

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 17th May, 1930.

INDIAN EDUCATION
Your obedient servant,

Wm. G. ...
Indian Commissioner.

Ray B.
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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RETURN OF LABOUR on the MacKay Indian Resid. School On the Pas Manitoba. Reserve

for week ending June 31th, -14th, -21st-28th. VOTE 7 TREATY 5

NAMES	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	TOTAL HOURS	PRICE PER Hour	AMOUNT OF WAGES	RECEIVED PAYMENT	WITNESS
Patrick Constant	-	-	5	10	10	10	35	-- 65	22 75		
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Patrick Constant	10	10	10	5	-	-	35	-- 65	22 75		
									107 25		

EXAMINED and
found correct.
R. Logblan

VOUCHER NO. 84

I hereby certify that the services have been performed and prices are fair and just.

Cheque

Balance

FOREMAN

AGENT



128-1-5

L No. 84



Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

July 3rd, 1930

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 84

amounting to \$107.25 in favour

of Chief Pat Constant Pas Reserve The Pas Manitoba.

for repair work on the Mackay Indian Res. School. The Pas
removing hen-house & work-shop and building new hen-house

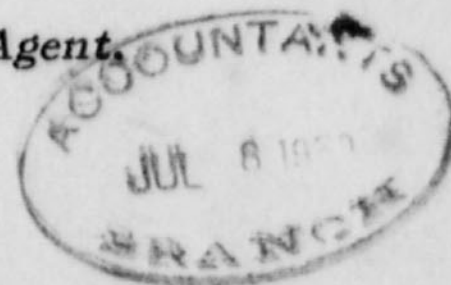
This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-9 dated May 21st 1930.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. Macneil

Indian Agent



School
Pay
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

PLEASE FORWARD A SUPPLY OF FORM NO. 18

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HARDWOOD FINISHING A SPECIALTY

KALSOMINING

VOTE '7 TREATY 5

BOX 46

THE PAS, MAN., *June 27* 193 *30*

M

Tweedell

Indian Agent

WORK PERFORMED PRICE JUST & FAIR
CERTIFIED CORRECT.

The Pas

VOUCHER NO. 91 INDIAN AGENT.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

S. S. LOVELL

PAINTER AND DECORATOR

PHONE 158

Pay to W. H. Bunting



Re Contract Painting

House at Big Eddy. McKay School

185.00 ✓

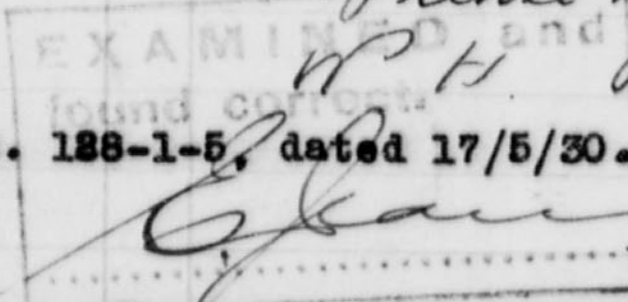
Abstract of Tenders sent Audit Office.

Please make cheque payable to

W. H. Bunting The Pas

2612

Dept. 128-1-5, dated 17/5/30.



S. S. Lovell
Sent 17-7-30

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Letter No. 205-11A.C.E.

Office of the Indian Commissioner Indian Agency,

[Handwritten signature]



9th July 1930

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 91
from the Pas Agency

amounting to \$185.00 in favour

of W. H. Bunting Esq., The Pas, Manitoba

for painting Principal's residence at MacKay School
as per contract.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 17/5/30

Your obedient servant,

[Large handwritten signature: Schools Pay G]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

[Handwritten signature: W. H. Bunting]

Indian Agent, Pas.

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VOTE 7 TREATY 5



Beaver Lumber Company, Limited,
HEAD OFFICE, WINNIPEG

Dealers in
Lumber, Building Materials and Coal.

Sold to

The Pas Man. July 26th. 1930

to Dept. Indian Affairs

The Pas Man.

TERMS:

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS.

MONTH	DATE	NO. PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
			To supplying, and hauling out material and hardware, and labor, on four fir fire escapes to MaKay Indian School. at. <i>Leggden sent to audit \$240.00</i> <i>Office</i>					
GOODS SUPPLIED. WORK PERFORMED. PRICE JUST & FAIR. CERTIFIED CORRECT.								
				<i>J. H. Macdonald</i> Indian Agent.				
VOUCHER NO. 117			EXAMINED and found correct. <i>R. L. Hughes</i><i>sent</i> <i>3021</i> <i>8-8-30</i>					

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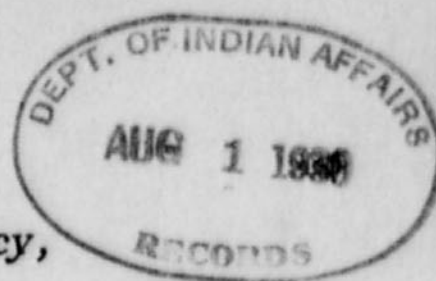


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Letter No.117....



Office of the The Pas, Manitoba, Indian Agency,

..... July 28th 1930

[Handwritten signature]

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.117.....,

amounting to \$.240.00 in favour

of Beaver Lumber Co. Ltd. The Pas, Manitoba,

for Four fire escapes erected at Mackay Indian Resid.
School. The Pas Manitoba.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated May 22nd, 1930.

Schools
[Handwritten signature]

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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HARDWOOD FINISHING A SPECIALTY

KALSOMINING

VOTE 7 TREATY 5

BOX 46

THE PAS. MAN.

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M. *Twissell*

Indian Agent, The Pas, Man

IN ACCOUNT WITH

S. S. LOVELL

PAINTER AND DECORATOR

PHONE 158

*Re Contract Painting Mc Kay School
at the Big Lake.*

Abstract of tenders sent to audit office.
WORK PERFORMED TO SATISFACTION. PRICE JUST & FAIR
CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER NO. 104

INDIAN AGENT.

*3020 *S. S. Lovell*
Sept 138-1-5
Sent 8-8-30.*

17/5/30
*Examined and
found correct*

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Letter No. 205-114 C.E.



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Office of the Indian Commissioner Indian Agency,

Ames

July 30th, 1930.

Sir,

128-1-5

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 104, from The Pas Agency,

amounting to \$ 385.00 in favour

of S. S. Lovell, Box 46, The Pas, Man.,

for painting the McKay Indian Residential School. Abstract of Tenders attached.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 17th May, 1930.

Your obedient servant,

INDIAN EDUCATION

Pay

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

W. M. Graham

Indian Agent. Commissioner. *aw*

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Vote No. 7
Treaty No. 5

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

To Sam Humpherville Esq.
Pas Indian Band
The Pas Manitoba

DATE WEEK ENDING	MON	TUES	WED.	THURS	FRIDAY	SATUR.	No. OF HOURS WORKED	SERVICE PRICE Per Hour	AMOUNT OF WAGES	AMOUNT
June 7 th	-	-	5	10	10	10	35	65¢	22-75	
" 14 th	-	-	5	10	10	10	35	65¢	22-75	
" 21 st	10	10	10	10	10	10	60	65¢	39-00	
" 26 th	10	10	10	5	-	-	35	65¢	22-75	TOTAL OF \$ 107 25

Return of Labor on the Mackay Indian Residential School
The Pas Manitoba
From June 4th to June 26th 1930

Sam Humpherville

Voucher No 98

EXAMINED and
found correct.

P. Carroll

2877

TOTAL,

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent

Form 52.

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Letter No. 98

Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

July 23rd, 1930

Sir,

R

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 98

amounting to \$107.25 in favour

of Sam Umpherville Esq. Pas Indian Band The Pas Man.

for Work tearing down old buildings and erecting new Hen-house
at Mackay Indian Resid. School. The Pas

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-9 dated May 21st, 1930

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Schools
Pay
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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



177-135

The Pas, Manitoba,
July 23rd, 1930.

Dear Sir:-

Inclosed please find in duplicate copies of
Pay-Sheet for labor removing old buildings and building
Hen-house at the MacKay Indian Resid. School, The Pas.

Any of the old lumber fit to use was used in
the building of the new Hen-house, as near as I can
figure some 1600 feet.

The building was erected on an old foundation
in line with the barn, and is a good substantial structure
20 x 24 with shingle roof.

Cost of labor in all \$214.60

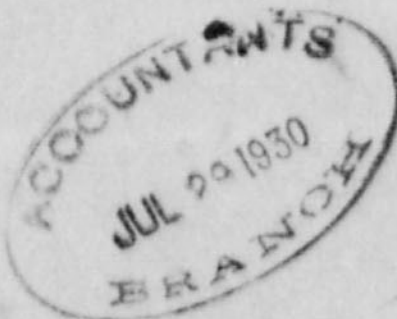
Return of Labor Forms are on order but so far
have not arrived.

I trust this will meet with your approval.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa Ontario.



Sent 30/7/30
W.A.T.

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VOTE 7 TREATY 5

THE PAS. MAN. ~~June~~ June 9th 19.30..

M. Department of Indian Affairs, The Pas, Man.

Bought of **WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED**
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

INTEREST AT 5 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE	PARTICULARS	CREDIT	DEBIT	BALANCE
	10 Lbs. Wire Nails 4" Common	.06		.60
	10 Lbs. Wire Nails 1 1/8" Blue	.08		.80
	1 Keg Wire Nails 2 1/2" Common		5.25	
	1 Barn Door Catch #1240		.54	
			<u>\$ 7.19</u>	

3079

GOODS SUPPLIED PRICE JUST & FAIR. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER NO.126

INDIAN AGENT.

June 12-8-30

EXAMINED and
found correct.

H. Loghlan

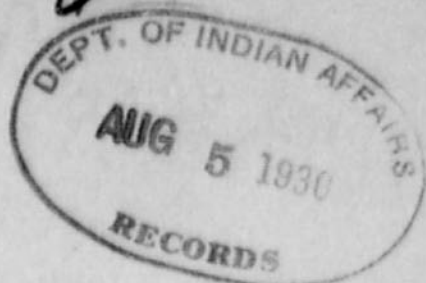
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128-1-5

R



Letter No. 126

Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

August 1st. 19. 30

Carroll

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 126

amounting to \$ 7.19 in favour

of Wood Vallance Ltd. The Pas Manitoba

for Nails for work at MacKay Indian Resid. School The Pas
Manitoba. Men House.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-9 dated May 21st, 1930

Your obedient servant,

J. V. Thompson

Indian Agent.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Pay

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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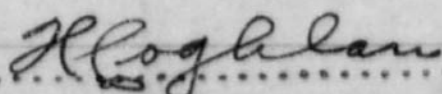
The Fab. Man.

VOTE 2	TREATY 5	10.75
VOTE 5	TREATY 5	6.50
VOTE 8	TREATY 5	--.75
		<u>\$18.00</u>

The Pos. Man.
IN ACCOUNT WITH **E. Carroll**

10 PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON
OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

HARDWARE FURNITURE
PAINTS, SPORTING GOODS, RADIOS.

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	DEBIT	CREDIT	BALANCE
July 2.	2 rolls 2 ply roofing. Mrs. N. Jebb.		6.50		
" 5.	10 lbs. 4in Spikes. MacKay School.	3077	.75		
" 25.	One Scythe and Snath.		4.50		
" 31.	One Scythe and snath. One Hay Fork. Diam A.	3801-1725	4.50 1.75		
			18.00		
GOODS SUPPLIED PRICE JUST & FAIR CERTIFIED CORRECT.					
VOUCHER NO. 136		 INDIAN AGENT.			
EXAMINED and found correct. 					

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Letter No. 136



128-1-5
R



Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

August 1st. 1930.

Chas. J.
Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 136,

amounting to \$18.00 in favour

of E. Carroll Esq. The Pas Manitoba.

Roofing Paper for old destitute Pas Indian
for Nails for hen-house at Mackay Ind. Resid. School
Haying implements for Pas Band Indians.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

NAILS Letter No. 128-1-9 dated May 21st, 1930.
OTHERS Emergent.

Schools & H. - 3801-172
Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Schools & H. - 3801-172
M. C. J.
The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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VOTE 7 TREATY 5

Beaver Lumber Company Limited,

HEAD OFFICE, WINNIPEG

Dealers in

Lumber, Building Materials and Coal.

Sold to

The Pas Man. July 31st. 1930

19

No Dept. Indian Affairs

The Pas Man.

TERMS:

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS.

MONTH	DATE	Nº PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
June	6	8	1 x 6-10 sp. flg.	40		53.00	2.10	
		2	2 x 4-16	21		49.00	1.00	
		1	1 x 10-14	12		2 "	.60	
	10	60	1 x 8-14 sp. shiplap	312 No		45.00	27.00	
		6	" 10 "	40		"		
		13	2 x 8-18 GOODS SUPPLIED PRICE	512		53.00	16.55	
		13	2 x 6- " JUST & FAIR	234		51.00	12.95	
		26	2 x 4-12 CERTIFIED CORRECT	208		46.00	9.55	
		2	2 x 8-12 VOUCHER NO. 127	32		48.00	1.55	
		18	bals shingles xxx			6.50	29.25	
	11	8	1 x 10-14	93		45.00	4.20	
		10	1 x 4-12	40		"	1.80	
		4	1 x 8-10 INDIAN AGENT.	17		47.00	.80	
		2	1 x 8-16	21		49.00		
		2	" 18	24		"		
		2	" 14	19		"	3.15	
		52	1 x 6-16 spr. dp. sdg.	416		53.00		
		45	" 8 " " "	180		"		
		18	" 6 " " "	54		"	34.45	
		30	" 14 " flg.	310		"		
		30	" 12 " "	180		"		
		18	" 10 " "	90		"	25.45	
		4	" 12	24		47.00	1.10	
		4	rolls tar paper			1.90	7.60	
		5	sax cement			1.35	6.75	
		1	door 2/8 x 6/8-13/8 5xp flr				6.50	
	18	3	2 x 6-18	54		51.00	2.75	
		6	1 x 8-16 shiplap	64		45.00		
		10	" 12 "	80		"		
		52	" 10 "	347		"	22.10	
		2	Jub. xxx paper (plain)			2.10	4.20	
		5	lbs putty				1.00	
		24	pos glass 8x10			15	3.60	
July	2	1	storm sash 12 x 24-4 lights				4.45	
							229.45	
							3440	
							195.05	

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Letter No. 127



128-1-5
R



Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

August 1st. 1930

Handwritten signature
Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 127,
amounting to \$195.05 in favour
of Beaver Lumber Co. Ltd. The Pas Manitoba,
for Lumber used for new hen-house at MacKay School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. 128-1-9 dated May 21st, 1930.

Your obedient servant,

Handwritten signature of Indian Agent
Indian Agent.

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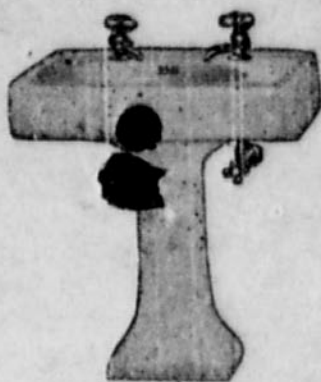
Handwritten signature of The Secretary

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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VOTE 7
TREATY 5

PHONE 34-P. O. BOX 85

THE PAS July 28th 1930 19
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M Dept; of Indian Affairs

Per Mr Tweedel Indian Agent The Pas. Man;
To THE CHAS. S. DICKENS CO., LIMITED Tr.
HEAT, LIGHT, SANITATION, TINSMITHING
ACETYLENE WELDING

10% Interest Charged on
Overdue Accounts.

Accounts Due When
Rendered.

July
July

4th
10th
11th
16th

Mackay School Ordered by Rev; Fraser. Principal.
Renting sewer cane rods 7 days @ 50¢ per day
To locating trouble on sewer, repairing same,
and breaking open and making good the
concrete floor in laundry

Material used \$35.30.

Plumber, Helper, and Diggers time \$62.30

Acetylene gas for melting out joints

Total

3 50

97 60

\$101 10

2 00

\$103 10

WORK PERFORMED PRICE JUST & FAIR.

VOUCHER NO.145

CERTIFIED CORRECT.

INDIAN AGENT.

P.S., After Examining the above account carefully,
and taking everything into consideration,
transit, and all else, I have come to the
conclusion, that the above seems very reasonable,

4 AUG 1930

THE MACKAY RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL
THE PAS, MAN.

Principal,
Mackay Residential School.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

235-135



R

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

The Pas, Manitoba,
August 5th, 1930.



Dear Sir:-

I attach herewith account from Charles S. Dickens Co. Ltd., The Pas, for work incurred during my absence on Treaty, at the Mackay School for \$103.10.

The water in the well for the school became contaminated from the pipe leading from the old hospital. this pipe ran from the hospital into the Power House, where the well is situated. When the hospital was demolished, the pipe should have been taken up or cemented in. This was not done at the time, and has caused this trouble and expense.

I am informed by the Principal, that a good job has been done, and no further trouble may be expected from that source.

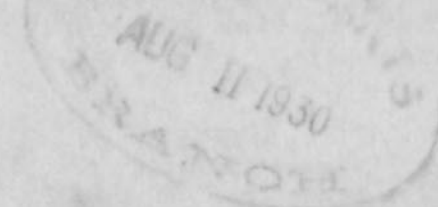
I may say that Mr. Fraser had the water analysed,

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa Ontario.

Your obedient servant,

J. V. [Signature]

Indian Agent.



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The Pas, Manitoba,
Sept. 8th, 1930.

291-135

Dear Sir:-

Heating Plant at MacKay School

I beg to inform you that I received a letter from Rev., Fraser, Principal of the MacKay School, requesting that certain repairs be done to the heating plant and a new plate or arch be put in the fire box.

Mr. Turner, the school engineer informed me that a plate would cost about \$300.00, however I visited the school with a Mr. Sheddon and made an inspection with the following results.

By putting in some fire brick and fire clay the plate would last for a year or more. Recovering 4" steam pipe in boy's play room with three ply asbestos pipe covering, with asbestos cement fittings on steam main. Taking down radiator at rear entrance door, and refitting same in boy's lavatory. Boring and retapping radiation where necessary and fitting new air vents to same. Repacking all valves on radiators with asbestos packing. Altering steam risers at front of building, cutting and refitting same. The radiator in the boy's lavatory, is up at the ceiling, and is far too small. The one at the rear entrance is useless there, owing to the door being opened so much. The valves freeze and burst, so I thought it would be better to remove it and put it in the boy's lavatory. The entrance for valves in radiators are all corroded and leak steam, causing the flooring to raise. Mr. Sheddon offers to do all the repairs and furnish all material necessary for the sum of \$145.00.

I beg to submit that this work is necessary.

Kindly instruct me if this offer is acceptable, or if I should call for tenders as there is one other plumber here.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd. W. G. Tweddell,
Indian Agent.

W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.



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128-1-5

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

W. REGINA, SASK., 10th September, 1930.

[Handwritten signature]



Sir:-

I enclose copy of a letter received today from Mr. W. G. Tweddell, with reference to the necessity of repairing the heating plant at the MacKay Indian School. Will you please advise me if I should instruct the Agent to carry out the proposed alterations suggested by Mr. Sheddon.

Your obedient servant,

*Repairs at Sct cost
\$45
may be undertaken*

[Handwritten signature]

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, September 18, 1930.

Sir:

I have your 205-11A C.E. of the 10th instant, enclosing copy of a communication which you received from Mr. Agent Tweddell, The Pas, regarding the repairs required to the heating plant at the MacKay Indian Residential School.

In this connection I have to say that you may arrange to have the alterations as mentioned in letter of Mr. Agent Tweddell carried out. It is noted that the cost of this work, including all material and labour, will be \$145.00. As the season is getting late, I shall be pleased if you will have the repairs and alterations carried out at an early date.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

ED

REGINA, SASK., September 18th, 1930.

R

Sir:-

*Enclosed file
Nov 21-29.*

I am in receipt of a letter from Indian Agent W. G. Tweddell, The Pas, Man., stating that payment of his Voucher No. 351, amounting to \$2.00, in favour of The Pas Workshop, dated November 21st, 1929, has not been received. This was for 2 steel bars for the Principal's Residence, McKay Indian Residential School.

Kindly have this traced and advise me when cheque was sent forward, and I will then advise the Agent.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

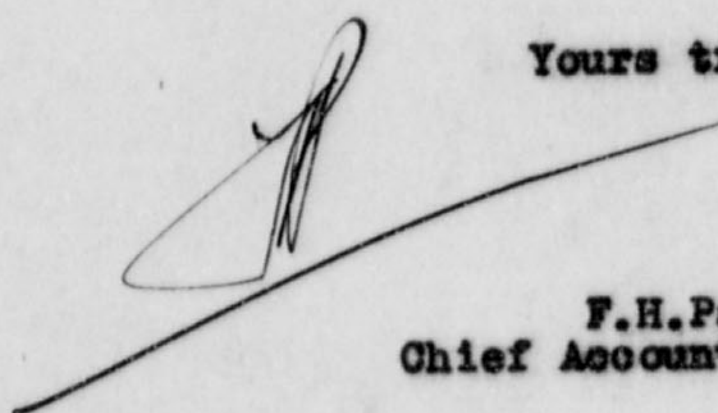
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Ottawa, September 24th., 1930.

Dear Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 18th instant, No. 205-11A C.E., relative to the Pas Agency voucher No. 351 amounting to \$2.00 in favor of The Pas Work Shop for two steel bars for the McKay Indian Residential School received under cover of your letter of the 21st November last, I beg to state that this voucher was paid by cheque No. 5276 on the 29th November 1929. The cheque has been returned to the Auditor General's office through the Bank of Montreal. It was cashed in the Bank of Montreal at The Pas and bears the endorsement of The Pas Work Shop, per Janet Eagle.


Yours truly,
F.H. Paget
Chief Accountant and Purchasing Agent.

W.M. Graham Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OTTAWA

LAST AMOUNT
IN THIS COLUMN
IS BALANCE DUE

TERMS: 30 DAYS. ACCOUNTS TO BE SETTLED IN FULL EACH MONTH.

DATE	PARTICULARS	CHARGES	CREDITS	BALANCE
20	2 FOOTBALLS 4 75	9.50		
	3 PLAYGROUND BALLS 1 20	3.60		
	3 PLAYGROUND BATS 1 20	3.60		16.70
	ORDER NO. 128-1-4			
	MCKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL			

27-9-30
4057
Certified correct,
supplies furnished,
charges fair and just
P. Phelan
25/9/30
J.P.C.

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VOTE 7 TREATY 5

FOLIO.....

Sept., 18th., 1930 19

M MacKay Residential School*In Acct:
with*Expense on
Well and Sewer,

TERMS.....

Blocking up and repairing with Concrete, Cribbing in the Well.	\$6 00	
Cleaning Well, and filling in Drains.	6 00	
SERVICES RENDERED PRICE JUST & FAIR CERTIFIED CORRECT		
TOTAL	\$12 00	
<i>J. Fraser</i>		
VOUCHER NO. 211	INDIAN AGENT.	
Kindly make above	4056	
amount payable to		
Rev. A. Fraser.		
<i>A. Fraser</i>		
THE MACKAY RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL		
THE PAS, MAN.		
Sept 29-9-30		
<i>J. Fraser</i>		

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 25 1930
RECORDS

Letter No. 211

Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

September 20th, 1930

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 211,
amounting to \$12.00 in favour
of Rev. A. Fraser, Principal, MacKay Indian Resid. School
The Pas Manitoba
for Cleaning out well and drains at MacKay School, The Pas
Two receipts for \$6.00 each enclosed.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated Emergent.

Your obedient servant,

J. P. Macneil

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

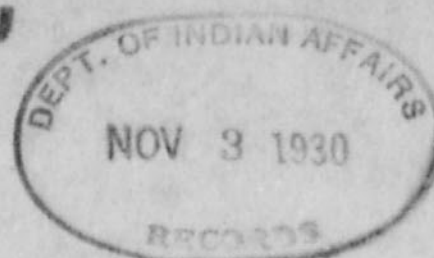
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER



Oct. 30th, 1930

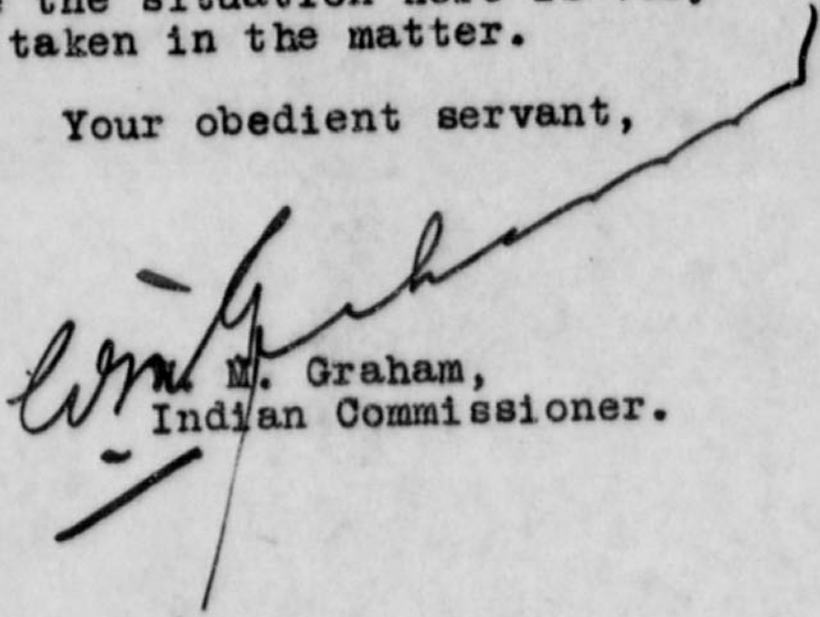
Sir:-

I am informed by our Agent at The Pas that he has had the Provincial Sanitary Inspector visit the Anglican School, and take samples of the water from the well and from the supply tank. Upon analysis the water showed a count of over 10,000 bacteria per c.c. and colon bacilli positive 1 c.c. and 5 c.c. At a later date, September 17th. another test was made, with the following result,-

Tap Water	Colon Bacilli	Positive	over 25000 bacterial plate count c.c.
Well Water	"	"	over 10000 bacterial plate count c.c.

It seems to me the situation here is very bad and some action should be taken in the matter.

Your obedient servant,


M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Send the following Night Letter, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, November 4, 1930

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

REFERENCE YOUR LETTER THIRTIETH ULTIMO RE
WATER CONTAMINATION MACKAY SCHOOL HAVE OUR AGENT SECURE
ADVICE AND RECOMMENDATION FROM PROVINCIAL SANITARY
INSPECTOR.

T. R. L. MacINNES.

[Signature]
Chg. Dept. I. A.

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VOTE 7 TREATY 5

THE PAS, MAN. October 30th 1930

M. Department of Indian Affairs, for McKay School.

Bo of

WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

INTEREST AT 8 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE

PARTICULARS

Folio 1106

CREDIT

DEBIT

BALANCE

20-30 DAYS NET 30 DAYS

4 only 5/8 x 29 Gauge Glasses

.29

\$ 1.16 ✓

GUAGE GLASSES FOR BOILER AT MACKAY INDIAN RES. SCHOOL. THE PAS .
PRICE JUST & FAIR CERTIFIED CORRECT.

[Signature]

VOUCHER NO.262

INDIAN AGENT.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

[Signature]

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Per Mr. 11/30

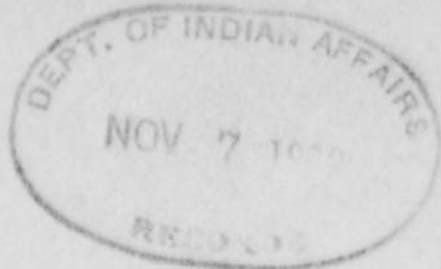
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Letter No. 262.....

Office of the The Pas.....Manitoba.....Indian Agency,

Sir, *asset* *name*November 3rd.....1930..

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 262.....,
amounting to \$1.16.....in favour
of Wood Vallance Ltd.,.....The Pas.....Manitoba.....
for Gauge Glasses for boiler at MacKay Indian Residential
School. The Pas. Manitoba

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No.....dated.....Emergent.....

Sub par
Your obedient servant,
[Signature]

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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TECHNICAL PUBLICATION NUMBER 54



THE W & T ORTHO-TOLIDIN TESTING OUTFIT To Determine the Amount of Free Chlorine IN WATER

IN the sterilization of water by chlorine it is generally agreed that maximum results are secured when sufficient chlorine is applied to the water to leave a slight excess for a few minutes after treatment.

This excess is usually spoken of as "Residual" or "Free" chlorine. Authorities differ as to the amount of free chlorine that should be in a water to insure its freedom from microbes of disease, but in general we believe that 0.10 p.p.m. (parts per million) of free chlorine ten minutes after treatment will be sufficient. Obviously too much might cause tastes while too little would impair bacteriological efficiency. It is suggested in all cases that the State Department of Health be consulted concerning

the desired amount of free chlorine. The importance of the free chlorine content of a water and the desirability of making quick and accurate tests, led to the development of the W & T Ortho-Tolidin Testing Outfit.

When ortho-tolidin solution is introduced into a water containing free chlorine the water turns yellow or orange,—the intensity of the color varying with the amount of free chlorine. The W & T Ortho-Tolidin Testing Outfit is a simple, scientifically calibrated device permitting the operator to match the color of the ortho-tolidin treated water against a known color standard and interpret the results in parts per million of free chlorine.

 f.o.b. Newark, N. J. See illustration on last page.

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DESCRIPTION OF EQUIPMENT

The outfit consists of a two-tube color comparator with a small transparent gauging tube, calibrated both to measure ortho-tolidin solution and to indicate free chlorine in parts per million. One of the color comparator tubes has a colorless glass base while the other is fitted with a colored glass which corresponds to a value of 0.05 parts of chlorine per million.

The color comparator tubes are opaque, the interior walls being threaded. This construction eliminates the errors due to light refraction which are experienced when glass tubes are used and also over-

comes difficulties in reading due to reflected light from the sides of the tubes.

Each of the comparator tubes is fitted with a small valve at its base for lowering the level of the solution in the tube. This fundamental feature makes it possible, when comparing colors, to look through the same depth of liquid in both tubes and eliminates any error due to the natural color of the water being tested.

For convenience in carrying, a third tube is assembled with the comparator tubes and serves as a reservoir for the ortho-tolidin solution.

Descriptive Operation of the W&T Ortho-Tolidin Testing Outfit

FIG. 1—Have both comparator tubes "A" and "B" empty and clean. Hold testing outfit as shown and fill both comparator tubes within about one-half inch of the top with the water to be tested.

Note:—The sample may be taken at such a point in the distribution system that ten minutes has elapsed since the introduction of chlorine,—or the sample may be taken nearer the point of treatment and stored sufficiently long to give the ten minute contact period desired before filling the comparator tubes. In cold weather this ten minute period should be extended to fifteen minutes.

FIG. 2—Hold the transparent gauging pipette with the figures right side up, between the thumb and third finger, and the stopper from the ortho-tolidin reservoir between the thumb and the second finger. Insert the pipette in the ortho-tolidin reservoir. Place the forefinger securely over the top of the pipette,—raise it out of the solution and by admitting air at the top by a slight releasing of the forefinger, drain solution from pipette back into the ortho-tolidin reservoir until the solution level in the pipette is opposite the red 1 c.c. mark. Introduce this 1 c. c. of ortho-tolidin solution into tube "A" (having the plain glass base).

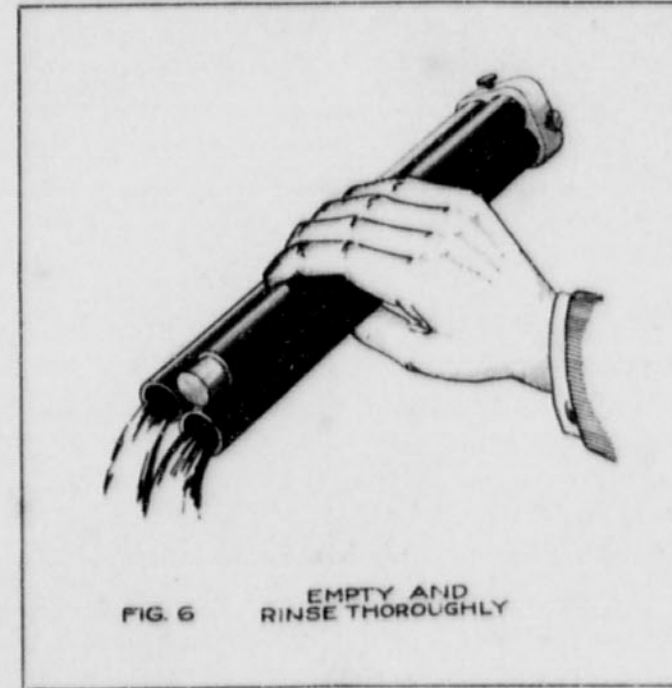
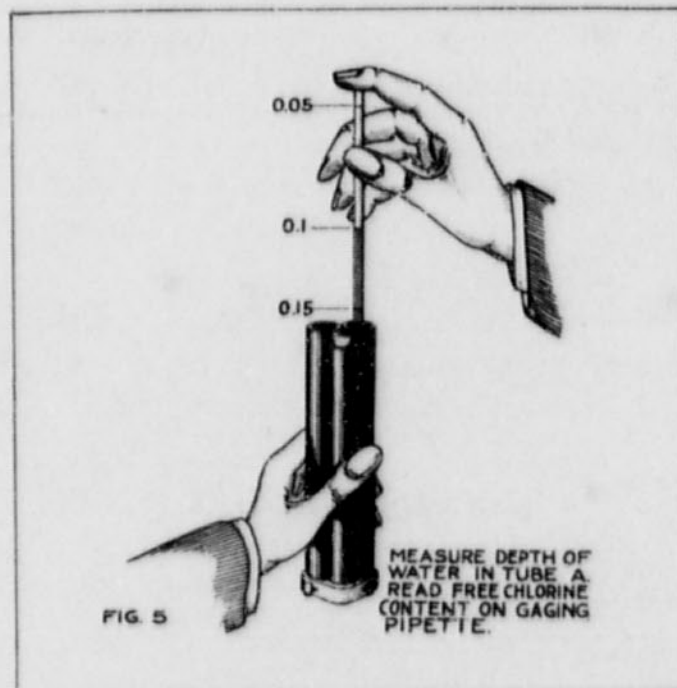
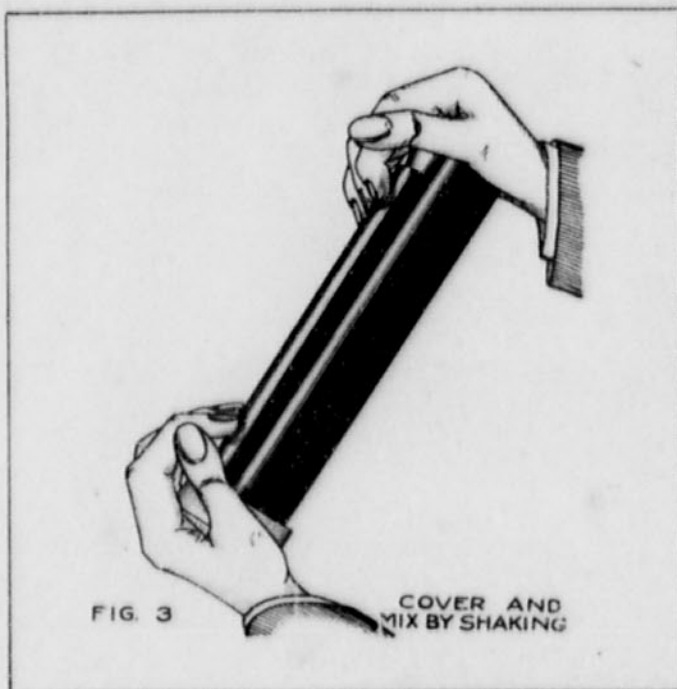
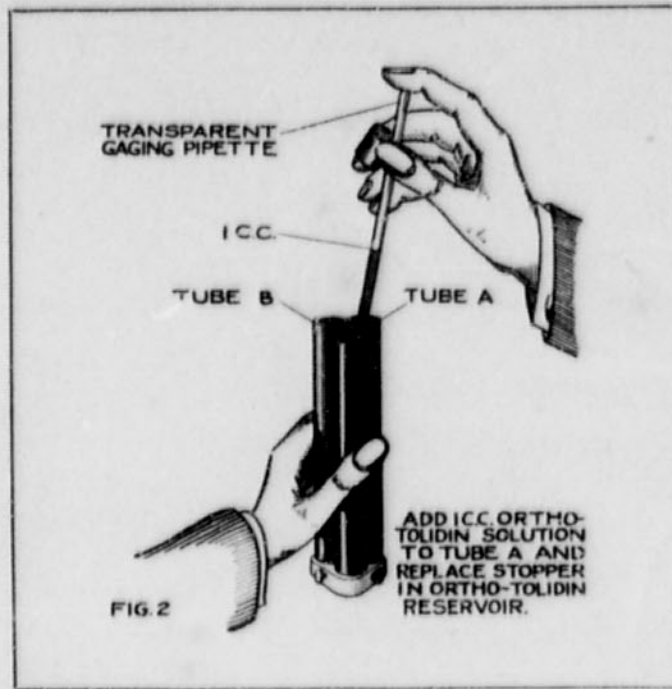
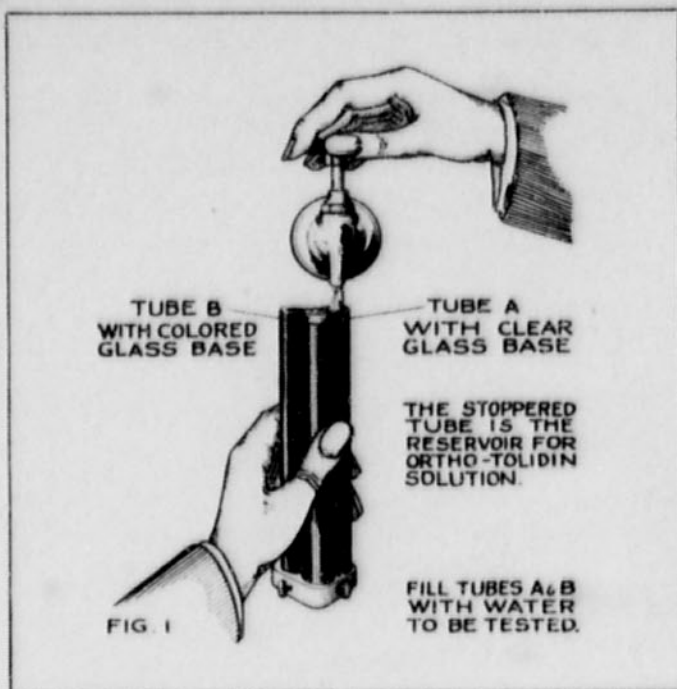
FIG. 3—Securely replace the stopper in the ortho-tolidin reservoir, cover the comparator tubes with the palm of the hand, and invert repeatedly

to insure thorough mixing. Allow to stand until the maximum color develops, which requires from one to two minutes, before making the color comparison. (In cold weather this interval should be extended to five minutes).

FIG. 4—The color of the solution in tube "A" (having the plain glass base) indicates the amount of free chlorine in the water. Lower the level of the solution in tube "A" by opening the valve at the bottom, until it approximately matches the color in tube "B", (having the colored glass base). Now draw down the level of the solution in tube "B" until its level approximately equals that in tube "A". Now, make a second adjustment of the level in tube "A", to match the color in tube "B". In comparing colors hold the comparator tubes over a white surface, such as a piece of paper.

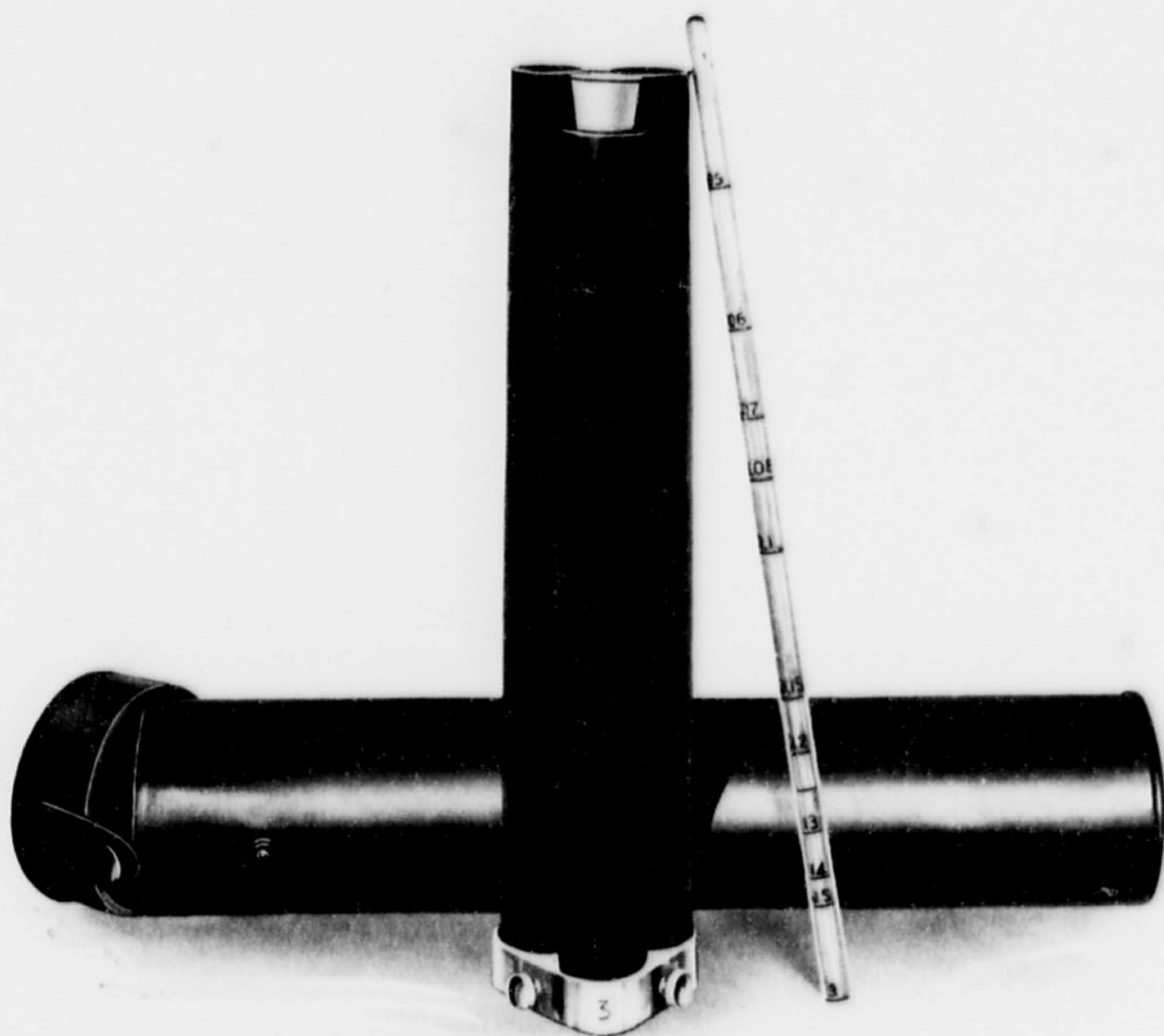
FIG. 5—With the colors matched insert the transparent gauging pipette in tube "A" with the figures right side up, until it touches the plain glass bottom. Place the forefinger securely over the top of the pipette,—raise it up and read the calibration opposite the level of the liquid. This calibration indicates the free chlorine in parts per million.

FIG. 6—Empty and thoroughly rinse both comparator tubes.



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THE W&T ORTHO-TOLIDIN TESTING OUTFIT IS SHIPPED IN AN ATTRACTIVE
LEATHER CASE $2\frac{1}{2}$ " IN DIAMETER AND $12\frac{1}{2}$ " LONG AND WEIGHS
LESS THAN ONE POUND

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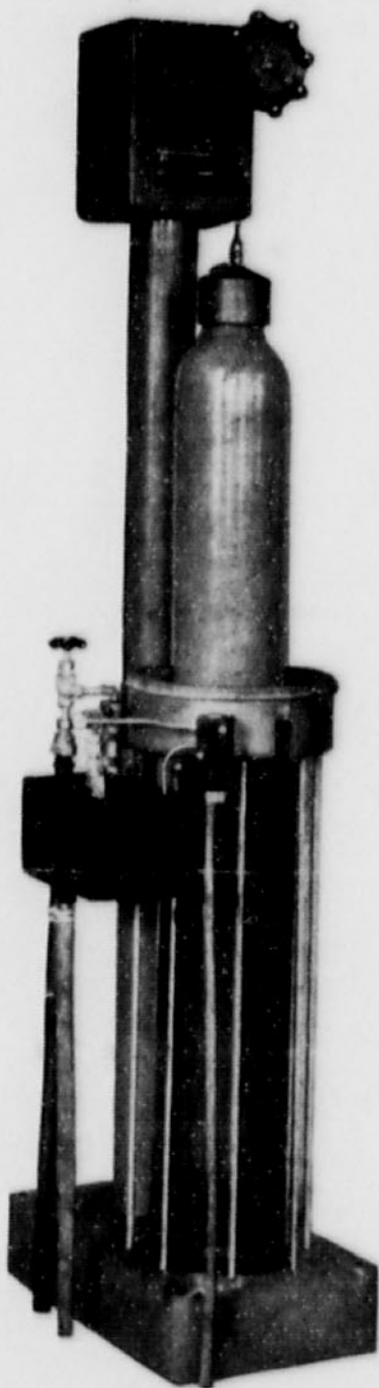
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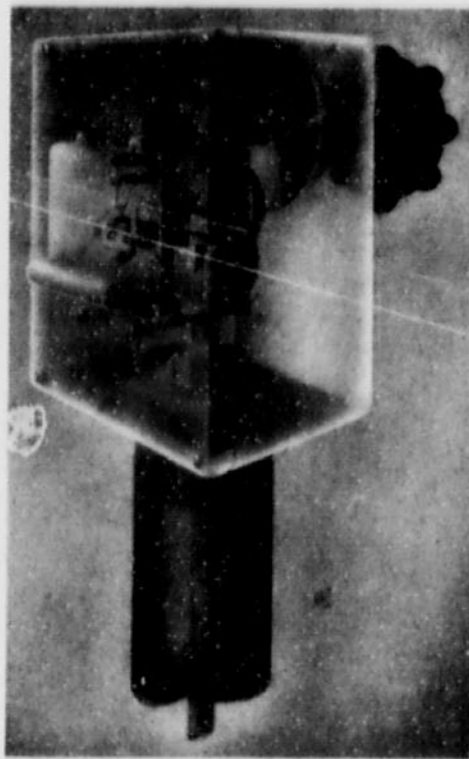


THE W & T CHLORO-CLOCK



THE W & T CHLORO-CLOCK

THIS is an equipment for feeding small quantities of sterilizing solution. It operates on the displacement principle, the control being obtained from a clock-work mechanism which actuates an arm from which a displacing cylinder is suspended. The rate of feed of solution is adjusted by means of a pendulum lever and is arranged so that the contents of the cylinder container can be discharged at varying rates as required from 20 hours to 8 days. A water supply under pressure feeds the small constant level box into which the solution drops. The same water supply also operates an injector which draws from the constant level box and applies the diluted sterilizing solution to the desired point of application.



The Chloro-Clock is started in operation by turning on the water supply and moving a lever which starts the clock mechanism in motion. Raising the weighted cylinder for filling the container jar automatically winds the clock mechanism. Aside from an occasional cleaning of the water strainer, this equipment requires no other attention.

Height: 67 in. Width: 12 in. Depth: 18 in.

Shipping Weight: 400 lbs.

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WALLACE & TIERNAN
Limited

Toronto,
October 24, 1930.

WALLACE & TIERNAN LIMITED PROPOSAL

For one of our Chloro-Clocks with a High Pressure Injector for feeding small quantities of sterilizing solution, we are pleased to quote you the sum of \$1473.00 f.o.b. Toronto, Ontario, with freight allowed to The Pas, Manitoba. This quotation includes supervision of installation by one of Wallace & Tiernan's Engineers, One Artho-Tolidin Testing Outfit for determining the amount of residual chlorine in the water, one Booster Pump and One Motor.

The Wallace & Tiernan Limited warrant for a period of one year after shipment that the apparatus shipped is free from defects in Workmanship and materials, but is liability is limited to the replacement f.o.b. Toronto, Ontario of the defective parts thereof.

The above quotation is subject to thirty days acceptance and to our usual terms of payment, 80% thirty days from date of invoice, the remaining 20% being due thirty days after date of installation, title to remain in us until the equipment is fully paid for.

H. C. Lindsten

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Wallace & Tiernan
Limited

Toronto,
October 24, 1930.

Mr. J. J. Twindell, Indian Agent,
The Pas, Manitoba.

Dear Sir:

We acknowledge receipt of your letter of
October 15, in regard to chlorine equipment for the
McKay Indian Residential School.

In checking over the data sheet which you were
kind enough to fill out, we find that this job is a little
out of the ordinary for the reason that we are not able to
apply the chlorine at the suction side of the pump. There-
fore, it will be necessary to include extra equipment such
as a booster pump, motor, and a high pressure injector on
the chlorinator. The booster pump is needed to give us a
120# pressure to operate the high pressure injector to
carry the sterilizing solution from the chlorinator to the
discharge side of the pump.

We are attaching hereto our proposal covering
the furnishing and installing of one of our Chloro-Clocks
and extra equipment needed for treating the water at the
McKay Indian Residential School, all for the sum of \$1473.00.
We are also attaching hereto our Technical Publications #77
and #54.

If we can be of any further service, do not hesi-
tate to call upon us. We trust we will hear from you shortly.

Yours very truly,

Sgd. WALLACE & TIERNAN LIMITED.

H. O. Lindsten
District Manager.

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The Pas, Manitoba.
October 27th, 1930.

358-135

Dear Sir:-

Some time since, the Rev. A. Fraser, Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, reported to me that the water at the school was bad.

I had the Provincial Sanitary Inspector, Mr. Flattery, visit the school and take samples of the water from the well and from the supply tank. Upon analysis the water showed a count of over 10,000 bacteria per c.c. and colon bacilli positive 1 c.c. and 5 c.c. Samples were again taken on September 17th, 1930 which resulted as follows:-

Tap Water	Colon Bacilli	Positive	Over	25000	Bacterial	Plate	Count	c.c.
Well "	"	"	"	"	10000	"	"	" c.c.

This showed the water was considerably worse, and also showed that the water was not properly chlorinated.

On October 7th, I again visited the school with Mr. Flattery who again demonstrated to the staff the proper method of chlorinating the water, and I have had no complaint since.

In the meantime I have had the pupils and staff inoculated as a precautionary measure.

As Mr. Flattery advised me that the only safe measure was to put in a Wallace & Tiernan chlorinator, I thought it advisable to get a price on it. I enclose herewith correspondence from these people who state the full installation of same would cost \$1473.00.

In the meantime I shall watch closely to see the process of chlorinating is properly carried out.

Trusting this has your approval.

Yours obedient servant,

Sgd. W. G. Tweddell,

Indian Agent.

W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

W. REGINA, SASK., 6th November, 1930.



Sir:-

With reference to Department telegram of the 4th instant, concerning the water supply at the Mackay School, I enclose copy of a letter received from Mr. W. G. Tweddell, Indian Agent, in regard to the matter and copies of the correspondence referred to therein, in which are contained recommendations of the Provincial Sanitary Inspector. Will you please advise me in due course what action the Department desires me to take.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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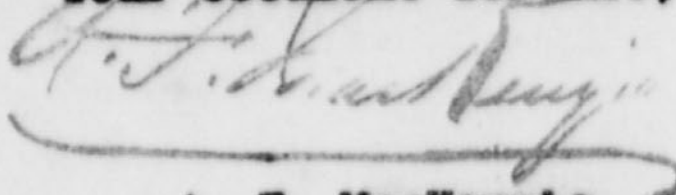
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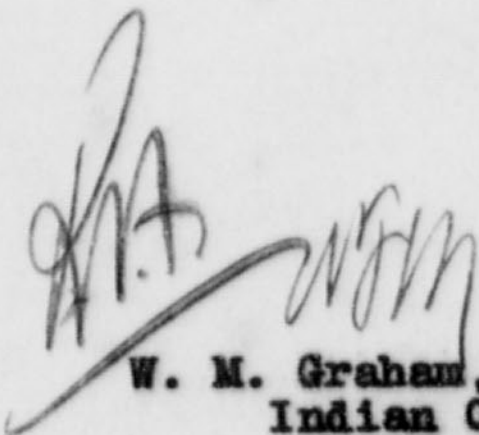
Sir:

I have your 205-11A C.E. of the 6th instant, with enclosures, concerning the fitness of the water supply at the MacKay Indian Residential School. I note that the staff has been instructed with reference to chlorinating the water and that there have been no complaints since. I am making a note for next year's estimates, concerning the advisability of installing a proper chlorinator.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.



W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.



Beaver Lumber Company Limited,

HEAD OFFICE, WINNIPEG.

Dealers in

Lumber, Building Materials and Coal.

Sold to

The Pas, Man..

Nov. 6/30

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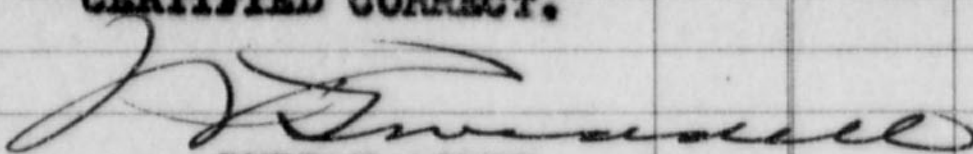
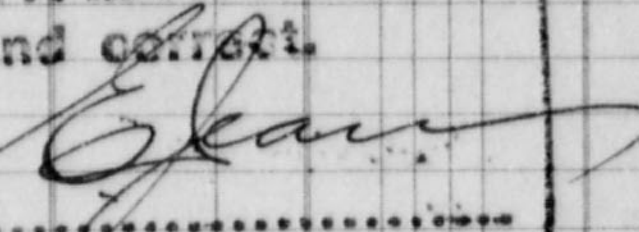
No Mackay School.

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Indian Dept.

TERMS:

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS.

MONTH	DATE	Nº PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
		1	1x10-18 Spr.		15	48.	.70	✓
LUMBER RECEIVED FOR REPAIRS IN BOILER HOUSE AT MACKAY INDIAN RES.SCHOOL PRICE JUST & FAIR CERTIFIED CORRECT.								
VOUCHER NO.271		 INDIAN AGENT.						
Got by Mr. Turner.								
6352 11-30 12-17 EXAMINED and found correct. 								

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Letter No. 271

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Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

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November 6th 1930

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Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 271

amounting to \$ 70 in favour

of Beaver Lumber Co. Ltd. The Pas Manitoba

for Board re repairs of Boiler House at MacKay Indian Res. School
The Pas.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated Emergent.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]

Indian Agent.

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[Signature]

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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THE PAS. MAN.

Nov 16th

1930

Mackay School

Indian Dept Per W.G. Tweddell Esq^rIN ACCOUNT
WITH**James Shedden**

PLUMBING, HEATING, TINSMITHING AND SHEET METAL WORK

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED

10% INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

1930

To Repairing toilets
and water pipes
in boys lavatory5 ft 6" $\frac{1}{2}$ Galv pipes

90 ✓

2 Rubber Washers

20 ✓

1.5" Galv T

25 ✓

Time of plumber

7

✓ 18

35 ✓

GOODS SUPPLIED .WORK PERFORMED TO SATISFACTION OF
AGENT. PRICE JUST & FAIR CERTIFIED CORRECT.*W.G. Tweddell*

VOUCHER NO. 280

INDIAN AGENT.

5436

Sent Nov. 18/30

EXAMINED and
found correct.*[Signature]*



R

Letter No. 280

Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

November 11th 1930.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 280, amounting to \$8.35 in favour of James Shedden Esq. The Pas Manitoba for Repairing boy's toilet at MacKay Indian Res. School The Pas. Manitoba

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated Emergent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

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12. MACKAY

- done*
- (a) Main school building to be re-sided or brick veneered.
Estimated cost \$1000.00 *Resided 128-1-5*
- needed for 1932-3*
- (b) Repairing and redecorating interior of main school building.
Estimated cost \$500.00 *1932-3*
- (c) Sideboards, tables and benches for children's dining-room.
Estimated cost \$250.00 *1931-2*
- Hein 1931-2*
- (d) Repairs to heating system.
Estimated cost \$350.00 *1931-2*
- (e) Telephone from the Principal's residence to the main school building. *want*
Estimated cost \$100.00
- (f) Repairs to roof and floor of stock barn.
Estimated cost \$500.00 *1931-2*
- noted*
- (g) New work-shop 24 x 30 with full basement for roots.
Estimated cost \$2400.00 *Later*

12. MACKAY cont.

- noted*
- (h) Motor truck
Estimated cost \$1,000.00 *1931-2*
(See your letter Sept. 3, #128-1-14)
- noted*
- (i) Mowing machine and rake
Estimated cost \$140.00 *✓*
- noted*
- (j) Telephone communication with The Pas
Estimated cost \$2500.00 *Later*
- noted*
- (k) Chlorinating process for water supply
Estimated cost \$400.00 *OK*
- 7*
- (l) Separate building for class-room instruction, and provision for vocational training in basement of the same. (see page 2 above).
- Forwarded with Westgate letter Oct 28 1931-2*

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CANADA

379-135



128-1-5
R

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



The Pas, Manitoba,
November 11th, 1930

Dear Sir:-

I am enclosing herewith Voucher No.280 in favor of James Shedden, Esq., for \$8.35, representing repairs carried out at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, Manitoba.

I may say that I had Mr. Shedden doing some boiler and radiator repairs at the school, on authority from Commissioner Graham, and as the boy's lavatory required a little fixing up, I had Mr. Shedden do this while he was up there, this saving extra transportation as this school is situated about eight miles from The Pas.

I trust this will meet with your approval.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa Ontario.

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Department of Health and Public Welfare
Division of Disease Prevention

Winnipeg, Canada

The Pas,
6th November, 1930.

Mr. Tweddell,
Department of Indian Affairs,
The Pas.

Dear Sir:

McKay School Big Eddy

I re-inspected the above school 29th October. As there is no means of checking the amount of water pumped at the well it is no use attempting to sterilize with chloride of lime at the well. Two large tanks have been provided, one three barrel tank in the kitchen and one barrel in Mr. Frasers residence.

Chloride of lime is added and the water tested each lime. I took a sample from the kitchen tank and from the tap.

The result of the examination of the samples were as follows:

	Colon Bacilli	Bacterial Plate Count per c.c.
Kitchen Tap	negative	1000
Water Tank	negative	0

If further samples have the same result as above there will be no need of a chlorinator, but if future samples are positive the only measure will be the installation of a chlorinator.

Yours truly,

Sgd. M. Flattery.
Provincial Sanitary Inspector.

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No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

W. REGINA, SASK., 13th November, 1930.

R

Sir:-

With reference to the Department's telegram of the 4th instant, concerning water contamination at the Mackay School, I have now received a further report from the Provincial Sanitary Inspector, a copy of which I enclose. This report seems to indicate that no further action need be taken at the present time and I think therefore the matter can stand in abeyance.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Mackay School

Indian Dept. per W. T. Tweddell Esq.

IN ACCOUNT
WITH

James Shedden

PLUMBING, HEATING, TINSMITHING AND SHEET METAL WORK

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED

10% INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

1930

To Repairs to
heating plant
et as per estimate
of Sept 8th \$145 ✓

TO WORK PERFORMED. MATERIAL SUPPLIED. PER AGREEMENT
ATTACHED & TO SATISFACTION OF AGENT.
PRICE JUST & FAIR CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER NO. 279

INDIAN AGENT.

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found correct.

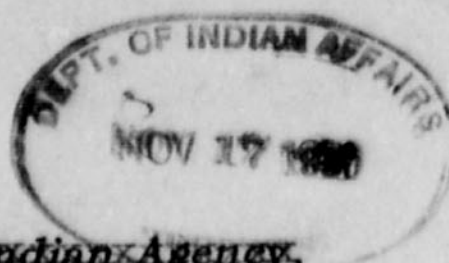
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Letter No. 205-11A. C.E.



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R



Office of the Indian Commissioner Indian Agency,

14th November 1930.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 272, from the Pas Agency

amounting to \$ 145.00 in favour

of James Shedden, The Pas, Man.

for repairs to Mackay Indian Residential School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 18th September, 1930.
together with undated form of agreement.

Your obedient servant,

INDIAN EDUCATION

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Indian Agent.

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MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL.

The classroom work is carried on in two rooms. The senior room is in charge of Miss Farrow, with an enrolment of 46 pupils, and the junior room with Miss Scott as teacher, with an enrolment of 40 pupils. These ladies are both qualified teachers, and use good methods in presenting the work. The children write well and appear to be fairly well along in their respective grades. However, these children will not speak out, and it is almost impossible to hear them read or answer any question. The discipline is only fair, and the children are very

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MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL (CONT'D.)

are very lax in their carriage and manner of standing. Both the teachers are small of stature, which is somewhat a handicap in their endeavour to enforce discipline. I find this slackness throughout the institution, which no doubt increases the difficulty of enforcing proper discipline in the classroom.

The girls were neatly dressed and clean in appearance. The boys were a rough and ready lot, and it appeared as though little interest had been shown in their personal appearance, either by themselves or any member of the staff.

The classrooms are large and roomy with plenty of light and fresh air.

The building throughout was clean, and the windows all in good repair.

The dormitories I found to be clean. The beds were all neatly made, and I understand all bedding is washed every two weeks. Both the boys and girls are provided with nightgowns in which to sleep. The mattresses are in bad condition. Many have been re-covered, but this does not do away with the strong undesirable odour which I detected on entering the dormitories. New mattresses are badly needed.

The outside windows were all on, which makes ventilation more difficult. Two of the windows in each dormitory, facing on the large verandah, might have the upper half without glass, and these would need to be heavily screened so as to prevent the children escaping during the night. The inside windows could then either be raised or lowered from the top, as desired, in order

to prevent

MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL (CONT'D.)

to prevent draught. I believe this arrangement would greatly improve conditions.

The fire escapes have been improved by the new steps leading down on the verandahs from each dormitory. The water supply is good, but it is difficult, with the present pump, to keep up the pressure when once the fire hose are in use. There is one large fire extinguisher in the hall on the first, second and third story, but I think one should be supplied for the kitchen and one for the bakery, which is in the basement. I understand fire drill is observed, but I believe it should be practiced more often, especially at night.

The soft water cistern is in the basement. It is built in the middle of a large room, and the walls are about 6 ft. high. A small platform is built along one side, about 4 ft. high, on which the children stand in order to bail the water from the cistern. This is a dangerous arrangement, and the entire cistern, which is about 10' x 10' square, should be covered with plank and a proper pump supplied.

The tables in the children's dining room should be covered, as the boards have dried apart, and it is difficult to keep them clean and sanitary. Two or three of the tables, along with other furniture, came from the old Battleford institution and are past repair. These should be renewed. The walls leading to the entrance of the kitchen and the boys' playroom should be repaired. The plaster is off in places, and I think if these walls were covered with metallic sheeting, it would prevent further destruction and also lessen danger from fire.

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MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL (CONT'D.)

There are a number of places throughout the building where the plaster needs to be repaired, and this work should be carried out before any interior decorating is done. The building should be decorated throughout as the place is dark and gloomy, and has had little painting done for a number of years. The roof leaks in two places and this should be repaired at once as it is effecting the plaster and will cause it to fall. The roof could no doubt be patched for the present, although the shingles do not look good and it may be found necessary to re-shingle it in the near future.

The water supply has become contaminated, and it is necessary to treat it before being used. The last test showed it to be free of germs, but the treatment will need to be continued until further tests are made. I noticed the water trough for all the stock is just outside the pump house, and the stock coming there for water keeps the place dirty. I think if the water were piped to the barn and this trough removed, with the surroundings thoroughly cleaned, some of the trouble might be overcome. I understand there is a pipe line to the barn, but no one knows why the use of it had been discontinued. No doubt it froze at the barn, after which the trough was removed to its present location by the well.

The barn was clean and all tools neatly put away. The floor of the barn is badly worn in places, and should be renewed. A new chicken house has been erected, and next year Mr. Fraser said a start would be made to keep poultry. At present they have none.

I saw the horses and cattle, and their condition has greatly improved. I believe they are receiving some care and attention, and this year they have obtained

about

MECKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL (CONT'D.)

about 100 loads of hay, so that no shortage should occur. The present bull has been at the school four years, and should be disposed of.

The meals provided are plain, but well cooked. The breakfast consists of porridge with sugar and milk when possible, also bread with lard or butter, and tea. At noon, the meal consists of meat or fish with potatoes, carrots or some other vegetable. Bread and tea are also given. The supper consists of boiled puddings (rice or batter pudding), Johnny cake, bread, grease and tea. The children looked well, and I believe receive plenty of whatever is served.

The staff consists of the following members:-

Principal	Rev. A. Fraser
Mechanic	Mr. Turner
Farming Instructor	Mr. White
Night Watchman	Mr. Fraser (Principal's Son)
Matron	Miss Warnener
Sr. Teacher	Miss Farrow
Jr. Teacher	Miss Scott
Boys' Matron	Miss Griffiths
Laundry Matron	Miss Northwood
Kitchen Matron	Mrs. Evans
Sewing Matron	Miss Fraser
	(Principal's daughter)

I found many improvements made during the last year, and the building and yards are in better condition, and yet there is room for vast improvement.

The boys have no supervision during recreation hours, and apparently are left to run wild. They are ill-mannered, and I do not think the staff have much control. I believe if a proper boys' supervisor were secured, and he would need to be a real man, it would be a big step towards handling the children. This would also strengthen the authority of the other members, who at present find themselves

often unable

MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL (CONT'D.)

often unable to control the children. This situation applies to both the girls and boys. To my mind this is the weak spot of the institution, and until someone is placed in charge or made a member of the staff, who can handle children and enforce discipline, the object of the school will be defeated.

I find Mr. Fraser, the Principal, apparently willing to carry out any suggestions, and considering the condition existing when he assumed control, less than a year ago, progress has been made. He is not, however, a disciplinarian, and as a result, the children are not receiving the training along this line which they much require. A man as boys' supervisor, who is a disciplinarian, would make a vast difference in the tone of the institution, and I think the other members would find it less difficult to control the children.

Westgate
written
on
128-1-1

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A. G. Hamilton

A. G. Hamilton,
Inspector of Indian Agencies.



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

W. REGINA, SASK., 20th November, 1930.



Sir:-

I beg to enclose herewith a report on The Pas Agency by Inspector Hamilton.

With reference to the Pas Indian Day School, you will note the Inspector says that the school building needs exterior painting and that the teacher's residence is also in need of painting outside. I may say that amounts have been provided in the Estimates to meet these expenditures.

I wish to draw to your attention that part of the Inspector's report which deals with the situation of the soft water cistern. There is danger here and it should be remedied.

You will also note the Inspector's remarks in regard to the tables in the dining room of the Mackay School. There is an item of \$800.00 in the Estimates to repair the dining room floor and other work. You will also note that the water supply is not fit for use. There is also an item of \$400.00 in the Estimates to repair the barn floor and paint it. I cannot say that the report is very encouraging. The new Principal, Mr. A. Fraser, has been a disappointment.

Your obedient servant,

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

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Mr. J. G. Bland

Ottawa, November 28, 1930.

Sir,-

I have your 205-11 of the 20th instant, enclosing Inspector Hamilton's report on the schools of The Pas Agency. Two additional fire extinguishers will be supplied for the MacKay Indian Residential School. Will you arrange to have soft water cistern in the basement covered and a pump installed. Next year it is the intention to supply a chlorinator to make the water supply safe. A vote will also be secured to fix up the dining room tables, etc. I hope there will be funds next year for the repairing of the barn floor.

I am writing to the church authorities with a view to securing a strong disciplinarian as boys' supervisor.

Your obedient servant.

W. M. Graham

W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina,
Saskatchewan.

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

Ottawa, December 2, 1930.

Gentlemen:

Manitoba / I have to request that you will forward, charges prepaid, addressed to Mr. W. G. Tweddell, Indian Agent, The Pas, two (2) one gallon pressure type Pyrene extinguishers, complete with charge and bracket for hanging same. These should be supplied at the lowest price charged this Department.

Your account, in duplicate, covering the cost F.O.B. The Pas, should be forwarded to Mr. Tweddell, who is being informed of the order placed with you, and requested, upon receipt of the extinguishers, to certify the account and send it to the Department for payment.

Yours truly,

*Sgt. F. H. Paget* *over*F. H. Paget,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.

Pyrene Mfg. Co. of Canada Ltd.,
1197-1207 King St., W.,
Toronto 2, Ont.

Ottawa, December 2, 1930.

Sir:

Mr. Inspector Hamilton, in a report on his recent inspection of the MacKay Indian Residential School, recommends that fire extinguishers be supplied for use in the kitchen and bakery.

In this connection I have to say that an order is today being placed with the Pyrene Mfg. Co. of Canada, Ltd., Toronto, to ship, addressed to you, charges prepaid, two (2) 1 gallon pressure type Pyrene extinguishers, complete with charge and bracket for hanging same. The above firm have been requested to forward their account, in duplicate, covering the cost of the extinguishers F.O.B., The Pas, to you, and, upon receipt of same, if in good condition, you should certify the account in the usual manner and send it to the Department for payment.

When these extinguishers are received, you should have them taken to the school and instruct the Principal to place one in the kitchen and the other in the bakery.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

W. G. Tweddell
W. G. Tweddell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Mackay School. The Pas, Man
Nov - 24th 1930.

W. G. Ineddell Esq
Indian Agency
The Pas, Man -

Dear Sir,
I find enclosed an account
that I received a few weeks
ago - and which has now been
re-dated.

When ordering for the
various articles mentioned; I
informed the firm that it was not
a personal account - but for the
installing the hot water system
in the Principal's Residence of
The Mackay Residential School - and that
the Bill would be paid no doubt by
the Indian Agent - since it was
an Indian Department School - and
Residence - I am sorry these
people were slow in getting this
account to your Office - of which
everything is O.K. with the exception of
the exorbitant charge of threading the pipes.
Thanking you - Yours faithfully
A. F. Brown
Principal

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

406-142



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

The Pas, Manitoba,
November 27th, 1930

Dear Sir:-

Inclosed please find bills from Frost Bros., together with a letter from the Rev Fraser, Principal, of the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas.

This letter would place the blame for the delay in presenting the bill upon Frost Bros., however I have interviewed Mr. Sheddon, who has taken over Frost Brothers business here. He informs me that his instructions from Mr. Fraser was to charge this bill to the Church Commission, and that Mr. Fraser received a bill once each month, but took no notice of them.

Mr. Fraser had no authority from me for this expenditure, therefore I had no knowledge of such a transaction, till now.

The hot water tank was installed in the contract for plumbing, but no provisions made for connecting it with the range which was purchased and put in later by authority from Commissioner W.M. Graham, Regina.

Though the bill was contracted without authority it appears to be chargeable to the Department.

Mr. Sheddon explains the overcharge for threading pipes, thus. A diagram was sent to him, giving lengths of pipes to be cut and threaded and fitted to couplings, ready to put in place by Mr. Turner, mechanic at the school.

This to me does not look to be an overcharge.

I am sending two copies of the bill, unsigned, for your consideration and instructions.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa

Indian Agent.

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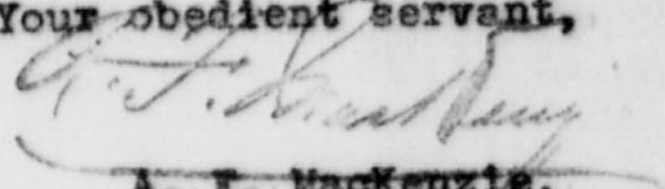
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Ottawa, December 5, 1930.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 27th ultimo, enclosing an account, in duplicate, from Frost Bros., The Pas, for work performed by them and material supplied in installing a hot water tank in the Principal's residence at the MacKay Indian Residential School. This account is being returned herewith. Our funds are entirely assigned, and it is considered that, if this account is in order, it should be paid by the school authorities from their per capita earnings or other receipts, and you may advise the Principal accordingly.

Your obedient servant,


A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.
ENC.W. G. Tweddell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

PACKING MEMO.

SHIP TO

Mr. W. G. Tweddell,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Manitoba.



Pyrene Manufacturing Company
OF CANADA LIMITED



1197-1207 KING ST. WEST

Toronto

DEC 6 DECA - 1930

SOLD TO

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Date Ship'd

Ship'd From

Toronto

Our No.

5123-2

Your No.

Ship'd Via

Prepaid C.E.R.

Quantity

DESCRIPTION

Price

Price Total

2

1 Gal. Pyrene Extinguishers with Brackets ✓

42.43

84.86

Sales Tax Included

7M-4-29

Shipped

80

Boxes

Cartons

2

Crates

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Agent's No.....

Dec. 4 1930

The Rate of Freight from.

(Mail Address—Not for purposes of Delivery.)

Consigned to.....
Destination..... { Province or State of Man. County of ✓

Route..... Car Initial..... Car No.....

Agent or Cashier.

(The signature here acknowledges only the amount prepaid.)

Charges Advanced:

§.....

PYRENE MANUFACTURING CO.

OF CANADA, LIMITED

Shipper.

Per

Per

(This Bill of Lading is to be signed by the shipper and agent of the carrier issuing same.)

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Ottawa, December 16, 1930.

Sir:

I have to refer you to official letter of the 2nd instant, informing you of the order placed with the Pyrene Mfg. Co. of Canada Ltd., Toronto, to ship, addressed to you, two extinguishers. An account covering the cost has been received by the Department, although the above firm was requested to forward same direct to you. If you have not received the account, I have to request, if the extinguishers have been received, that you will certify the enclosed account in duplicate and return same to the Department as soon as possible, in order that payment can be made. If, however, you have received an account, it will only be necessary for you to forward to the Department the certified account in duplicate.

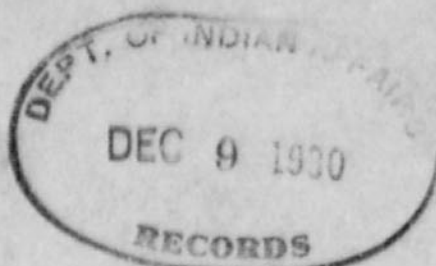
Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

W. G. Tweddell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 205-11A C.E.
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

D REGINA, SASK., Dec. 6th, 1930

Sir:-

On the 13th. ultimo I wrote you regarding the water supply at the MacKay Indian Residential School, enclosing copy of a report from the Provincial Sanitary Inspector, in which he stated that if further samples of the water showed the same result as those which he had recently tested there would be no need of a chlorinator.

I am now in receipt of a further report from our Agent at The Pas, in which he informs me that Mr. Flattery has given him a recent report which indicates that a chlorinator is necessary at once. Would you kindly take steps to have this matter looked into and the chlorinator supplied.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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THE PAS, MAN. December 16th 1930

M. Department of Indian Affairs, The Pas, Man.

Bought of

WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE**

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE

PARTICULARS

Folio 419

2, 30 DAYS NET 30 DAYS

BALANCE

1 only #3 Cistern Pump

3.45 ✓

8½ Ft. 1½" Galv. Pipe & Cutting

.30

2.55 ✓

Dept. 128-1-5, dated 28/11/30.

GOODS SUPPLIED FOR TANK AT MACKAY SCHOOL. THE PAS.

PRICE JUST & FAIR CERTIFIED CORRECT.

✓ \$ 6.00 ✓

J. W. Timm

VOUCHER NO. 326

INDIAN AGENT.

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EXAMINED and
found correct.*Cham*

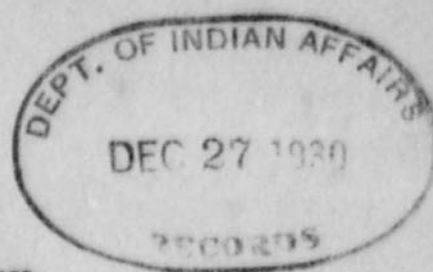
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Letter No. 205-11a C.E.



Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Indian Agency~~

23rd December 1930

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 326
from The Pas Agency
amounting to \$ 6.00 in favour
of Wood Vallance Limited, The Pas, Manitoba
for pump & pipe for soft-water tank at Mackay School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 28/11/30

Your obedient servant,

INDIAN EDUCATION

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Indian Commissioner.



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PHONE LAKESIDE 9176

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TERMS NET 30 DAYS

Pyrene Manufacturing Company
OF CANADA LIMITED
1197-1207 KING ST. WEST



SH

Mr. W. G. Tweddell,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Manitoba.

Toronto

VOTE 7
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SOLD TO Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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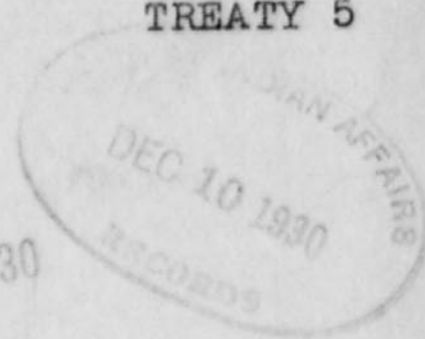
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Date Ship'd

Ship'd From

Toronto

Salesman

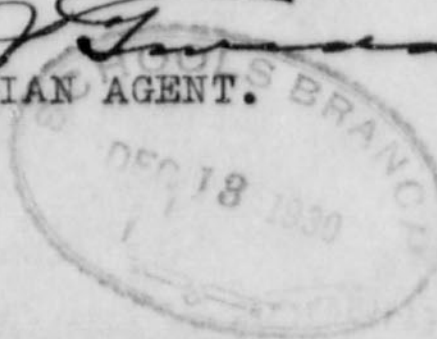


Our No. E123-2

Your No.

Ship'd Via Prepaid C.N.R.

Quantity	DESCRIPTION	Price	Price Total	Total
2	1 Gal. Pyrene Extinguishers with Brackets	42.43	84.86	84.86
<i>Jan 2</i> <i>Int Rec 2/3</i> <i>6643</i> Sales Tax Included GOODS RECEIVED FOR THE MACKAY INDIAN RESID. SCHOOL. THE PAS. PRICE JUST & FAIR CERTIFIED CORRECT. VOUCHER NO. 332 INDIAN AGENT. EXAMINED and found correct.				



100-18M-4-29

Our responsibility ceases when goods are delivered in good condition to carrier.
No goods accepted for credit unless return is authorized by home office.

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Letter No. 332

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Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

December 22nd 1930

Sir,

Asst

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 332,

amounting to \$84.86 in favour

of Pyrene Manufacturing Co. of Canada Ltd. 1197-1207 King St. W.
Toronto Ontario.

for Two Extinguishers & Brackets for the MacKay Indian Res.
School at The Pas

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated December 2nd 1930

Your obedient servant,

INDIAN EDUCATION

Pay

J. G. [Signature]

Indian Agent.

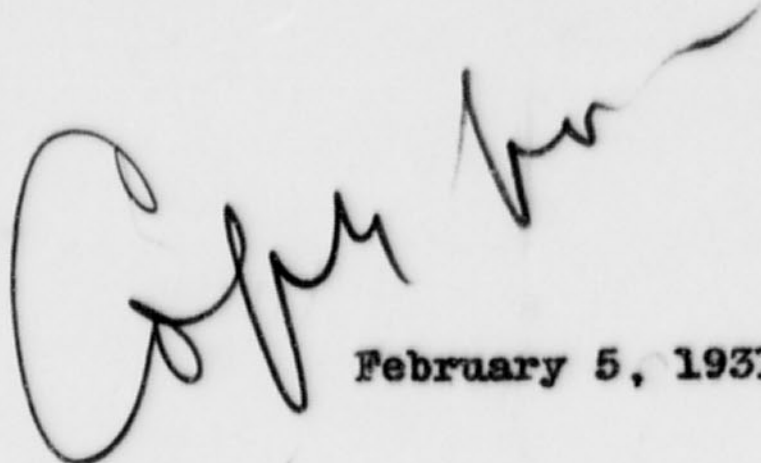
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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February 5, 1931.Memorandum:

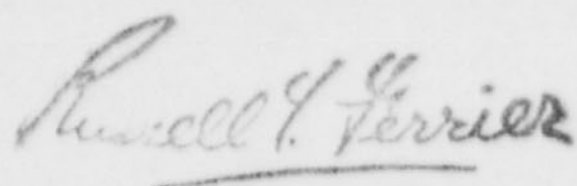
DR. SCOTT.

With reference to the attached memorandum, concerning the condition of the MacKay Indian Residential School, I have to report that the main building was completed in 1914: that it is of frame construction and is not by any means one of our more modern institutions. No doubt, the expenditure of a considerable sum would be necessary if it were to be put in perfect condition.

There have been several changes in principalship at this school of recent years, as none was proving satisfactory, and it is entirely probable that the building was not kept in good repair. A departmental Inspector visited the school last fall and reported that the plaster needed repairs in several places and that the rooms would have to be redecorated. The dining room tables need recovering and new flooring is required in a few of the rooms and in the main barn.

There is an item of \$1,200 in the Main Estimates for these purposes. It is also proposed to provide a chlorinator for the water supply and to give the school a motor truck, as there is now a decent road to The Pas.

Mr. Inspector Hamilton reports that, in the near future, it will be necessary to reroof the main building; but, as this is the first time it has been brought to the Department's attention, I consider that this repair could be postponed until next year.



Supt. of Indian Education.

OTTAWA, March 31st. 1931.

M. Dept. of Indian Affairs.

Att. Mr. Ferrier

Mackay Ind. Residential School Order #128-1-4

TO **BYSHE & CO.**

Bicycles and Sporting Goods

PHONE Q. 1888

223 BANK STREET

Mar. 19	2 Footballs, @ 3.75	7.50	✓
	2 Basketballs, @ 8.25	16.50	✓
	2 Playground Balls, 1.30	2.60	✓
		26.60	✓

EXAMINED and
found correct.

Certified correct,
supplies furnished,
charges fair and just.

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PHONE 112

ESTABLISHED 1912

P.O. BOX 313

EDWARDS AVE.:

THE PAS, MAN. MARCH 1931.

M The Department of Indian Affairs,VOTE 7
TREATY 5

The Pas.

CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician * Machine and Electric Shop

TERMS NETT : ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED. INTEREST AT 8 PER CENT.

1930.	McKay Boarding School.			
Novr 27	Attention to Storage Batteries, locating and correcting short circuits. Electrician 8 hrs. 1 Hydrometer.	1.25	10.00 1.25	
1931.	McKay Boarding School.			
Feby 12	Repairs to Switchboard, circuit breaker etc. Electrician 7 hrs. 6 Fuses	1.25 .15	8.75 90	
SERVICES RENDERED. REPAIRS TO MACKAY SCHOOL. PRICE JUST & FAIR CERTIFIED CORRECT.			\$20.90	

VOUCHER NO. 2 correct. INDIAN AGENT.

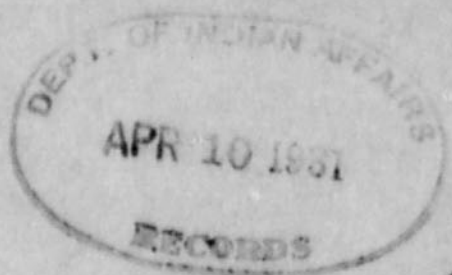
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128-1-5



Letter No. 2

Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

April 4th 1931

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 2

amounting to \$20.90 in favour

of Chas. W. Hill Esq. The Pas Manitoba

for Electrical repairs carried out at the MacKay I.R. School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated Emergent.

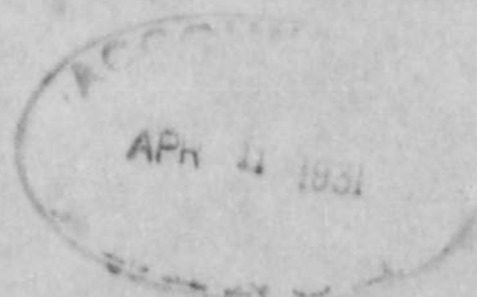
Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature of the Indian Agent]

Indian Agent.

[Large handwritten signature, possibly 'Schools']

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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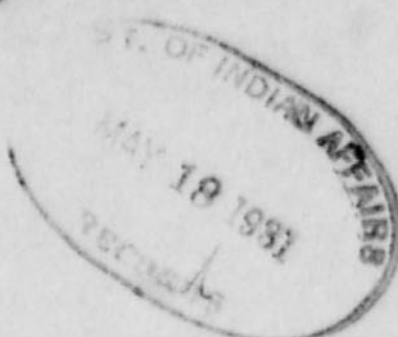


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CANADA

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 205-11A C.E.
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

W. REGINA, SASK., 15th May, 1931.



Sir:-

Cost 100.

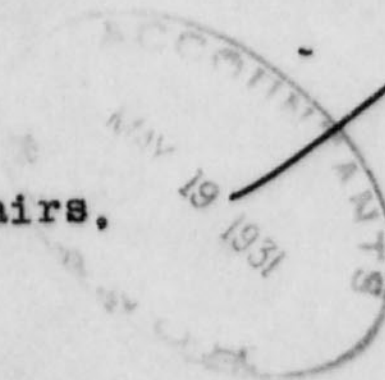
I have been forwarded by Mr. W. G. Tweddell, Indian Agent at The Pas, a report of the Boiler Inspector upon the boiler in use at the MacKay Indian Residential School. Therein it is intimated that (1.) new nipples are required in the return main, (2.) new arch is needed over the fire door, (3) that the boiler will have to be partly reset. This appears to be an old Vulcan Iron Works boiler built in 1913. It seems to me that repairs of this nature should be undertaken by the school authorities. Please advise me so that I may communicate with the Indian Agent.

Your obedient servant,



W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Ottawa, May 20, 1931.

Sir:

I have your 205-11A C.E. of the 15th instant, regarding the repairs required to the boiler at the MacKay Indian Residential School. In reply I have to say that the Department usually provides the cost of repairs to mechanical equipment, and I have to request that you will obtain and forward to Ottawa an estimate of the cost of carrying out the repairs to the boiler, as mentioned in your letter. The matter of authorizing the repairs will then receive consideration.

Your obedient servant,

T. R. L. MacInnes
T. R. L. MacInnes,
Acting Secretary.

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

Minister's Office

MEMORANDUM

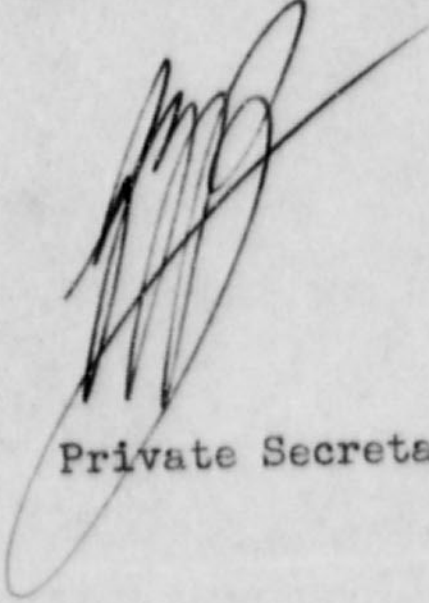
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June 16, 1931.

DR. SCOTT.

I am sending herewith a letter addressed to the Minister by Mr. B. M. Stitt, M.P., requesting some painting at the McKay Boarding School at The Pas, Manitoba.

Will you please return the letter and inform me if there is sufficient money in the appropriations to provide for this expenditure.



Private Secretary.

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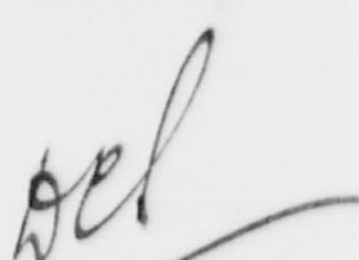
Ottawa, June 19, 1931.

Dear Mr. Stitt:

I have your letter of the 13th instant, with reference to painting at the MacKay Indian Residential School, near The Pas. It is proposed to repair or renew the dining room tables and to replace part of the flooring in the barn at this school this year. Further, it is necessary to arrange for the chlorination of the domestic water supply, and there was provided \$1,700. in the Appropriation for Indian Education for these purposes.

The improvements mentioned are really urgent and I believe they should be proceeded with. This will mean that the painting will have to stand until next year, unless we find that it can be included for the amount provided. I should be pleased if you would let me have the name of a competent carpenter, who could take charge of the repairs to the dining room tables and the barn floor. When this work is nearing completion, it will then be determined whether or not the painting can be done this year. You might also indicate the name of the firm from which we should purchase the lumber.

Very truly yours,



B. M. Stitt, Esq., M. P.,
House of Commons,
O t t a w a.

The Pas, Manitoba,
June 17th, 1931.

680-135

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your 205-11A C.E. of May 27th, 1931, re boiler at the MacKay Indian Residential School, the Pas, I beg to say that I had Mr. C. Dickens, a competent man, visit the school and inspect this boiler.

I have his report and estimate of cost, as below:-

1. Fire brick inside all more or less burned out, and need replacing with new fire brick and fire clay.
2. The Arch over the fire door is burned out. New one required.
3. Outside wall on one side of the boiler is bulged and cracked needs to be torn out and re-built.
4. The Return pipe is rusted through and needs replacing with new one.
5. The three pet-cocks on gauge glass are badly damaged and out of order. These need replacing and plug at bottom of same is broken in and needs drilling out and retapping.
6. The front frame of boiler is broken and needs Acetelene welding
7. Hinges on clean out door of boiler are broken. Need replacing.
8. The piping on domestic supply of hot water, near jacket heater is rusted and leaks, needs replacing.

"Generally speaking the whole thing is in poor shape and needs attention badly"

All of the above repairs I will be pleased to carry out for the sum of \$355.00 (Three Hundred and Fifty Five Dollars) provided no other repairs develop, that cannot be seen at present, and if this should happen, I will immediately report before proceeding to do any work, other than stated above".

The arch, I understand, will cost Mr. Dickens \$75. to \$80. Winnipeg, and with freight and drayage will be in the neighborhood of \$100.00.

Awaiting your instructions.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd. W. G. Tweddell,
Indian Agent

W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

W. REGINA, SASK. 20th June, 1931.

Sir:-

With reference to Department No. 128-1-5 of the 20th ultimo, I enclose copy of a letter received from Mr. W. G. Tweddell with reference to repairs needed for the boiler at the Mackay Indian Residential School. The extent of these seems to be greater than was anticipated when the boiler Inspector's report was received. No further action will be taken pending receipt of word from the Department.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Minister's Office

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MEMORANDUM

June 25, 1931.

Dr. Scott

Re repairs required to the
McKay Indian Residential School near The Pas.

You have on your files a copy of
a letter addressed by the Minister to Mr. B. M.
Stitt, M.P., on the 19th instant. Hugh
Inkster, of The Pas, will undertake the carpenter
work necessary, while the lumber required may be
purchased from the Beaver Lumber Company.

Private Secretary.

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June 30, 1931.

MEMORANDUMMR. BUSKARD.

Repairs are needed to the heating boiler of the MacKay Indian Residential School near The Pas, Man. The Indian Agent engaged Mr. C. Dickens, of The Pas, whom he described as a competent person to visit the school and inspect the boiler and to prepare an estimate of the cost. The repairs involve an expenditure of \$355. Will it be satisfactory to have Mr. Dickens undertake the work? If not, please let me have the name of a boiler maker in The Pas whom we could engage.

R.A. *W.C.*

Ottawa, June 29, 1931.

Sir:

Funds are now available to make certain repairs at the MacKay Indian Residential School. In Mr. Inspector Hamilton's last report, he recommended that the tables in the children's dining room be covered and two or three of them replaced, as they were beyond repair. Battleship linoleum has been found suitable for covering dining room tables. It is also reported that the floor of the barn should be repaired. I also understand that one or two places on the roof need repairing.

Please engage Mr. Hugh Inkster, of The Pas, to undertake these repairs. The materials should be purchased from the Beaver Lumber Company. Soon after Mr. Inkster starts the work, he should let you have an estimate of the total cost of these improvements so that the Department can determine what other work, if any, can be authorized at this school.

Steps are being taken by the Department to arrange for the installation of a chlorinator, and Mr. Indian Commissioner Graham has been written regarding the repairs to the boiler. You will hear from him.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

W. G. Tweddell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

355 boiler
1500 chlorinator
nothing more
11/7/31 //



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, July 8, 1931.

Mr. Ferris

Mr. C. Dickens, of The Pas, may be employed in connection with the repairs to the heating boiler, MacKay Indian Residential School, provided his price is considered satisfactory. He is reported to be a reliable and first-class mechanic.

Duncan Scott

D.S.G.I.A.

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Ottawa, July 8, 1931.

Sir:

I have your 205-11A C.E.
of the 20th ultimo, with enclosure,
concerning repairs to the boiler
at the MacKay Indian Residential
School. The Department is today
instructing Mr. Indian Agent
Tweddell in this connection.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

Ottawa, July 8, 1931.

Sir:

I wish to refer to your 680-135 of the 17th ultimo to Mr. Commissioner Graham, with reference to repairs to the boiler at the MacKay Indian Residential School. You may have Mr. C. Dickens, of The Pas, undertake the work mentioned in your letter, at a cost of \$355. His estimate should not be exceeded, as our funds are extremely limited. In due course, please forward a properly certified account, in duplicate, showing in some detail the work that was undertaken.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

W. G. Tweddell
W. G. Tweddell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.



128-1-5.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

June 29, 1931.

Memorandum:

[Signature]
MR. ORR.

Funds are now available for the installation of a chlorinator at the MacKay Indian Residential School. You will remember there has been some correspondence in this connection. As funds are quite low and a saving should be effected, if at all possible, would you consider trying one of the less expensive installations?

[Signature]

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July 10, 1931.

Memorandum:

Mr. Buskard.

The Department was advised last October that the water supply system at the MacKay Indian Residential School at The Pas, Man. was undrinkable. After having samples of this water analysed by the Provincial Health Officer it was found that the water was polluted, and that the only safe way of sterilizing it would be by means of a Chlorinator.

Upon further investigating the condition of the water the Indian Agent was advised that an installation which would ensure complete sterilization of the water supply in the School would cost in the neighborhood of \$1,500.00.

As it is essential that the above mentioned Institution be provided with safe and dependable drinking water it is suggested that a chlorinating equipment of the type manufactured by Wallace and Tiernan of Toronto, (W. & T. Chlore-Clock) be installed. An apparatus of this kind would cost between \$1,400.00 and \$1,500.00 including its installation. This apparatus comprises the furnishing of a testing outfit for the proper supervision of the water, etc.

As I am advised that the apparatus supplied by the firm of Wallace and Tiernan is thoroughly dependable and well known all over the country, I should like to be advised whether this firm should be invited to submit a proposal and quotation on an apparatus which would meet the requirements of the above mentioned Institution, and the order placed with them if their price is satisfactory.

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Funds are available
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stem.
H. D. O.
11/7/31

Duncan L. Scott

July 14th. 1931.

MEMORANDUM

Mr. Buskard -

I discussed the matter hereunder with the Minister and am now returning your file with the request that you please inform him that \$1,700 was specially provided for improvements at this school, as indicated in his letter to Mr. Stitt of the 19th. ultimo. It is believed that the carpenter work will cost approximately \$400. \$1,500 for the chlorinator exceeds the appropriation by \$200, which amount, together with \$355 for emergent boiler repairs, has been charged to the general miscellaneous item in the Vote.

Duncan Scott

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

706-135



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

The Pas, Manitoba,
July 18th, 1931.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter No. 128-1-5 of the 29th, ultimo, re repairs at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, I beg to inform you that Mr. H. Inkster, has now started the work.

There are nine tables, 5 of them he is renewing completely, 3 he is renewing all except the legs, and the other one requires a new rail. The floor in the barn is being renewed, also 15 windows and the four doors are being repaired. The barn is roughly 60 x 30

These repairs will cost approximately \$750.00.

Re the roof, as this was in a really bad condition, I had Mr. Inkster, give me a report on this to be submitted to you before he did anything to it, and below I list Mr. Inkster's report.

"The shingles on the roof are in a very poor condition. They are of very poor quality to begin with. They have been on for 18 years without any preservative, and are now so badly split, broken and loose, that to attempt any repairs would be a waste of time and material. The East and South sides, on account of being more exposed to the sun, are in the worst condition, and that is where the worst leaks occur. The roof is T shaped, of hip and valley design, so that any section can be renewed without molesting the rest of the roof. To strip the sections mentioned repair flashing and lay with tar paper and 1st. Grade Shingles, would cost about \$350.00, and to do the whole roof in like manner \$870.00 Using dipped shingles, the cost would be about \$100.00 more for the two sections mentioned, and about \$250.00 more for the whole roof. It would however be more economical to do the whole roof at once, as otherwise the ridge boards on hips would have to be removed twice, and the scaffolding is also quite an item."

Mr. Inkster also reported the floors in the kitchen, dining-room and Junior Class-room, were heaved and are in really a dangerous condition. These are maple floors, and the school have a supply of maple boards on hand, that could be used for repairing. Mr. Inkster stated an approximate cost on the labor for repairing these floors would be \$50.00

Awaiting your further instructions.

Your Obedient Servant,

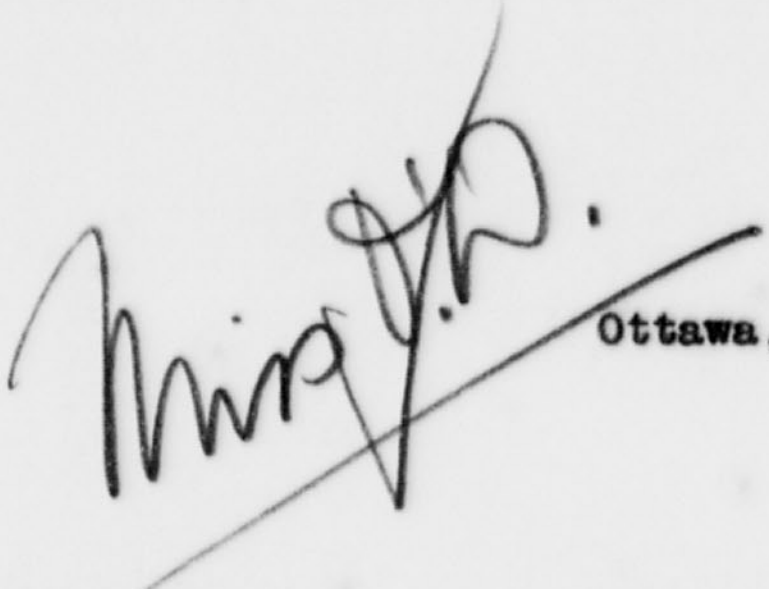
No funds this year
Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa Ontario.

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Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, July 30th, 1931.

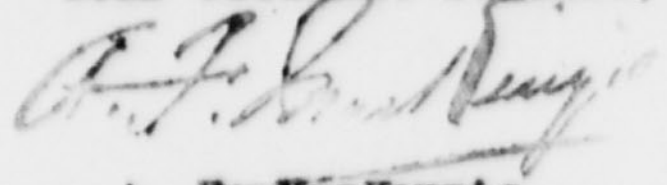
Sir,-

I have your letter of the 18th instant, relative to the repairs required to the roof at the MacKay Indian Residential School and giving an estimate of the cost. In reply I have to say that the Department has no funds available this year to provide the cost of reshingling the roof of this building but an item will be noted in our estimates for the next fiscal year to cover the amount required for this purpose.

There are no funds available to provide for the cost of labour in repairing the floors in the kitchen, diningroom and junior classroom. It is noted that there is a supply of maple flooring on hand and it is thought that the school authorities could, if same is urgent, perform the labour in repairing these floors.

It is noted that the work of repairing the tables in the children's diningroom and renewing the flooring in the barn, etc., is now under way.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie.
Secretary.



W. G. Tweddell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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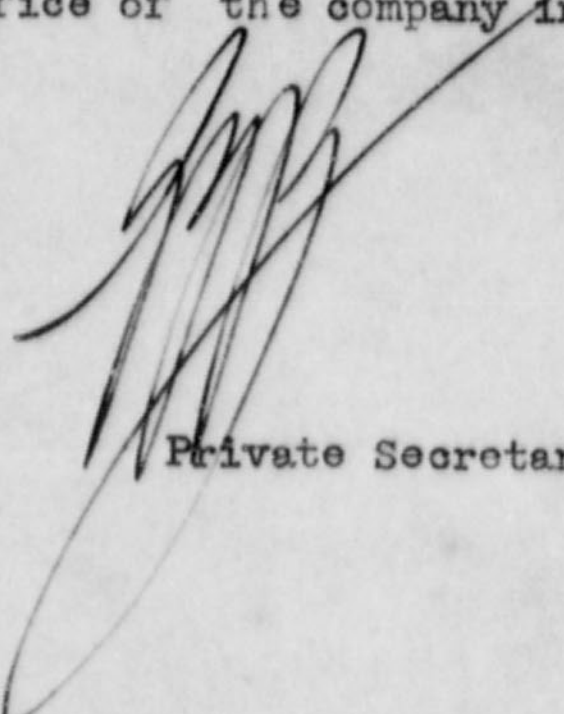
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July 27, 1931

DR. SCOTT -

With reference to your memorandum of the 10th instant regarding the installation of a chlorinating equipment at the MacKay Indian Residential School,-

It will be satisfactory to place the order for this equipment with the Winnipeg office of Wallace and Tiernan, 301 Bank of Hamilton Building, provided the price will be the same as would be quoted by the head office of the company in Toronto.


Private Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, July 30, 1931.

Mr. *Chene*, -

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It will be satisfactory to place the order for the chlorinating equipment required at the MacKay Indian residential school with the Winnipeg office of Wallace and Tiernan, 301 Bank of Hamilton Building, provided the price will be the same as would be quoted by the head office of the company in Toronto.

Duncan Scott
D. S. G. I. A.

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July 31, 1931.

Sirs,-

Would you please advise me of the name of your representative
in Ottawa, and oblige.

Yours truly,

J. D. CHENE.
DEPARTMENTAL ENGINEER.

Wallace Tiernan, Co. Ltd.,
Toronto, Ont.

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BLEACHING AND INDUSTRIAL WORK

August Seventh, 1931.

TORONTO OFFICE
32 FRONT STREET WEST

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa, Ontario.

Mr. J. D. Chene,
Departmental Engineer.

Your Reference - No. 128-1-5.

Gentlemen:

This will acknowledge your inquiry of July 31st and in reply would advise we have no representative stationed in Ottawa. We have, however, engineers radiating from Montreal and Toronto, who are often in Ottawa and vicinity. We will be glad to call at any time you may suggest.

Please let us know if we can be of service.

Yours very truly,
WALLACE & TIERNAN, LIMITED.

J. Van Benschoten
J. Van Benschoten,
Manager.



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August 10, 1931.

Dear Sirs,-

Replying to your letter of the 7th instant, I beg to say that I shall be glad to meet one of your representatives at my office Room 701 Booth Bldg - Sparks St - Ottawa, any time during office hours, (before 4 o'clock). I should appreciate it if you would advise me a few days in advance as to the date of the proposed visit of your representative.

Yours truly,

J. D. CHENE.
DEPARTMENTAL ENGINEER.

Wallace & Tiernan, Ltd.,
22 Front St., W.,
Toronto, Ont.

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August 13, 1931.

Sir,-

Will you please advise this Department of your price for the furnishing of one W. and T. Chloro-Clock Chlorinator, equipped with high pressure injector for feeding small quantities of sterilizing solution, the price to include the services and travelling expenses of one of your Engineers to supervise the installation of the apparatus at the MacKay Indian Residential School, the Pas, Man., also cost of freight.

I may say for your information that the present water supply system is such that it will not be possible to supply the chlorine solution at the suction side of the pump, and it will therefore be necessary to install extra equipment such as a Booster pump, electric motor, and high pressure injector on the Chlorinating apparatus in order to give the necessary pressure to operate the injector, which is to carry the sterilizing solution from the chlorinator to the discharge side of the pump.

The above mentioned quotation should comprise the furnishing of one Ortho-Tolidin Testing outfit for the determining of the amount of residue of chlorine in the water, and it should be understood that the whole installation will be guaranteed for one year.

As it is urgent that an installation for the sterilisation of the water supply at the above mentioned school be made I should like to be furnished with your proposal and quotation with the least possible delay.

Should you require any further information with regard to the condition of the water supply system I would advise you to communicate with Indian Agent W. C. Tweddell, The Pas, Man.

Your obedient servant,

Wallace & Tiernan Co. Ltd.,
301 Bank of Hamilton Bldg.,
Winnipeg, Man.

A. F. MacKenzie.
SECRETARY.

Mr. Chene

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THE PAS August 13th 1931 19
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M Department for Indian Affairs

Per Mr Tweedel. Indian Agent, The Pas. Mani

To THE CHAS. S. DICKENS CO., LIMITED Br.

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10% Interest Charged on
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Accounts Due When
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August 1931 Nakay Indian Boarding School

To repairs to steam boiler as per our
Quotation dated June 11th 1931

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TO WORK COMPLETED AS PER ATTACHED QUOTATION TO SATISFACTION OF AGENT
AND SCHOOL PRINCIPAL. PRICE JUST & FAIR CERTIFIED CORRECT.

W. Tweedel

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INDIAN AGENT.

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CANADA

Letter No. 136



Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

August 14th 1931

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 136, amounting to \$355.00 in favour of The Chas. S. Dickens Co. Ltd. The Pas Manitoba. for Repairs to Boiler at Mackay I.R. School, The Pas as per attached contract.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated July 8th 1931.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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VOTE 7 TREATY 5

THE PAS, Manitoba,
July 16th, 1931.

Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA, Ontario.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

JOSEPH S. PRITCHARD,

To cleaning out Septic Tank, cleaning
out Sewer from School to Septic Tank
and from Septic Tank to outlet, at
McKay School,

Labor (3 men) 132 hrs. @ 50¢

\$ 66.00 ✓

Joe Pritchard, Services and tools

26.50 ✓

Car (5 trips Mrs. Guymer)

19.50 ✓

Pipe 20/31.

1.50 ✓

EXAMINED and
found correct.

\$113.50 ✓

Please make cheque payable to Smith's Grocery, Box
659, The Pas, Manitoba.

SERVICES RENDERED. PRICE JUST & FAIR. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER NO. 138

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The Pas. Man.

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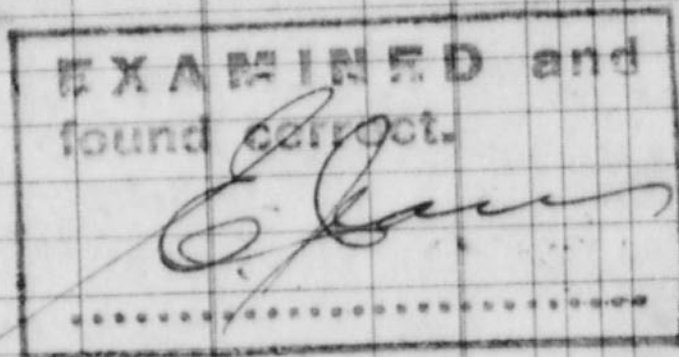
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TO LIME FOR THE SEPTIC TANK AT THE MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL.
THE PAS. MANITOBA. PRICE JUST & FAIR. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER NO. 137

INDIAN AGENT.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

The Pas, Manitoba,
August 14th, 1931

Dear Sir:- Re MacKay School Ceptic Tank.

During my absence on Treaty trips, the ceptic tank at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, became blocked and flooded the basement of the school with excrescence.

This required immediate attention, so Mr. Fraser had Mr. J. Pritchard clean out the sewer and tank.

As the tank had never been cleaned since it was built it was a formidable job.

To explain more fully, this tank is not ceptic, simply a tank about 7' x 6 and 6' below the entry of pipe, with a wall or division in the tank. However the sewer and tank are now in good shape, and should be for some time.

Mr. Pritchard's first bill was for \$127.50. I considered this excessive and after some discussion he agreed to reduce the amount to \$113.50, a reduction of \$14.00. Mr. Pritchard's bills are attached herewith also a bill for lime for the tank of \$4.00 from the Beaver Lumber Co. Ltd.

The man-holes on the sewer from the school to the ceptic tank are away below the surface. This is a serious drawback in locating any stoppage in the sewer. I am not suggesting that this should be remedied at present, as the tank should work satisfactorily for some time, but should trouble arise again I would suggest that proper man-holes be put in.

As this was an emergent case, I trust that these bills will meet with your approval.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Your Obedient Servant,

Indian Agent.

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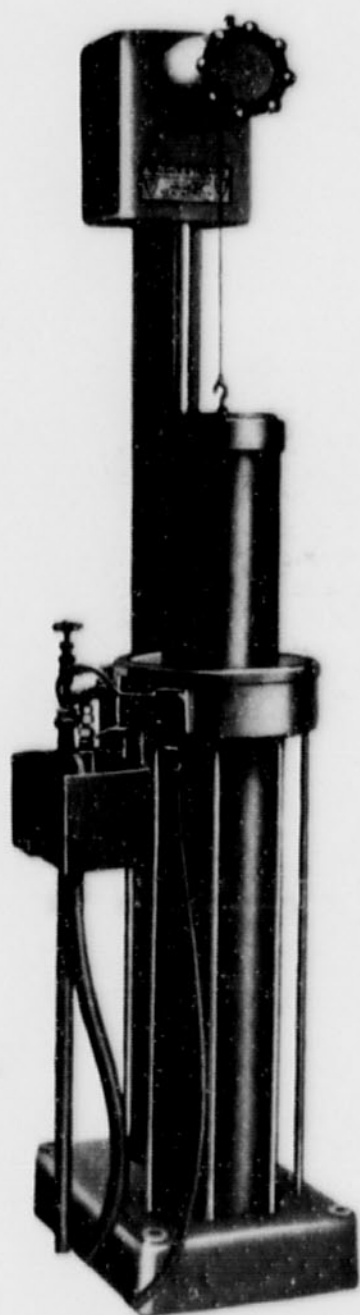


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TECHNICAL PUBLICATION NUMBER 77

THE W & T CHLORO-CLOCK



THE W & T CHLORO-CLOCK

WATER supplies at camps, on private estates, at institutions and where consumption is relatively small, are readily chlorinated with the W & T chloro-clock. Small swimming pools can be adequately sterilized with this equipment.

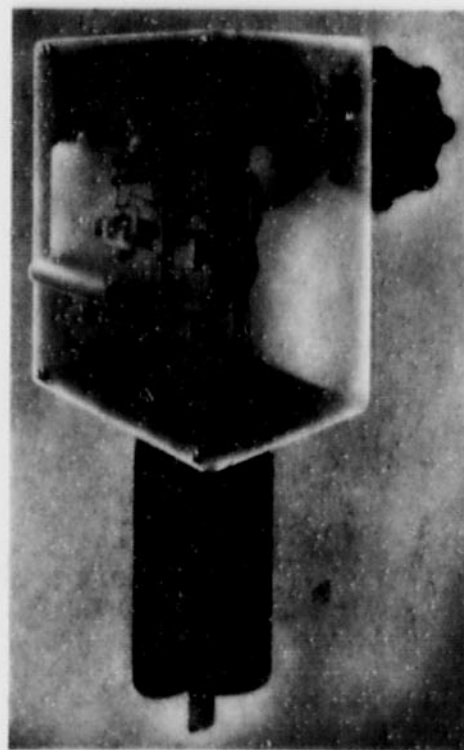
The chloro-clock is designed to accurately feed small quantities of prepared sterilizing solution. Such solutions are generally available and, where the daily water consumption does not justify the installation of larger types of chlorine gas control apparatus, are to be recommended.

The apparatus operates on the displacement principle, the control being obtained from a clock work mechanism which actuates an arm from which a displacing cylinder is suspended. The rate of solution feed is adjusted by means of a pendulum lever and is arranged so that the contents of the cylinder container can be discharged at varying rates as required from 20 hours to 8 days. A water supply under pressure feeds the small constant level box into which the solution drops. The same water supply also operates an injector which draws from the constant level box and applies the diluted sterilizing solution to the desired point of application.

The chloro-clock is started in operation by turning on the water supply and moving a lever which starts the clock mechanism in motion. Raising the weighted cylinder for filling the container jar automatically winds the clock mechanism.

Height: 67 in. Width: 12 in. Depth: 18 in.

Shipping Weight: 400 lbs.



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Specifications

The equipment shall be a self-contained unit mounted on a cast-iron base and with suitable metal support. It shall be suitable for feeding a hypochlorite sterilizing solution of definite strength and shall operate on the displacement principle, the control being obtained from a clock-work mechanism which actuates an arm from which a displacing cylinder is suspended. The rate of feed of solution shall be adjustable by means of a pendulum lever so arranged that the contents of the cylinder container can be discharged at varying rates as required from 20 hours to 8 days.

Where the sterilizing solution must be applied against a positive pressure, the equipment shall be provided with an injector operated by an external water supply under pressure and drawing from a constant level float box so placed as to receive the

sterilizing solution that flows from the cylinder container.

All parts of the equipment with which the chlorine sterilizing solution comes in contact shall be of materials resistant to the action of sterilizing solution. All parts of the clock-work mechanism shall be properly protected but easily accessible and so designed that raising the weighted displacement cylinder will automatically wind the clock mechanism.

GUARANTEE: The apparatus shall be guaranteed against all inherent mechanical defects for a period of one year from date of shipment from factory.

HEIGHT: 67 inches. **FLOOR AREA:** 16 inches by 18 inches.

SHIPPING WEIGHT: 400 pounds.

Partial List of W & T Chloro-Clock Installations Water Supplies

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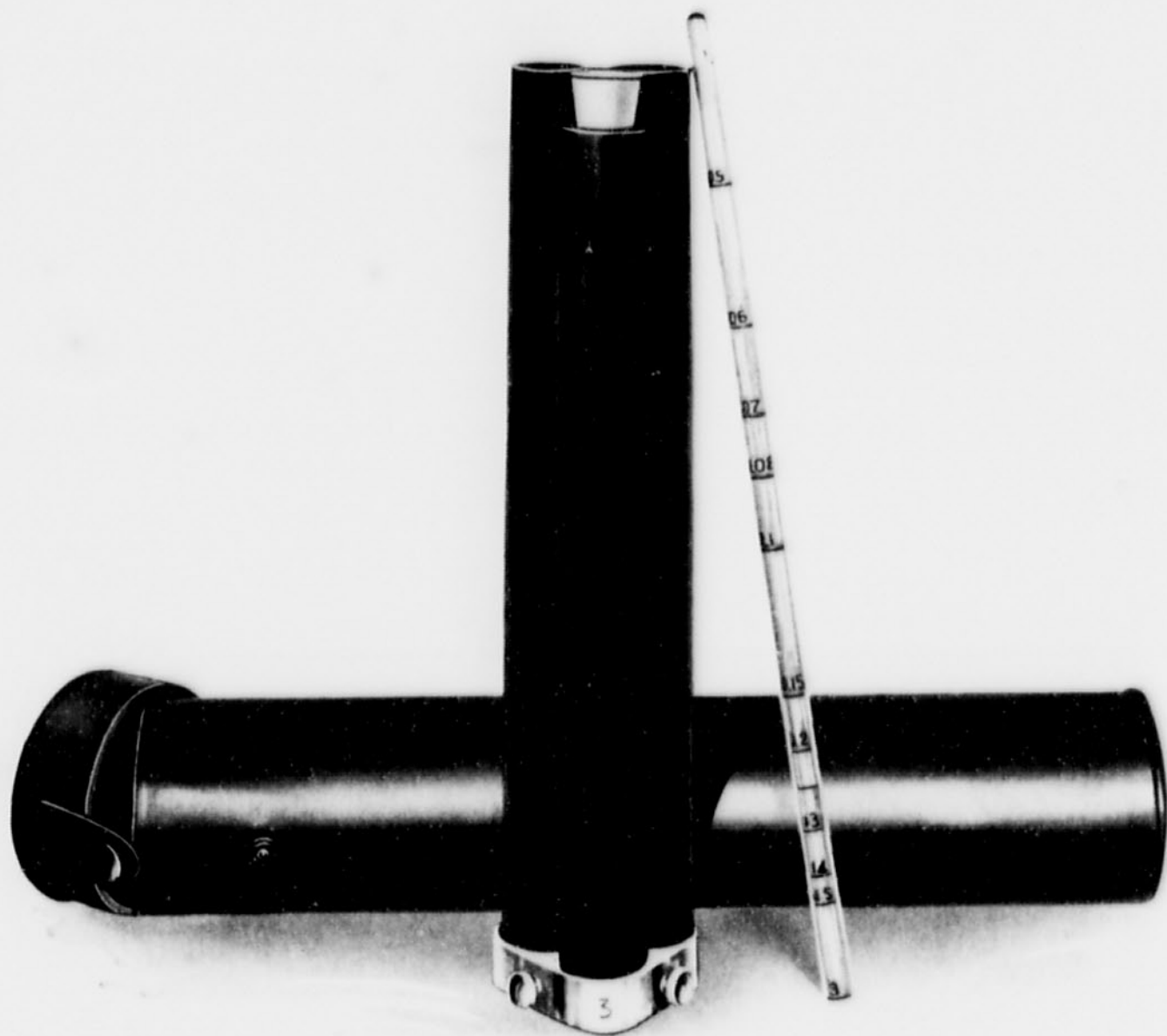
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LEATHER CASE $2\frac{1}{2}$ " IN DIAMETER AND $12\frac{1}{2}$ " LONG AND WEIGHS
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THE W & T ORTHO-TOLIDIN TESTING OUTFIT

To Determine the Amount of Free Chlorine
IN WATER

IN the sterilization of water by chlorine it is generally agreed that maximum results are secured when sufficient chlorine is applied to the water to leave a slight excess for a few minutes after treatment.

This excess is usually spoken of as "Residual" or "Free" chlorine. Authorities differ as to the amount of free chlorine that should be in a water to insure its freedom from microbes of disease, but in general we believe that 0.10 p.p.m. (parts per million) of free chlorine ten minutes after treatment will be sufficient. Obviously too much might cause tastes while too little would impair bacteriological efficiency. It is suggested in all cases that the State Department of Health be consulted concerning

the desired amount of free chlorine. The importance of the free chlorine content of a water and the desirability of making quick and accurate tests, led to the development of the W & T Ortho-Tolidin Testing Outfit.

When ortho-tolidin solution is introduced into a water containing free chlorine the water turns yellow or orange,—the intensity of the color varying with the amount of free chlorine. The W & T Ortho-Tolidin Testing Outfit is a simple, scientifically calibrated device permitting the operator to match the color of the ortho-tolidin treated water against a known color standard and interpret the results in parts per million of free chlorine.

Price f.o.b. Newark, N. J. See illustration on last page.

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DESCRIPTION OF EQUIPMENT

The outfit consists of a two-tube color comparator with a small transparent gauging tube, calibrated both to measure ortho-tolidin solution and to indicate free chlorine in parts per million. One of the color comparator tubes has a colorless glass base while the other is fitted with a colored glass which corresponds to a value of 0.05 parts of chlorine per million.

The color comparator tubes are opaque, the interior walls being threaded. This construction eliminates the errors due to light refraction which are experienced when glass tubes are used and also over-

comes difficulties in reading due to reflected light from the sides of the tubes.

Each of the comparator tubes is fitted with a small valve at its base for lowering the level of the solution in the tube. This fundamental feature makes it possible, when comparing colors, to look through the same depth of liquid in both tubes and eliminates any error due to the natural color of the water being tested.

For convenience in carrying, a third tube is assembled with the comparator tubes and serves as a reservoir for the ortho-tolidin solution.

Descriptive Operation of the W&T Ortho-Tolidin Testing Outfit

FIG. 1—Have both comparator tubes "A" and "B" empty and clean. Hold testing outfit as shown and fill both comparator tubes within about one-half inch of the top with the water to be tested.

Note:—The sample may be taken at such a point in the distribution system that ten minutes has elapsed since the introduction of chlorine,—or the sample may be taken nearer the point of treatment and stored sufficiently long to give the ten minute contact period desired before filling the comparator tubes. In cold weather this ten minute period should be extended to fifteen minutes.

FIG. 2—Hold the transparent gauging pipette with the figures right side up, between the thumb and third finger, and the stopper from the ortho-tolidin reservoir between the thumb and the second finger. Insert the pipette in the ortho-tolidin reservoir. Place the forefinger securely over the top of the pipette,—raise it out of the solution and by admitting air at the top by a slight releasing of the forefinger, drain solution from pipette back into the ortho-tolidin reservoir until the solution level in the pipette is opposite the red 1 c.c. mark. Introduce this 1 c. c. of ortho-tolidin solution into tube "A" (having the plain glass base).

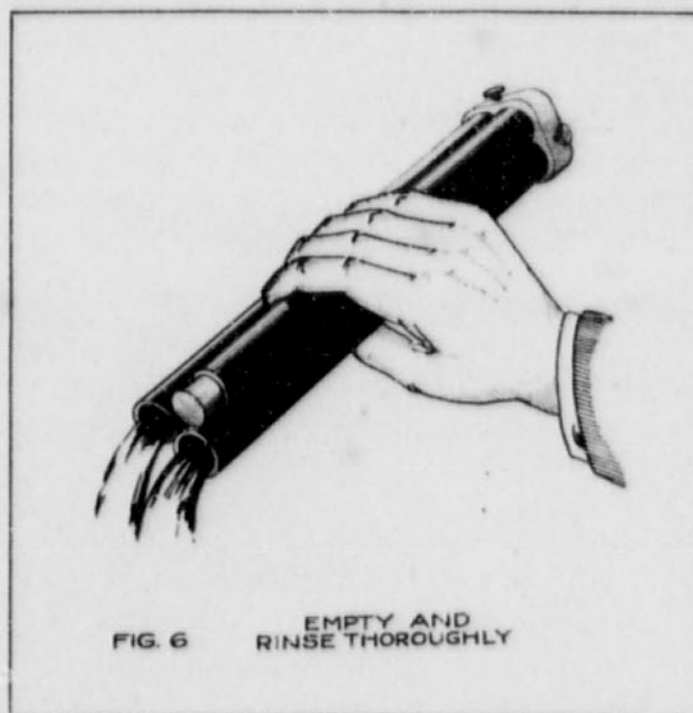
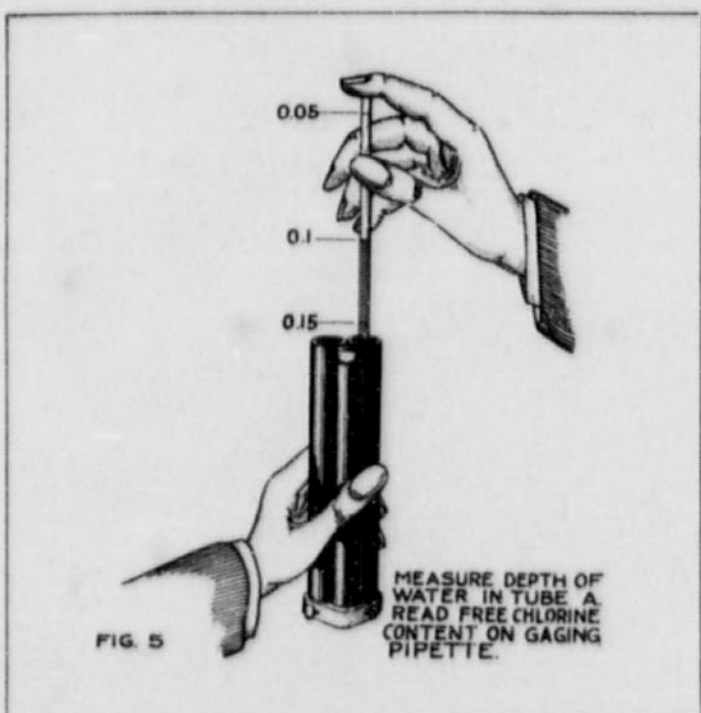
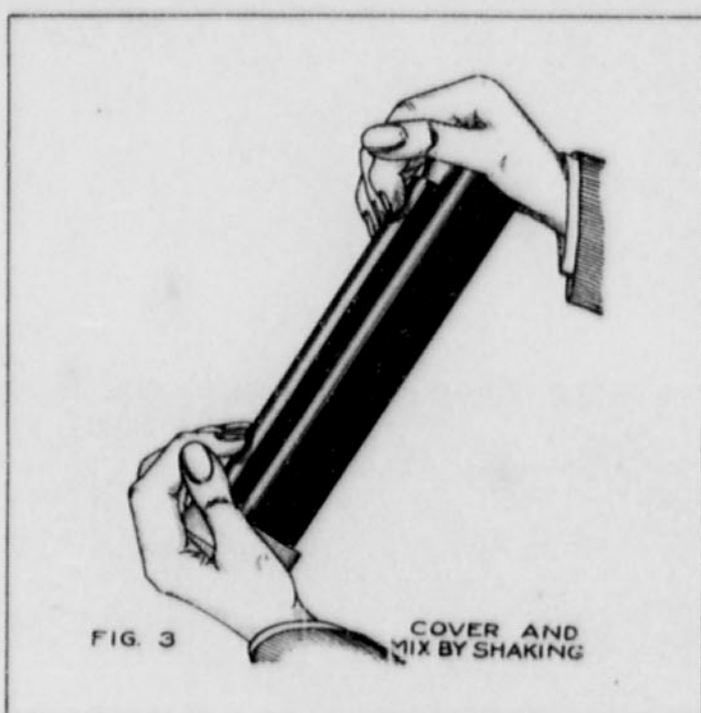
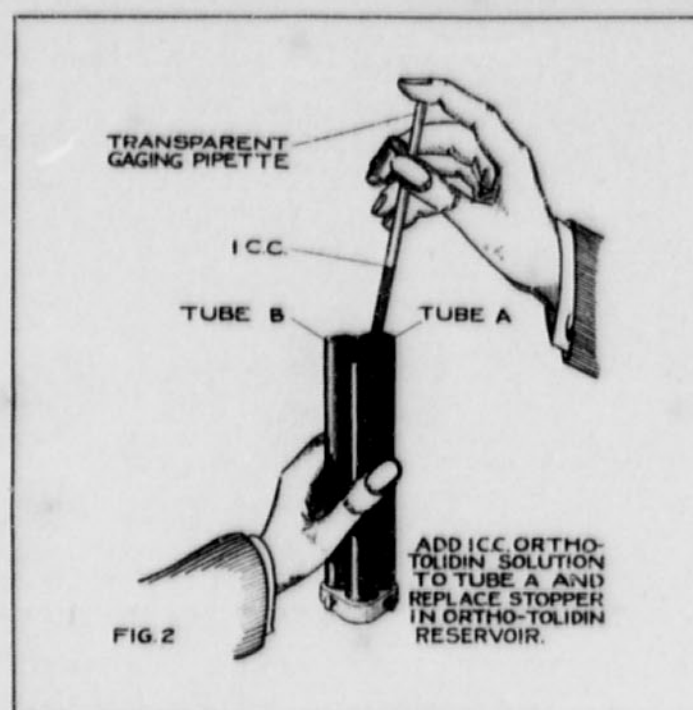
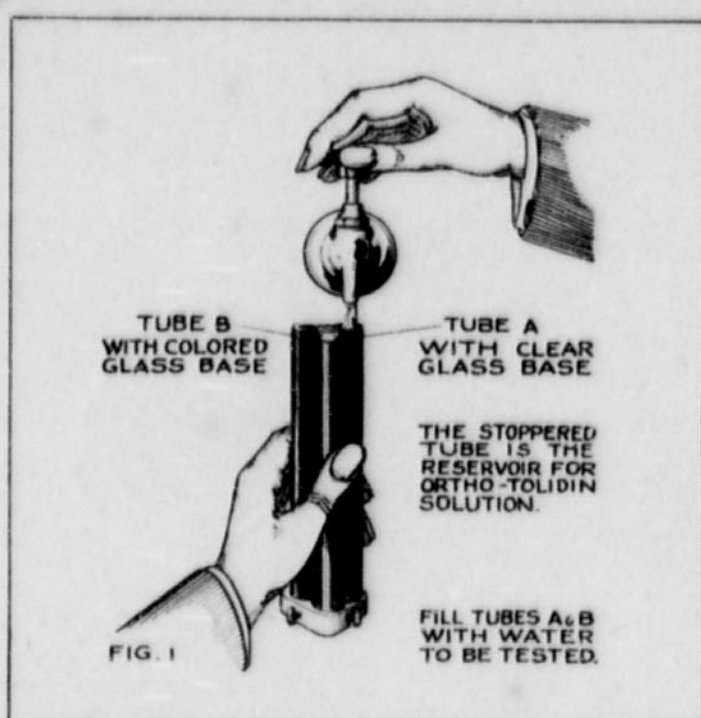
FIG. 3—Securely replace the stopper in the ortho-tolidin reservoir, cover the comparator tubes with the palm of the hand, and invert repeatedly

to insure thorough mixing. Allow to stand until the maximum color develops, which requires from one to two minutes, before making the color comparison. (In cold weather this interval should be extended to five minutes).

FIG. 4—The color of the solution in tube "A" (having the plain glass base) indicates the amount of free chlorine in the water. Lower the level of the solution in tube "A" by opening the valve at the bottom, until it approximately matches the color in tube "B", (having the colored glass base). Now draw down the level of the solution in tube "B" until its level approximately equals that in tube "A". Now, make a second adjustment of the level in tube "A", to match the color in tube "B". In comparing colors hold the comparator tubes over a white surface, such as a piece of paper.

FIG. 5—With the colors matched insert the transparent gauging pipette in tube "A" with the figures right side up, until it touches the plain glass bottom. Place the forefinger securely over the top of the pipette,—raise it up and read the calibration opposite the level of the liquid. This calibration indicates the free chlorine in parts per million.

FIG. 6—Empty and thoroughly rinse both comparator tubes.



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WATER AND SEWAGE PURIFICATION
BLEACHING AND INDUSTRIAL WORK



WINNIPEG OFFICE
301 BANK OF HAMILTON BUILDING

Authenticated

August 17, 1931

File #128-1-5d

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Mr. A. F. MacKenzie, Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario

Dear Sir:

In response to your letter of August 13.

In our quotation we have included in addition to the Chloro-clock extra equipment such as a booster pump, motor, a high pressure injector on the chloro-clock and an Ortho-tolidin Testing Outfit for determining the amount of residual chlorine in the water. The booster pump when operating will deliver 125 pound pressure to the injector to carry the sterilizing solution from the chlorinator to the discharge side of the pump.

On October 24, 1930, we had the pleasure of quoting Mr. W.G. Tweddell, Indian Agent, The Pas, Manitoba, but due to the change in the price of our equipment it is necessary to increase our price slightly.

We are attaching hereto our proposal covering the furnishing and installing of one of our Chloro-clocks for treating the water at the MacKay Indian Residential School, all for the sum of \$1531.50 f.o.b. The Pas, Manitoba.

We are also attaching hereto our Technical Publications #54 and #77.

If we can be of any further service to you, do not hesitate to call upon us. Trusting that we may receive your valued order, we are

Very truly yours,

WALLACE & TIERNAN LIMITED

E. C. Lindsten
District Manager

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Mr. A.F. MacKenzie, Secretary, Cont.

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P.S. It will be necessary for the school to supply pipe and have a plumber run a water line from the pressure tank to the constant level box, from the constant level box to the pump and from the pump to the chlorinator; also tap the main at the point of application. The school is to furnish the constant level box which can be purchased locally, and it is the same as used for toilets. Further, it will be necessary for the school to furnish an electrician to connect and set up the motor.

H. C. Lindsten



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August 17, 1931

WALLACE & TIERNAN LIMITED PROPOSAL

For one of our Chloro-clocks with a High Pressure Injector for feeding small quantities of sterilizing solution, we are pleased to quote you the sum of \$1531.50 f.o.b. Toronto, Ontario, with freight allowed to The Pas, Manitoba. This quotation includes supervision of installation by one of Wallace & Tiernan's Engineers, One Orthotolidin Testing Outfit for determining the amount of residual chlorine in the water, one Booster Pump and one 2 H.P. 115 Volt D.C. Motor.

The Wallace & Tiernan Limited warrant for a period of one year after shipment that the apparatus shipped is free from defects in workmanship and materials, but its liability is limited to the replacement f.o.b. Toronto, Ontario of the defective parts thereof.

The above quotation is subject to thirty days acceptance and to our usual terms of payment, 80% thirty days from date of invoice, the remaining 20% being due thirty days after date of installation, title to remain in us until the equipment is fully paid for.

HCL:L

H. C. Linasten

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THE PAS. MAN. July 25th 1931

M. Department of Indian Affairs, The Pas, Manitoba.

Bought of **WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED**

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE

PARTICULARS

Folio 730

2% 30 DAYS

NET 30 DAYS

BALANCE

*Let Sept 8/31.
2729*

14 Pcs. L. N. Butt Hinges #838--2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " with screws @ .08

\$ 1.12

MATERIAL SUPPLIED FOR THE MACKAY SCHOOL BARN REPAIRS.
PRICE JUST & FAIR CERTIFIED CORRECT.

J. J. Swindle

VOUCHER NO. 147

INDIAN AGENT.

(H. Inkster)

EXAMINED and
found correct.

H. Coghlan

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THE PAS. MAN.. July. Augt.

M Department of Indian Affairs.

Mackay Boarding School.

Bought of

WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

INTEREST AT 8 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE	PARTICULARS	2% 30 DAYS	NET 30 DAYS	BALANCE
July 10.	1 Keg 4" common nails.		5. 00	
	25 lb 2 1/2" do	6.50.	1. 63	
	15 lb 2 1/2" flooring nails.	7.00	1.05	
	5 lb 2 1/2" finishing nails.	7.00	35	
	2 tins Lepages. No. 31. Glue.		45	
18.	1 gal Pearl Grey House Paint.		2. 00	
	1 gal Light oak wood stain		70	
	1 gal Clear gloss varnish		1.25	
21	1 gal Pearl Grey House paint.		2. 10	
Augt 15	1 roll Battleship linoleum	2.15	68. 80	
	1 gal Linoleum cement.		2. 70	
	1 only 33 Lepage Glue		1. 40	
	1 do 32 do		75	

			\$ 88.28	

MATERIAL FOR REPAIRS TO MACKAY SCHOOL TABLES & BARN.
 GOODS DELIVERED. PRICE JUST & FAIR. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER NO.146

INDIAN AGENT.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

88.28
 1.12
 89.40

H. Inkster

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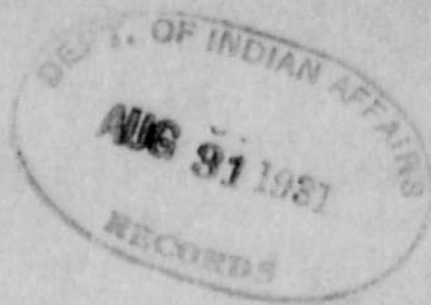
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Letter No. 146-147...



CANADA



Office of the The Pas,.....Manitoba.....Indian Agency,

.....August 26th.....1931.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 146-147.....,
amounting to \$89.40.....in favour
of Wood Vallance Limited.....The Pas.....Manitoba.....
for Material for repairs and renewals at MacKay School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5.....dated June 29th, 1931.....

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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HEAD OFFICE, WINNIPEG

Dealers in

Lumber, Building Materials and Coal.

Sold to

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VOTE 7 TREATY 5

TERMS:

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS

MONTH	DATE	Nº PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
July	13		Dray to School				3 00	3 00
July	21	10	2 x 12 - 16	320		46	14 75	
		2	2 x 10 - 16	34		47	2 30	
		12	2 x 8 - 18	288		47	13 50	
		14	2 x 8 x 10 - 4 ft			1 40	19 60	
		1	2 x 8 x 10 - 9 ft				3 90	34 25
			Dray					3 00
July	22	22	2 x 4 - 16	118		44	5 15	
		9	1 x 8 - 18	108		39	4 15	
			5 lbs 2 Pails				30	9 00
			Dray to School					3 00
July	27	16	2 x 4 - 8 45 ft	43		34	2 30	2 30

MATERIAL SUPPLIED FOR REPAIRS & RENEWALS AT MACKAY SCHOOL.
GOODS DELIVERED PRICE JUST & FAIR CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER NO. 148

INDIAN AGENT.

J. F. Wendell

Less 15% Discount

\$ 27490

R.

Certified Correct. 2728
 Sent Sept. 8/31
 Contractor

Hugh Lukster

EXAMINED
found correct.

Hoghlau



Beaver Lumber Company Limited,

HEAD OFFICE, WINNIPEG.

Dealers in

Lumber, Building Materials and Coal.

Sold to

Aug 10th

1931

Mo Dept of Indian Affairs
The Pas.

TERMS:

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS.

MONTH	DATE	Nº PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
Delivered to Mc Kay Indian School								
July	11	47	2 x 8 18	1128	47	52.75	53.00	
		4	2 x 8 16	85	43	4.75	3.65	
		20	2 x 8 14	374	42	15.70		
Drag to School							3.00	7.535
July	13	12	2 x 10 14	280	44	12.36		
		12	2 x 10 12	300	44	13.20		
		11	1 x 6 12 Cpu	83	101	9.35		
		2	4 x 4 14	38	48	1.75	1.80	
		3	1 x 6 12 C.	30	101	3.05		
		6	1 x 4 9	78	74	1.30		
		12	1 x 4 12	48	74	2.25	3.55	
		36	1 x 4 8	96	74	7.10		
		12	1 x 4 14	84	74	6.20		
		6	1 x 4 13	26	74	1.90		
		2	2 x 10 12 S	40	44	1.75		
		2	1 x 6 12 S	12	43	.30		
		12	1 x 10 12 S	120	43	5.15		680.5
		3	4 x 4 10 2	40	41	1.90		5.75
Drag to School							3.00	3.00
July	13	2	1 x 6 16 Cx	16	101	1.65		
		2	1 x 6 12	12	101	1.25		
July	13	1	1 x 6 12	8	101	.80		
		1	1 x 6 16	10	101	1.05		
		8	1 x 6 14	70	101	7.03		
		2	1 x 6 16	14	101	1.75	1.60	
		18	1 x 6 12	108	41	4.45		
		18	1 x 4 12	72	74	5.35		
		12	1 x 4 10	40	74	2.95		
		18	1 x 4 13	78	74	5.75		
		40	2 x 8 18	960	47	45.10		98.75
		44	2 x 8 10	587	42	24.65		98.60

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Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

August 26th, 1931

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 148
amounting to \$274.60 in favour
of Beaver Lumber Co. Ltd. The Pas, Manitoba,
for Lumber for repairs & renewals at MacKay School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated June 29th, 1931.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Vote No. 7

Treaty No. 5

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

To HUGH INKSTER, ESQ.
THE PAS.
MANITOBA.

DATE 1931	SERVICE	AMOUNT
AUG. 25	TO REPAIRS AND RENEWALS AT THE MACKAY SCHOOL. THE PAS. MAKING THREE NEW TABLES IN KITCHEN. MAKING FIVE NEW TABLES IN DINING ROOM REPAIRING ONE TABLE IN DINING ROOM MAKING TWELVE BENCHES FOR DINING ROOM TABLES. PAINTING BENCHES, STAINING & VARNISHING TABLES AND COVERING ALL TABLES WITH BATTLESHIP LINOLEUM. REPAIRING FLOORS IN JUNIOR CLASS ROOM & DINING ROOM NEW FLOOR IN BARN. REPAIRING STALLS. FEEDBOXES & MANGERS. MAKING TWO NEW DOORS & PAINTING SAME. FITTING & HANGING FIFTEEN NEW WINDOWS. REPAIRING TWO DOORS. LABOR ON ABOVE AS PER TIME SHEETS ATTACHED VOUCHER NO. 145 EXAMINED and found correct. <i>H. H. H. H.</i> Sept 8/31. 2727 <i>Hugh Inkster</i>	\$283 00
	TOTAL,	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. D. Macdonald
Agent.

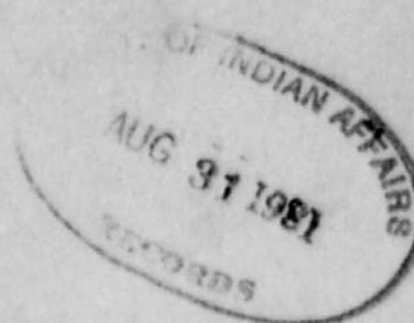
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Letter No. 145



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Office of the The Pas, Manitoba, Indian Agency,

August 26th, 1931

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 145, amounting to \$288.00 in favour of Hugh Inkster Esq., The Pas, Manitoba, for labor for repairs to Mackay School tables & barn.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated June 29th, 1931.

Your obedient servant,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Indian Agent.

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Sept. 15, 1931.

Memorandum:

Mr. Buskard.

Will you please refer to your memorandum of the 27th of July with regard to the purchasing of a Chlorinating apparatus for the MacKay Indian Residential School, Man.

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As it is important that the water supply system at the above mentioned institution be made safe for domestic purposes I should like to be advised as to whether the order may now be placed with the Winnipeg office, from where it can be most conveniently shipped and supervised.

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Sept. 15, 1931.

Sirs,-

Will you please advise me by wire or return mail of your best quotation for the furnishing and installing of the following chlorinating apparatus for one of the department's schools, including travelling and boarding expenses and the supervision of one of your Engineers,- this at The Pas, Man.

One Chloro-Clock with high pressure injector for feeding small quantities of sterilizing solution. As the present water supply system is such that it will not be possible to supply chlorine solution at the suction side of the pump the equipment should include a Booster pump and one - 2 H.P. 115 volt D. C. motor, also one Ortho-Telidin Testing outfit for determining the amount of residual chlorine in the water. The apparatus to be guaranteed for one year from defects in workmanship and materials.

Would you please advise me the name and address of your representative in Montreal and oblige.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie.
SECRETARY.

Wallace & Tiernan Co.,
22 Front St. W.,
TORONTO, Ont.

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CHLORINE CONTROL APPARATUS FOR
WATER AND SEWAGE PURIFICATION
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WINNIPEG OFFICE
301 BANK OF HAMILTON BUILDING

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September 15, 1931

File #128-1-5d

Mr. A. F. MacKenzie, Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario

Dear Sir:

On August 17, we had the pleasure of quoting you on one of our chlorinators with a high pressure injector, booster pump and motor.

To date we have not heard from you, and we are wondering if we can be of any additional service. Have you any questions in mind in reference to our equipment which you would like answered.

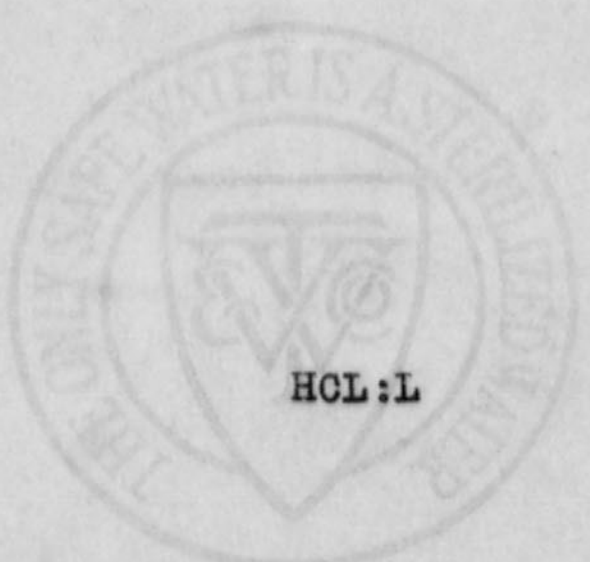
We are interested and we would appreciate hearing from you.

Very truly yours,

WALLACE & TIERNAN LTD.

H. C. Lindsten
District Manager

HCL:L



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Sept. 21, 1931.

Sir,-

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 15th instant, with regard to the supplying of a chlorinator for one of the government schools at The Pas, Man.

In reply I beg to say that this matter is now under consideration.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie.
SECRETARY.

Wallace & Tiernan,
301 Bank of Hamilton Bldg.,
Winnipeg, Man.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY'S TELEGRAPH



FORM T. D. 1

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TELEGRAM

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(Printed in Canada)

J. McMILLAN, General Manager of Telegraphs, Montreal.

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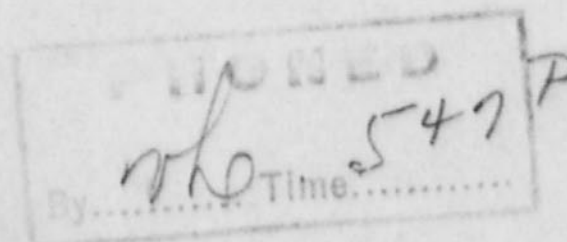
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REGARDING YOUR LETTER OF SEPTEMBER FIFTEENTH ADDRESSED TO OUR TORONTO
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OUT OF TOWN WILL WRITE YOU ON HIS RETURN SATURDAY SEPTEMBER TWENTY
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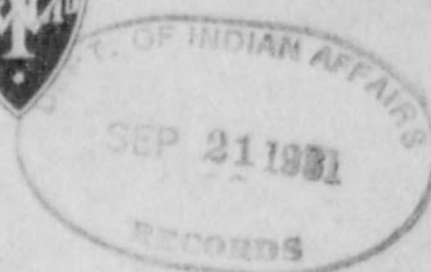
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CHLORINE CONTROL APPARATUS FOR
WATER AND SEWAGE PURIFICATION
BLEACHING AND INDUSTRIAL WORK

September Nineteenth, 1931.

TORONTO OFFICE
132 FRONT STREET WEST

Architect

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Mr. A. F. MacKenzie, Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Your Reference No. 128-1-5.

Dear Sir:

We are very pleased, indeed, to acknowledge your letter and inquiry of September 15th. We are referring this to our Winnipeg office for The Pas, Manitoba, is situated in their area. You will probably hear from them within the next few weeks.

We believe you will expedite considerable time if you could furnish them direct a drawing showing the existing pump layout, particularly the suction and discharge connections, characteristics of the motor operating it, etc.

Our Montreal representative is Mr. W. S. Mills and is located in Room 218, New Birks Building.

Yours very truly,
WALLACE & TIERNAN, LIMITED.

J. Van Benschoten
J. Van Benschoten,
Manager.



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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY'S TELEGRAPH



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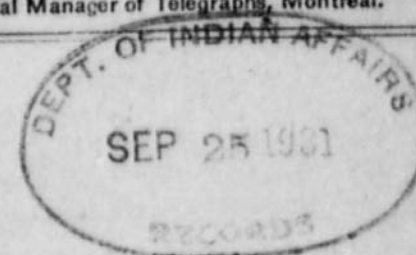
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J. McMILLAN, General Manager of Telegraphs, Montreal.

Send the following Day Letter, subject to the terms printed on the back hereof which are hereby agreed to.

Confirmation

WINNIPEG MANITOBA
SEPTEMBER 22, 1931



MR A F MCKENZIE SECRETARY
DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OTTAWA ONTARIO

REGARDING YOUR LETTER OF SEPTEMBER FIFTEENTH ADDRESSED TO OUR TORONTO
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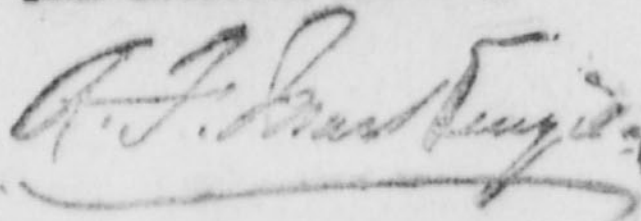
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CANADA

Sept. 30, 1931.

Sir, -

Replying to your letter of the 19th instant, suggesting that drawings showing the existing layout of the water supply system at the MacKay Indian School, at the Pas, be sent to your Winnipeg office, I beg to say that they are already in possession of all the information required to enable you to submit a quotation to this department, as requested in my letter of the 15th instant.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.
SECRETARY.

J. Van Benschoten, Esq.,
Manager, Wallace & Tiernan,
32 Front St., W.,
TORONTO, Ont.

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BLEACHING AND INDUSTRIAL WORK



Handwritten notes:
Chlorine
Apparatus
Control

September 26, 1931

File #128-1-5

Dr. A. F. MacKenzie, Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario

Dear Sir:

Your letter of September 15, which was sent to our Toronto Office, has been forwarded to us for an answer, as the Province of Manitoba comes under the Winnipeg Office.

You, no doubt, received our quotation dated August 17, on one W. & T. Chloroclock and extra equipment all for the sum of \$1531.50 f.o.b. The Pas, Manitoba. This is our best price.

We were in hopes that it would be possible for you to install a new pump, whereby we could apply the chlorine at the suction side of the pump. After talking to the Fairbanks-Morse people, I find that it would be impossible to make such a change for the reason that there is already installed at the Indian School a Fairbanks-Morse Force Pump. If it were possible to apply the chlorine on the suction side of the pump the price could be cut considerable by eliminating the booster pump and motor.

As there is no other possible way of sterilizing this water, it will be absolutely necessary to have the booster pump and motor to force the chlorine solution into the discharge side of the pump.

If you require any further information, do not hesitate to write us.

Very truly yours,

WALLACE & TIERNAN LIMITED

H. C. Lindesten
District Manager

HCL:L

Indian Affairs. (RG 10, Volume 6268, file 580-5, part 5)

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Oct 1, 1931.

Memorandum:

Mr. Buskard.

Will you please refer to memorandum of the 27th of July with regard to the purchase by this department of a chlorinating apparatus for the MacKay Residential School in Manitoba. The Department received on August 17th a quotation covering the furnishing and installation of a sterilizing apparatus from the Winnipeg branch of the firm of Wallace and Tiernan, Ltd. which amounts to \$1,531.50, f.o.b. The Pas.

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In order to comply with your instructions given in your memorandum of the 27th of July quotations were also invited from the Toronto branch of this firm, but our inquiry was again referred to their Winnipeg office, who have just submitted another quotation amounting to \$1,531.50, stating that this is their best price.

As it is important that the water supply at this school be made safe for domestic purposes as early as possible, I should like to be advised if the order may now be placed with the Winnipeg office at their lowest offer, namely \$1,531.50. It appears from the correspondence received that the Toronto office does not wish to take any action in the furnishing of the apparatus above mentioned.

W.C.
Duncan

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CHLORINE CONTROL APPARATUS FOR
WATER AND SEWAGE PURIFICATION
BLEACHING AND INDUSTRIAL WORK
October First, 1931.

TORONTO OFFICE
132 FRONT STREET WEST

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Mr. A. F. MacKenzie.

Re - MacKay Indian School.

Gentlemen:

We have duly received yours of September 30th referring to a previous request for a quotation on chlorinating apparatus suitable for conditions existing at the subject School.

We are advised that our Winnipeg office has already made proper and complete quotation which is no doubt in your files.

Yours very truly,
WALLACE & TIERNAN, LIMITED.

J. Van Benschoten
J. Van Benschoten,
Manager.



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CANADA

October 9, 1931.

128-1-5D

Memorandum,-

Mr. Buskard.

With reference to my memorandum of the 1st instant, regarding the purchase of a chlorinating apparatus for the MacKay Indian Residential School, Man., I beg to say that this purchase will not require to be approved by Order in Council.

Duncan
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Indian Affairs. (RG 10, Volume 6268, file 580-5, part 5)

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

DUNCAN C. SCOTT
DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA

MINISTER'S OFFICE
OCT 2 1931
DEPT. OF INTERIOR

Oct 1, 1931.

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Approved
D. C. Scott

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Oct. 15, 1931.

Sirs,--

I beg to refer you to your letter of the 17th of August last, quoting a price of \$1,531.50 for the furnishing and installing of a chlorinating apparatus at the MacKay Indian Residential School at The Pas, Man. and to advise that you may arrange at once for the installation of the above mentioned apparatus as outlined in your proposal. It is understood that the work is to be carried out under the supervision of one of your engineers at your expense.

Payment of the installation will not be made until after the apparatus has passed a satisfactory test in the presence of an officer of this department.

As it is important that the water supply system at the above mentioned school be made safe for domestic purposes as early as possible, I should like to be advised by return mail as to whether it will be possible for your company to proceed at once with the installation of the apparatus as above mentioned.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKensie.
SECRETARY.

Wallace and Tiernan, Ltd.,
301 Bank of Hamilton Bldg.,
Winnipeg, Man.

M The Department of Indian Affairs.

The Pas.

VOTE 7
TREATY 5

CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician * Machine and Electric Shop

TERMS NETT: ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED. INTEREST AT 8 PER CENT.

1931
April

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To overhauling Pump Engine.
Taking down, cleaning & changing parts,
fixing main & connecting rod bearings,
and re-assembling.
Mechanics time 14½ hrs.

1.25

18.13

20

To repairs to deep well Pump.
Taking down pump head, drawing pump rods,
drawing foot valve, renewing leathers and
replacing valve and rods.
Machining new steel rod for head and
re-assembling.
Materials.
New leathers
Steel for Pump piston rod. 17 lbs
3 Sets Gland Packing.
Transportation, 2 trips.
Labour.
Mechanics time 24 hrs
Helpers time 24 hrs

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July

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To attention to switchboard & lighting
Plant.
Reversed generator & attention to short
circuit in batteries.
5 hrs.

1.25

6.25

\$90.43

EMERGENCY REPAIRS & REPLACEMENTS
TO THE MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL
TO ELECTRICAL & WATER PLANTS.
PRICE JUST & FAIR CERTIFIED CORRECT.

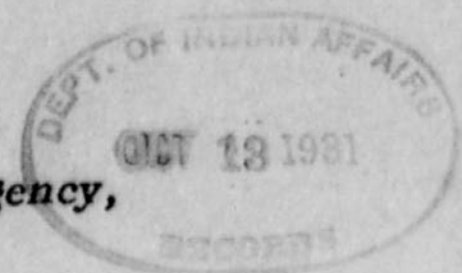
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found correct.

INDIAN AGENT.

Letter No. 188



128-1-5



Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

October 3rd 1931

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 188,
amounting to \$90.43 in favour
of Chas. W. Hill Esq. The Pas Manitoba
for Repairs & Replacements to Mackay School electrical
& water plants.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated Emergent.

INDIAN EDUCATION

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Form No. 101

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

R

The Pas, Manitoba,
October 14th, 1931.



Dear Sir:-

Mr. Charles Dickens of The Pas has called upon me regarding payment for work he did to the boiler at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas.

Beg to say his account was forwarded to Ottawa on August 14th, 1931 per our Voucher No. 136 for \$355.00.

~~earliest~~ I should be glad if this would have your ~~earliest~~ attention.

Ch. Dickens Oct. 19/31

Your Obedient Servant,

J. G. [Signature]
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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WINNIPEG OFFICE
301 BANK OF HAMPTON BUILDING

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October 20, 1931

File #128-1-5a

Mr. A. F. McKenzie, Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario

Dear Sir:

We want to take this opportunity of thanking you for your letter of October 15, accepting our quotation given in our letter of August 17, for installing chlorine equipment at the McKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, Manitoba. We are ordering the equipment from our Toronto Office today and shipment will be made at the earliest possible date.

As outlined in our Letter of August 17, kindly advise your Indian Agent, Mr. W.J. Tweddell at The Pas, Manitoba, that it will be necessary to furnish a plumber to connect up the equipment and to tap the main, and it will also be necessary to furnish a local electrician to connect and set up the motor.

Further, we suggest that you have Mr. Tweddell advise this office when the equipment has been received and ready for installation.

Again thanking you for this business, we are

Very truly yours,

WALLACE & TIERNAN LIMITED
H. C. Lindesten
District Manager

HCL:L

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Oct. 28, 1931.

Sir,-

J. H. L. I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 20th instant, with regard to the proposed installation of a chlorine apparatus at the Mackay Indian Residential School at The Pas, and to advise that I am today writing to our Indian Agent, Mr. Tweddell, to make the necessary arrangements for the furnishing of a plumber and electrician for the connecting up of the above mentioned apparatus to the town service.

Mr. Tweddell is also being requested to advise your office when the equipment has been delivered at The Pas.

Your obedient servant,

T. H. L. MacInnes
T. H. L. MacInnes.
FOR SECRETARY.

H. C. Lindsten, Esq.,
Wallace & Tiernan Ltd.,
301 Bank of Hamilton Bldg.,
Winnipeg, Man.

EX L.

Oct. 28, 1931.

Sir,-

P.L.

I beg to inform you that the Department has placed an order with the firm of Wallace and Tiernan Ltd. of 301 Bank of Hamilton Bldg., Winnipeg, for the furnishing and installing of a chlorine apparatus at the MacKay Indian Residential School at The Pas. It is understood with the company that the Department is to furnish the services of a plumber to connect the water line from the pressure tank to the constant level box, and from this box to the pump and from the pump to the chlorinator, also tap the main supply pipe at the point of the application of the chlorine. It is further agreed that we are to furnish the constant level box, which can be purchased locally and also the services of a local electrician for the connection of the electric motor.

Please advise the Winnipeg office of the Company as soon as the apparatus has been delivered at the Pas, in order that their Engineer may proceed immediately after to supervise the installation as per agreement, and at the expense of the Company.

Your obedient servant,

T. R. L. MacInnes

T. R. L. MacInnes.
FOR SECRETARY.

W. G. Tweddell

W. G. Tweddell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

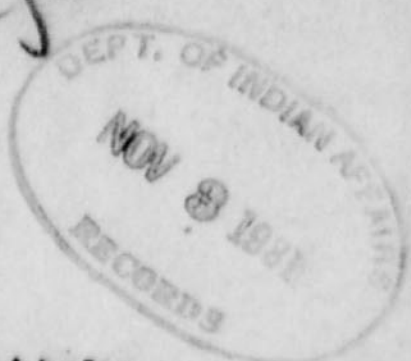
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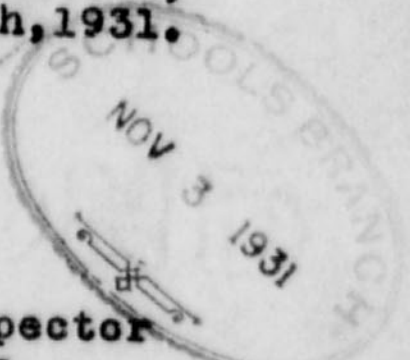
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The Pas, Manitoba,
October 29th, 1931.



Dear Sir:-

Mr. Flattery, the Provincial Health Inspector
for The Pas has again called upon me regarding the
installation of a chlorinator at the MacKay Indian
Residential School, The Pas, Manitoba.

I would refer you to your letter No. 128-1-5
of June 29th, 1931, and would be glad to know if any
thing further has been done in the matter.

Your Obedient Servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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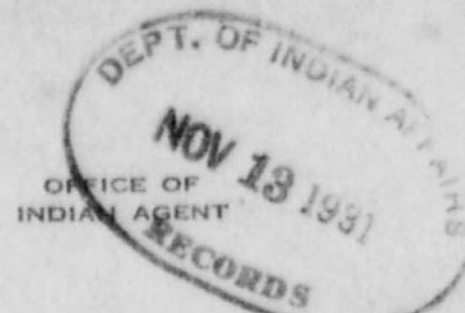
DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

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See Schools

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The Pas, Manitoba,
November 9th, 1931.

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of a letter from the Rev. A. Fraser, Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, requesting some lumber for repairing the hen house and the shute. Mr. Fraser's Residence also requires some shelves, and a door, altogether about \$15.00 worth of lumber would carry out these repairs.

Should this meet with your approval, I will be pleased to purchase this lumber and see that it is delivered and the work done.

Your Obedient Servant,

W. G. Richardson
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.



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Ottawa, November 17, 1931.

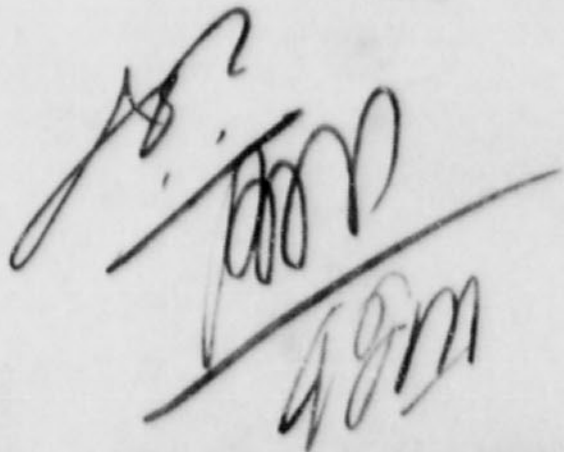
Sir:

I have your letter of the 9th instant, relative to the request of the Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School to be supplied with lumber to an amount of approximately \$15 in repairing the hen house, making shelves and a door.

In reply I have to say that you may arrange for the purchase of the material required from sources which have been indicated and have same delivered to the school. Please forward an account, in duplicate, properly certified, covering the expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.


The Indian Office,
The Pas,
Man.

By *air*

128-1-5
Mackay Residential

12. MACKAY

*For 1932-33 estimate
forwarded by M.S.C.C.*

Noted

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- (a) Main school building to be re-sided or brick veneered.
Estimated cost ?
- (b) Repairing and redecorating interior of main school building.
Estimated cost \$500.00.
- (c) New work shop 24 x 30 with full basement for roots.
Estimated cost \$2,400.00.
- (d) Root house.
Estimated cost \$500.00. *see above*
- (e) Repairs to roof and floor of stock barn.
Estimated cost \$500.00. *done*
- (f) Completion of chicken house.
Estimated cost \$50.00.
This includes a hen run 15' x 50'
- (g) Telephone from the Principal's residence to the main school building.
Estimated cost \$100.00.

MACKAY contd.

- (h) Mowing machine and rake.
Estimated cost \$240.00.
- (i) Motor truck.
Estimated cost \$1,000.00.
(see your letter Sept. 3, #128-2-14).
- (j) Telephone communication with The Pas.
Estimated cost \$2,500.00.
- (k) Chlorinating process for water supply.
Estimated cost \$400.00. *done*
- (l) Separate building for class-room instruction, and provision for vocational training in basement of the same.
(see page 2 above).
Estimated cost \$10,000.00



Beaver Lumber Company Limited,

HEAD OFFICE, WINNIPEG.

Dealers in

Lumber, Building Materials and Coal.

Sold to

The Pas Man 23/31 19

VOTE
TREATY7
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M Dept of Indian Affairs,

The Pas Man.

TERMS:

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS.

MONTH	DATE	Nº PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
	Nov 23/31	1						
		12			60	44	2/65	
		12	1 x 6 T & G 100	12	6	40	25	
		1	1 x 6	12	8	40	30	
		1	2 x 4	12	32	40	1/30	
		4	2 x 4	12	60	44	2/65	
		15	1 x 4 V Joint 12	10	34	42	1/40	
		4	1 x 10	12	8	38	30	
		2	1 x 4	12			25	
		1	2 x 2	12	12	38	45	
		3	1 x 4	12	108	42	4/50	
		9	1 x 12	12	24	40	95	
		3	2 x 4	12				
							Less 15%	
								15/00
								225
								\$ 1275

GOODS RECEIVED FOR REPAIRS TO THE MACKAY INDIAN
RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL. THE PAS.
PRICE FAIR & JUST. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER NO. 393

A. G. Richardson
ACTING INDIAN AGENT.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

M. O. Conroy
2/12/31

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Letter No. 393



129-1-5



Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

Sir,

24th November 1931

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 393

amounting to \$12.75 in favour

of Beaver Lumber Co. Ltd. The Pas Manitoba

for Lumber for repairs to the MacKay I.R. School. The Pas.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 17th November 1931.

Your obedient servant,

A. E. Richardson
Acting Indian Agent.

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DEC 1 1931

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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EXTRACT FROM LETTER OF MR. W. M. GRAHAM,
INDIAN COMMISSIONER, REGINA, DATED NOV. 30, 1931.
File No. 205-11.

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Original on #128-1-1.

The Clerk also says that new tables were installed last August, covered with battleship linoleum and cemented to the wood. He noticed that the linoleum is being pried off the boards, apparently with knives, and suggests that brass tape be put around the tables. Surely the Department did not allow them to put the linoleum on without binding of some kind. I am surprised that the Principal allowed the tables to be used before binding was put on. This should be attended to at once.

Apparently the school room is in bad shape. The plaster is giving way, and the interior requires a good coat of paint. This matter was reported to the Department a year ago, and I have inserted an item in the Estimates this year to cover same, but the work should have been done before.

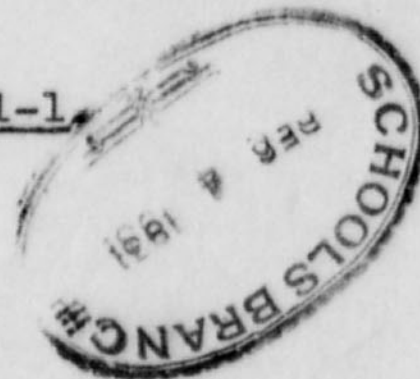
The roof of the school is reported to be in poor shape. This should not be allowed to stand as a great deal of destruction can take place by delaying a repair of this kind.

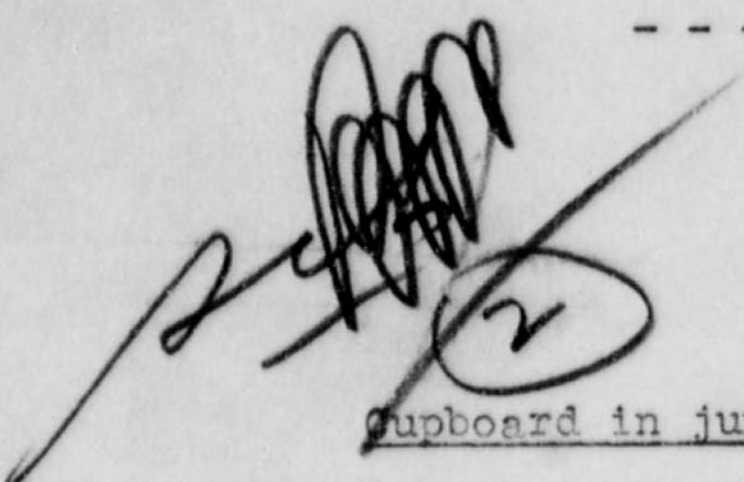
The floor is reported to be bulged in several places. It is just possible that this may have been caused by the roof leaking. However, I am not sure of this.

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EXTRACT FROM LETTER OF REV. A. FRASER, PRINCIPAL,
MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL, THE PAS, MAN.,
DATED NOV. 26, 1931.

Original on No. 128-1-1.



A handwritten signature in dark ink is written over a circled number '2'.
Cupboard in junior classroom.

I appreciate this suggestion very much, as it has been most inconvenient for the teacher in this room. This we have brought to the notice of the Indian Agent, but no action was taken, as in many other instances. As this classroom is used daily, except Saturday, and even then has to serve as girls' playroom, which it really is, it will be most convenient to have a built-in cupboard.

I would suggest that a carpenter be asked to do this piece of work, the approximate cost of which would not be over \$50 for material and labour.

128-1-5



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

REGINA, SASK., December 1st, 1931.

Dear Mr. Scott:-

I would draw your attention to the following paragraph on Page 8 of Inspector Hamilton's report on the schools in The Pas Agency, which concerns the Mackay Indian Residential School:-

"All doors leading to the fire escapes are locked. The Principal and Matron claim they can do nothing else as the children run away at every opportunity."

I am of the opinion that this is a terrible thing. In the event of a fire taking place at this school, we would undoubtedly have a repetition of what has taken place in recent fires at schools in the north; there would be a panic, the children would pile up in front of the doors, and in all probability there would be a great loss of life.

In my opinion instructions by wire should be issued to the Principal to have the locks taken off these doors at once.

Yours very truly,

Wm. M. Graham

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

Duncan C. Scott, Esq.,
Deputy Superintendent General,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

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Ottawa, December 5th, 1931.

Sir,-

The Department wishes to refer to the question of fire escapes at the MacKay Indian Residential School. I understand that the doors are locked and that two members of the staff are appointed to each dormitory, with keys in their possession to open doors leading to fire escapes. This precaution is not sufficient and I have to authorize you or the Reverend Principal to have extra keys made for these fire escapes immediately. They should be placed in little boxes hung at each door and the front of the boxes to be made of glass, which can be broken in the event of fire. In addition to the two members of the staff who are responsible for the dormitory and for the exits, there should be in the two beds closest to the fire escapes the most responsible pupils in the school, who will have strict instructions as to what action they should take in the event of fire. In the case of the dormitories for small boys and small girls, at least one of the oldest and most reliable pupils should be in the dormitory and should sleep at the fire exit. Further, regular fire drill should be held at various times during the day but particularly when the pupils are in the dormitories. The night watchman, of course, must be a thoroughly reliable man, who will constantly patrol the building during the night.

I am sending an extra copy of this letter to the Reverend Principal for his information.

You may spend, approximately, \$50.00 for material and labour in repairing the cupboards in the junior classroom at this school. You should, also, arrange to have metal binding on the edges of the linoleum on the dining room tables. Brass tape is quite suitable for this purpose. The materials needed should be purchased from indicated sources.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
Secretary.

The Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas,
Man.



PHONE 34-P. O. BOX 85

THE PAS Dec; 1st 1931 19
MANITOBA

M Indian Department

Mackay School

The Pas District

To THE CHAS. S. DICKENS CO., LIMITED Br.

HEAT, LIGHT, SANITATION, TINSMITHING

ACETYLENE WELDING

10% Interest Charged on
Overdue Accounts.

VOTE 7

TREATY 5

Accounts Due When
Rendered.

Dec; 1st 1931

25ft of $\frac{1}{2}$ " galv; conduit, 1.4" outlet box,
1. 4" porcelain cover, 2. $\frac{1}{2}$ " galv; bushings,
2. $\frac{1}{2}$ " ga lv; locknuts, 50 ft electric wire,
6 ft drop cord, 1 key socket, 1 roll tape,
12 pipe clips. a s per price quoted

7 00 ✓

GOODS RECEIVED FOR INSTALLING LIGHT INTO MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL
SCHOOL HENHOUSE. PRICE FAIR & JUST. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

A. G. Richardson

VOUCHER NO. 403

ACTING INDIAN AGENT.

sent Dec. 10/31.

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RECEIVED and
[Signature]

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CANADA

Letter No. 403

Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

December 1st. 1931.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 403
amounting to \$7.00 in favour
of The Chas. S. Dickens Co. Ltd. The Pas Manitoba
for material for installing light into henhouse at the
Mackay Indian Residential School The Pas. Manitoba.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated Emergent.

Your obedient servant,

A. G. Richardson

Acting Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

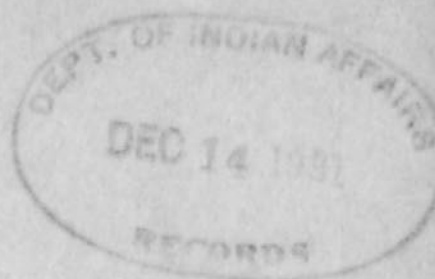
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



988-135

128-1-5
The Pas, Manitoba,
Decr. 11th, 1931.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter No. 128-1-5 of the 5th, instant, I beg to say that I am having the glass fronted boxes made for each dormitory in the MacKay Indian Resid. School, The Pas, and will see that your instructions are carried out in full.

The cupboard for the junior class-room I am having made and this will not exceed the amount granted.

I have had to send out for the brass tape for the tables, but as soon as this is received I will see that it is put on immediately.

Trusting this will meet with your approval.

Your Obedient Servant,

A. G. Richardson

Acting Indian Agent

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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VOTE 7 TREATY 5

THE PAS. MAN.. December 18th 1931

M. Department of Indian Affairs, The Pas, Manitoba.

Right of **WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED**

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

INTEREST AT 8 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE	PARTICULARS	Folio 440	2% 30 DAYS	NET 30 DAYS	BALANCE
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MATERIAL SUPPLIED FOR BINDING AROUND TABLES AT THE MACKAY SCHOOL. THE PAS.
PRICE FAIR & JUST. CERTIFIED CORRECT. VOUCHER NO.432

A. E. Richardson
ACTING INDIAN AGENT.

7	Pkts. Brass Weather Strip 1 1/2"	.62		4.34
3/4	Lb. 1/2" Brass Pins			.45

\$ 4.79 *TR*

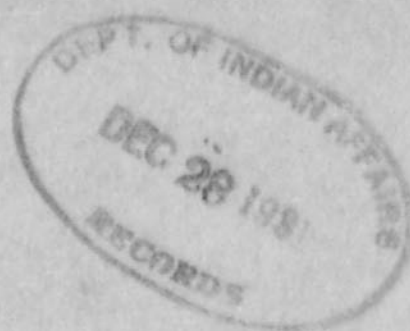
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Sent you 7/29

EXAMINED and
found correct.
H. Coghlan

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128-1-5



Letter No. 432

Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

22nd December 1931

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 432, amounting to \$4.79 in favour of Wood Vallance Limited The Pas Manitoba for Brass tape for binding MacKay School tables.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter No. 128-1-5 dated Decr. 5th. 1931.

Your obedient servant,

A. E. Richardson
Acting Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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128-1-5 ✓
The Pas, Manitoba,
Decr. 31st. 1931.

Dear Sir:-

note for
I beg to say that the chlorinator for the MacKay Indian Residential School has arrived here. I received a wire from Wallace & Tiernan stating that they would have their Engineer in the Pas on Tuesday January 5th, 1932 and asked me to have a plumber and electrician ready. Beg to say as Mr. Chas. Hill has always done such work in connection with the school's plant, I have engaged him and his assistant, who will be able to carry out both the electrical and plumbing work.

I have had the four fire boxes made also extra keys made, and these are now at the school, I will see that your instructions are carried out in every respect.

At present they are working on the tables, binding the edges with metal tape, which is a great improvement.

The cupboard for the junior class-room is being made and will not exceed the amount granted.

Re your letter No. 128-1-12 of the 19th, instant, I beg to say that with the \$100 granted for repairs, I am having three new outside doors put on and one between the kitchen and dining-room. This latter door I am having put on a track. Am also having the doors put on one side of the pantry and on the shelving in the senior class-room. There will be also a light installed in each pantry, and most of the flooring in the school repaired. Am having the blackboard in the junior class-room lowered, so as the little kiddies can use it during class hours. A new fire ladder will be made and all the radiators repaired.

Beg to say a member of the staff will do all this work, and the amount granted will not be exceeded.

Your Obedient Servant,

A. G. Richardson
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

VOTE 7 TREATY 5

THE PAS. MAN., January 6th 1932

M. Department of Indian Affairs, for MacKay School.

Book of

WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

INTEREST AT 8 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE

PARTICULARS

Folio 66

2% 30 DAYS

NET 30 DAYS

BALANCE

MATERIAL SUPPLIED FOR REPAIRS TO MACKAY SCHOOL TABLES.
PRICE FAIR & JUST. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

U. G. Richardson

VOUCHER NO. 449

ACTING INDIAN AGENT.

$\frac{1}{2}$ Doz. $1\frac{1}{4}$ " Bronze Weather Strip

@ 7.30

\$ 3.65

Less 2%

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3-58 *72*

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Sent Jan 16/32.



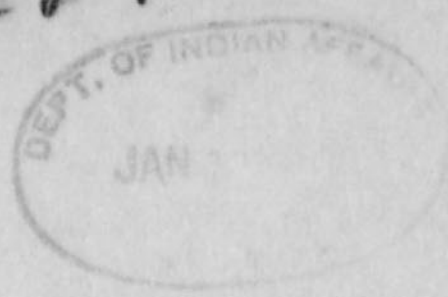
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Letter No. 449.....

128-1-5



Office of the Pas.....Manitoba.....Indian Agency,

W. G. M.

.....8th.....January.....19.32.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 449.....,
amounting to \$ 3.58.....in favour
of Wood Vallance Limited.....The Pas.....Manitoba...
for bronze stripping for the MacKay School tables.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. 128-1-5.....dated.....5th.....December..1931..

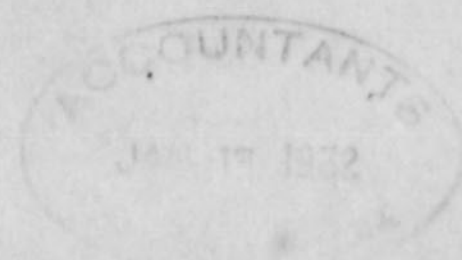
Your obedient servant,

INDIAN EDUCATION

[Signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

A. E. Richardson
Acting Indian Agent.



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THE PAS, 7th January, 1932
MANITOBA

M Indian Dept.

VOTE 7
TREATY 5

The Pas, Man.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

W. LYON

TOBOGGAN AND SLEIGH BUILDER

POST OFFICE BOX 683

CANOES RE-CANVASSED AND REPAIRED

CARPENTER AND REPAIR WORK OF ALL KINDS

To 4 Fire Key Boxes

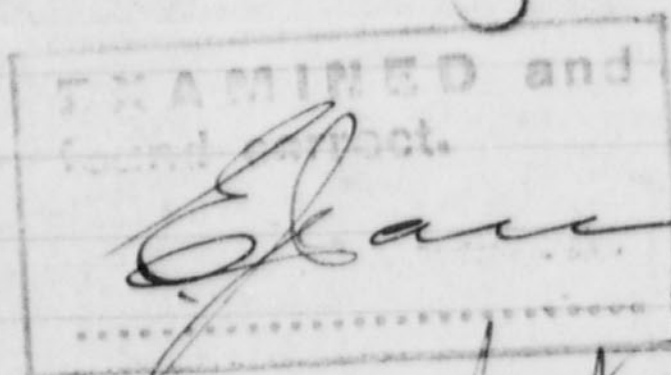
8.00

FOUR BOXES SUPPLIED WITH GLASS FRONTS FOR THE MACKAY SCHOOL.
BOXES CONTAINING KEYS TO FIRE ESCAPES, ONE FOR EACH DORMITORY.
PRICE FAIR & JUST. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER NO. 452

A. G. Richardson
ACTING INDIAN AGENT.

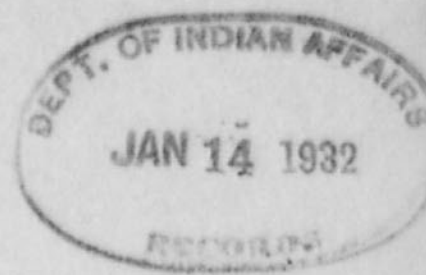
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Letter No. 452.....



Office of the Pas.....Manitoba.....Indian Agency,

.....9th.....January.....1932....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 452.....,

amounting to \$ 8.00.....in favour

of W. Lyon Esq. The Pas.....Manitoba.....

for Four glass-fronted boxes for keys to fire escapes
for the MacKay Indian Res. School. The Pas.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5..... dated 5th. December. 1931.....

Your obedient servant,

INDIAN EDUCATION

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

A. G. Richardson
Acting Indian Agent.

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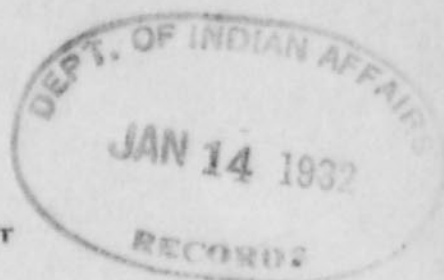
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



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The Pas, Manitoba,
January 9th, 1932.

Richardson
Dear Sir:-

I wish to report that the Engineer for Wallace & Tiernan of Winnipeg, installed the chlorinator at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, and that the machine is giving satisfaction.

I am sending up to the school, two bags of cement so that one of the school staff can cement the machine to the floor, thus making it solid and level.

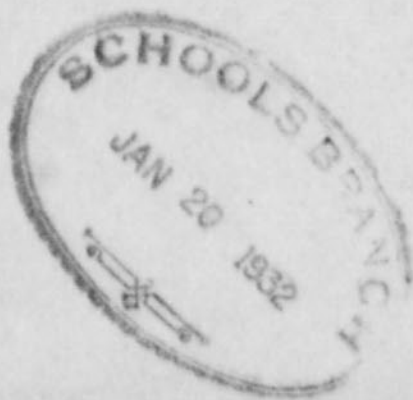
The machine was installed in the tank room and I have given instructions that the door to this room be kept locked at all times unless the engineer is around to see that none of the pupils meddle with the machine. Would also advise that owing to this machine being so fragile a railing should be put around it as a protection.

I trust this will meet with your approval.

Your Obedient Servant,

A. G. Richardson
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.



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Beaver Lumber Company Limited,

HEAD OFFICE, WINNIPEG.

Dealers in

Lumber, Building Materials and Coal.

Sold to

The Pas Jan 12 1932

Department of Indian Affairs
The PasTERMS: **VOTE 7 TREATY 8**

EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS

MONTH	DATE	NO PIECES	DESCRIPTION	FEET	TOTAL FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
Dec	7	2	bags cement			13 ³	270	27 ⁰⁰
Mc Kay School								✓ R
GOODS SUPPLIED FOR CEMENTING IN CHLORINATOR INSTALLED AT THE MACKAY INDIAN RESID. SCHOOL. THE PAS. PRICE FAIR & JUST. CERTIFIED CORRECT. A. G. Richardson ACTING INDIAN AGENT. VOUCHER NO. 457 28-1-32 6226 EXAMINED and found correct. E. G. G. G.								

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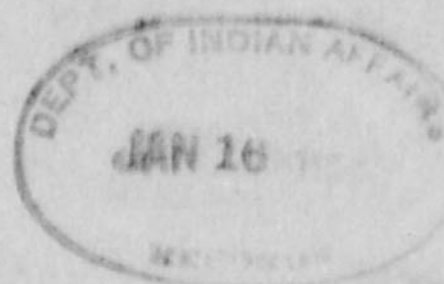
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Letter No.....457.....

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Asst
Office of the ~~Pas~~.....Manitoba.....Indian Agency,

.....13th.....January.....1932...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....457.....,

amounting to \$..2..70.....in favour

of..Beaver..Lumber..Co..Ltd.....The..Pas.....Manitoba..

for Cement...for...cementing...in...chlorinator...installed at
the MacKay Indian Residential School. The Pas.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No.....dated.....Emergent.....

INDIAN EDUCATION

Your obedient servant,

A. G. Richardson

Acting Indian Agent.

[Signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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*Accepted
for under*

Ottawa, January 20, 1932.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 9th instant, informing the Department that the chlorinator has been satisfactorily installed at the MacKay Indian Residential School and is giving satisfaction.

You should instruct the Principal to arrange to have a railing installed around the machine as a protection. This work should be carried out by the school staff without expense to the Department. It is hoped that sufficient care will be taken by the staff in operating the chlorinator to prevent damage and obtain the maximum service.

MacInnes
[Signature]

Your obedient servant,

T. R. L. MacInnes,
Acting Secretary.

The Indian Office,
The Pas,
Man.

ACCOUNTANT
JAN 21 1932

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WALLACE & TIERNAN LTD.

32-34 FRONT ST., W.

TORONTO

CANADA



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CHLORINE CONTROL APPARATUS FOR
WATER AND SEWAGE PURIFICATION
BLEACHING AND INDUSTRIAL WORK

Letter 10/15/31

Your Order No.

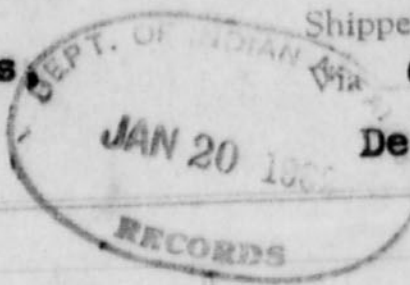
Our Order No. C-9592

Shipped 12/15/31

Via CNR Paid

Dec. 31, 1931

SOLD TO Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario



TERMS: 30 DAYS NET

- 1 CHLOROCLOCK Complete with motor driven pump & necessary fittings
- 1 3 Gal. carboy RED LABEL sterilizing solution

1531 50

F.O.B.
THE PAS, MAN.

Arch *Paid*

Shipped to: McKey Indian Residential School,
The Pas, Manitoba

A credit of \$4.20 will be allowed if the empty carboy is received at Toronto, Ont., freight charges prepaid within 90 days. If carboy is not received within 90 days, a charge of \$.50 per month will be made for every month that it is overdue.

Form 188a-12-29-30 2M
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Jan. 23, 1932.

Sir,-

W. A. M.

I am in receipt of an account from your Company dated Dec. 31st, for the furnishing and installing of ONE CHLOROCLOCK complete with motor driven pump and necessary fittings and ONE three gal. carboy red label sterilizing solution, amounting to \$1531.50 for the Maskay Indian Residential School at the Pas, Man.

I note on the above mentioned account that the carboy which is being supplied from Toronto is to be returned within 90 days otherwise a charge of 50¢ per month will be made for each month it is overdue. Before payment of this account can be taken into consideration I should like to be advised whether the sterilizing solution cannot be supplied from your Winnipeg branch, from where the apparatus was ordered.

I should also like to know whether the apparatus has been satisfactorily tested. It will be necessary that you forward this account in triplicate to Mr. A. G. Richardson, Acting Indian Agent, The Pas, for his certification.

Your obedient servant,

T. R. L. MacInnes

T. R. L. MacInnes.
Acting Secretary.

MacInnes

Wallace and Tiernan Ltd.,
32-34 Front St., W.,
Toronto, Ont.

Jan. 23, 1932.

Sir,-

The Department is in receipt of an account from the firm of Wallace and Tiernan Ltd. amounting to \$1531.50, for the furnishing of one chloroclock complete with motor driven pump and necessary fittings and one three gal. carboy red label sterilizing solution, which has lately been installed at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, Man.

Before payment of this account can be considered it will be necessary for you to certify to the copies of the account which the company is being requested to send you, and forward them to the Department with a report as to whether this sterilizing apparatus is giving satisfactory results.

Your obedient servant,

T. R. L. MacInnes.
Acting Secretary.

A. G. Richardson, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

MANITOBA

M

The Pass man

VOTE	7
TREATY	5

TOBOGGAN AND SLEIGH BUILDER

CANOES RE-CANVASSED AND REPAIRED

CARPENTER AND REPAIR WORK OF ALL KINDS

To Building Cupboards
for Big Cuddy School
Material + Labour

4500

TO CUPBOARD RECEIVED FOR THE JUNIOR CLASS-ROOM OF THE MACKAY
INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL. THE PAS. MATERIAL & LABOR SUPPLIED
CUPBOARD 7 ft. High. 6 ft. wide. 1½ ft. deep with five shelves
and one foot drop on top.
PRICE FAIR & JUST. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER NO.461

ACTING INDIAN AGENT.

27-1-32

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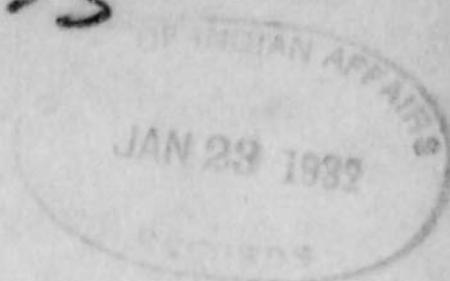
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Office of the Pas. Manitoba Indian Agency,

20th January 1932

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 461,
amounting to \$ 45.00 in favour
of W. Lyon Esq. The Pas. Manitoba
for Cupboard for junior class-room for MacKay School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated December 5th 1931.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Your obedient servant,

Acting Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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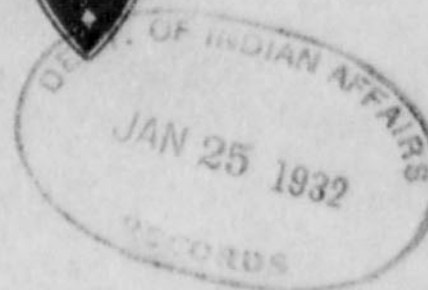
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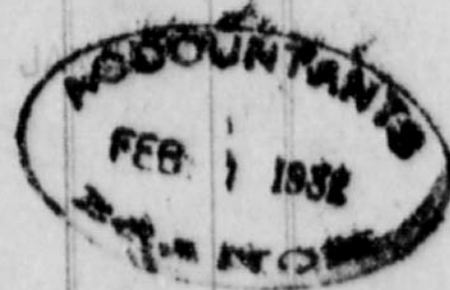
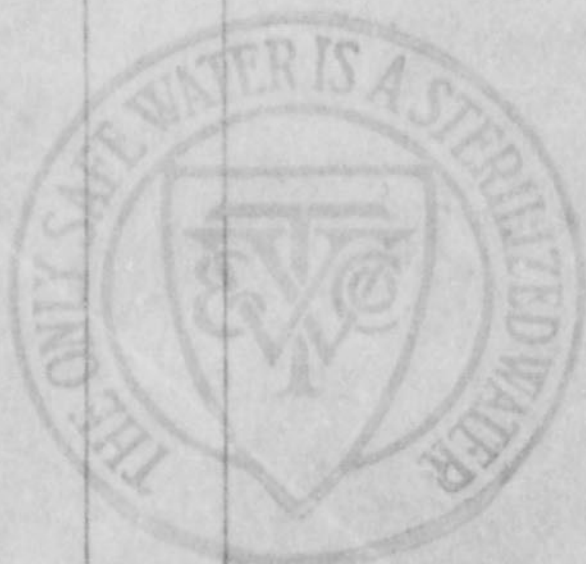
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January

1931.

Department of Indian Affairs.

The Pas.

THE PAS. MAN.

INSTALLING CHLORINATOR AT MACKAY I.R.
SCHOOL. THE PAS. MATERIAL & LABOR SUPPLIED.
WORK PERFORMED TO SATISFACTION TO
SCHOOL ENGINEER & WALLACE & TIERMAN
REPRESENTATIVE. PRICE FAIR & JUST
CERTIFIED CORRECT.

CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician

Machine and Electric Shop

ACTING INDIAN AGENT.

TERMS NETT: ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED. INTEREST AT 8 PER CENT.

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To materials & labour for installation
of Chlorinator at McKay Residential
School.
Materials.

1 Gal Reducing Tee 3 X 2 X 3 2.60
1 Wal. Tee 3 2.47
1 Union 3" 2.60
1 3" short nipple 40
1 3 X 8 79
14 Bushings 3" to 1/2" 2.26
2 Short nipples 1" 20¢ 2 Long nipples 35 55
3 Elbows 75¢ 1 Tee 35¢ 1.10
3 Short nipples 3/4" 24¢ 3 long nipples 36¢ 60
1 Tee 30¢ 4 Elbows 80¢ 1.10
1 Union 1/2" 40¢ 1 Globe Valve 1" 2.00 2.40
1 Union 1" 55¢ 2 Elbows 1/2" 30 85
1 Nipple 1/2" 10¢ 4 ft. Gal pipe 1/2" 60¢ 70
17 ft. Gal pipe 1/2" 3.40 8ft. Gal Pipe 1" 12. 5.40
40 ft. Black pipe 3/4" 4.80
2 Railing elbows 40¢ 1 S.O Elbow 25¢ 65
3 Crosses 1.05 3 Tees 75¢ 1.80
2 Flanges 40
1 Can Enamel 55¢, bolts & screws 10¢ 65
Packing 50¢ 50
60 ft. 1/2" Conduit 9.00
3 Condulets & covers L.B L.L.s. 1.35
1 F. Condulet & porcelain 55
17 locknuts & bushings 32¢ 1 Box & cover 40¢ 72
150 ft. #12 wire 3.00 1 Cutout & fuses 75¢ 3.75
2 Grounding clamps 20¢ 2 receptacles 1.00 1.20
Solder, tape, lag screws & pipe straps 62

Labour Cutting water main, connections to
machine, drilling concrete floor & walls,
setting down machines, installing conduit,
and pipe railing. Wiring for motor pump &
starter.

Plumber 37 hrs.

Electrician 37 hrs.

Transportation

1.25

1.25

46.25

46.25

6.00

\$148.31

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Letter No. 471

Office of the Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

January 27th 1932

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 471,

amounting to \$148.31 in favour

of Chas. W. Hill Esq. The Pas Manitoba

for Material & labor supplied installing chlorinator at
MacKay I.R. School. The Pas.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated October 28th 1931.

Your obedient servant,

A. E. Richardson
Acting Indian Agent.

INDIAN EDUCATION

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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M The Department of Indian Affairs.

The Pas.

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CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician * Machine and Electric Shop

TERMS NETT: ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED. INTEREST AT 8 PER CENT.

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To attention to lighting plant,
McKay Residential School.
Testing batteries, adjustment to
Resistance & starting up.
Electrician & helper 4 hrs.
Transportation.

1.50 6.00
4.00

\$10.00 *92*

SERVICES RENDERED. PRICE FAIR & JUST
CERTIFIED CORRECT.

A. G. Richardson

VOUCHER NO. 481

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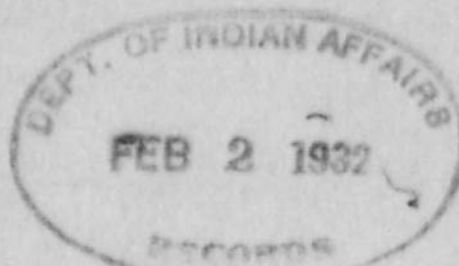
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Letter No. 481

Office of the Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

29th January 1932

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 481,
amounting to \$10.00 in favour
of Chas. W. Hill Esq. The Pas Manitoba,
for repairs to Mackay I.R. School lighting plant.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. dated Emergent.

Your obedient servant,

INDIAN EDUCATION

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

A. S. Richardson
Acting Indian Agent.

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PHONE 34-P. O. BOX 85

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M Dept; of Indian Affairs

The Pas Office Manitoba

To THE CHAS. S. DICKENS CO., LIMITED Br.

HEAT, LIGHT, SANITATION, TINSMITHING

ACETYLENE WELDING

10% Interest Charged on
Overdue Accounts.

VOTE 7 TREATY 5

Accounts Due When
Rendered.

Dec; 21st 1931. Mackay School.

To making 6 yale lock keys @ 60¢
2 Padlock keys @ 40¢

} = 3.60
= 80.

4 40

GOODS SUPPLIED. KEYS FOR BOXES FOR FIRE ESCAPES AT MACKAY
I.R.SCHOOL. THE PAS.
PRICE FAIR & JUST.

CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER NO.490

A. G. Richardson
ACTING INDIAN AGENT.

EXAMINED and
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Letter No. 490



EX-11



Office of the The Pas.....Manitoba.....Indian Agency,

.....1st.....February.....1932..

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 490.....,

amounting to \$ 4.40.....in favour

of The Chas. S. Dickens Co. Ltd.The Pas.....Manitoba.

for Keys made for boxes for fire escapes at MacKay
Indian Residential School. The Pas.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5.....dated December 5th. 1931.....

Your obedient servant,

INDIAN EDUCATION

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

A. G. Richardson
Acting Indian Agent.

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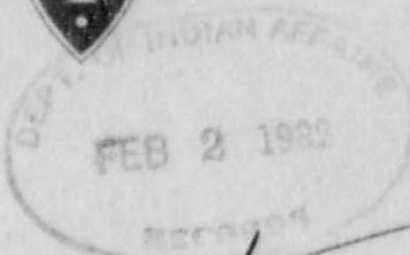
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CHLORINE CONTROL APPARATUS FOR
WATER AND SEWAGE PURIFICATION
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WINNIPEG OFFICE
301 BANK OF HAMILTON BUILDING

January 29, 1932

File No. 128-1-5

Mr. T. R. L. MacInnes,
Acting Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of a copy of your letter to our Toronto Office in regard to the chlorine equipment installed at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, Manitoba.

The writer made this installation and before leaving I was in touch with Mr. Richardson in reference to purchasing the sterilizing solution in Winnipeg from the Beaver Soap Company. On my return to Winnipeg, I requested the Beaver Soap Company to write Mr. Richardson in regard to prices.

Mr. Richardson visited the installation while I was there and found it working satisfactorily. He stated then that he would write Ottawa that it was in order for them to make payment.

Very truly yours,

WALLACE & TIERNAN LIMITED

H. G. Lindsten
District Manager

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Letter 10/15/31

Your Order No.

Our Order No. C-9592

Shipped 12/15/31

Via CNR Paid

SOLD TO Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario

Feb. 1, 1932

TERMS 30 DAYS NET

VOTE 7

THREATS

- 1 CHLOROCLOCK Complete with motor driven pump & necessary fittings
- 1 3 Gal. carboy RED LABEL sterilizing solution

1531 50

F.O.B.
THE PAS, MAN.

Shipped to: McKey Indian Residential School,
The Pas, Manitoba

A credit of \$4.20 will be allowed if the empty carboy is received at Toronto, Ont., freight charges prepaid within 90 days. If carboy is not received within 90 days, a charge of \$.50 per month will be made for every month that it is overdue.

"COPY OF INVOICE #C-785 DATED 12/31/31"

GOODS SUPPLIED COMPLETE AND PUT IN GOOD WORKING CONDITION
PRICE FAIR & JUST. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER NO.507

ACTING INDIAN AGENT.

Recommended for Payment,

Departmental Engineer.

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Letter No. 507



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Office of the Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

10th February 1932

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 507,

amounting to \$1531.50 in favour

of Wallace & Tiernan Ltd. 301 Bank of Hamilton Bdg.
Winnipeg Manitoba.

for Chloroclock complete with solution installed at MacKay
Indian Residential School. The Pas. and giving satisfactory
results to school Principal and Engineer.
This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated January 23rd 1932

Your obedient servant,

A. G. Richardson
Acting Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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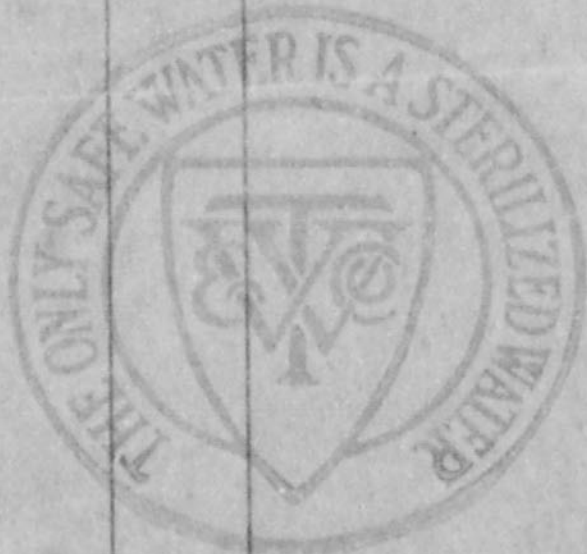
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THE PAS, MAN. February 1932

M. T. Department of Indian Affairs,

The Pas.

VOTE 7
TREATY 5

CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician & Machine and Electric Shop

TERMS NETT: ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN ORDERED
Mackay Residential School.

1932.

Feby 8
9To repairing one broken Radiator.
- drilling & bushing seven others for
Air Valves.7 Bushings
8 Air Valves
Labour 8 hrs. steamfitter.

	70
1.25	10.00
1.25	10.00

✓ \$20.70 PR

TO EMERGENCY REPAIRS OF RADIATORS AT THE MACKAY
INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL. THE PAS. BROKEN RAD
WAS IN SENIOR CLASS ROOM & NO CLASSES COULD BE
HELD THERE UNTIL REPAIRED.
PRICE FAIR & JUST.

CERTIFIED CORRECT.

A. G. Richardson

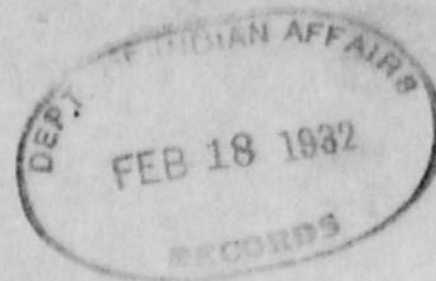
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Letter No. 509

Office of the Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

15th February 1932

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 509

amounting to \$20.70 in favour

of Chas. W. Hill Esq. The Pas Manitoba

for Emergent repairs to Mackay School radiators.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated Emergent.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Your obedient servant,

A. G. Richardson
Acting Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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EX-10.
March 5, 1932.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that the Department has just paid an amount of \$1,531.50 to Wallace and Tiernan Ltd. for the installation of a Chloroclock at the Pas Indian Residential School.

I beg to call your attention to the following insertion which was made on the above mentioned account, which has been certified to by you, that is "A credit of \$4.20 will be allowed if the empty carboy is received at Toronto, Ont., freight charges prepaid within 90 days. If carboy is not received within 90 days, a charge of .50 per month will be made for every month that it is overdue." In order that we may be credited for the empty carboy I would ask you to ship the one on hand immediately to Toronto, and make arrangements with the Winnipeg office in order that empty carboys may be shipped to Winnipeg instead of Toronto in future, as the order for the Chloroclock was placed in Winnipeg.

I should also like to be advised as to whether you have been successful in making any arrangements for the purchase of the sterilizing solution from the Beaver Soap Co. of Winnipeg, which firm I am advised by Wallace and Tiernan might be in a position to supply you with the above mentioned solution.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie.
Secretary.

A. G. Richardson
A. G. Richardson, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

The Pas, Manitoba,
March 14th, 1932.

Dear Sir:-

In the absence of the Acting Agent, Mr. S. Lovell, I have the honor to reply to your letter No. 128-1-5 of the 5th, instant.

As requested I have shipped the empty three gallon carboy to Wallace & Tiernan Limited, Toronto, freight charges prepaid, and trust that a credit for this carboy will be received in due course.

Wish to say a letter was received from the Beaver Soap & Chemicals Limited, Winnipeg, Manitoba, stating that the Wallace & Tiernan company had advised them of installing one of their machines at The Pas, and asking them to write here in regard to their Hypochlorite of Soda, trade named "Chlorex", a 10% Chlorine solution made in their plant in Winnipeg. It is packed in ten gallon carboys, and the price is 60¢ per gallon, F.O.B. Winnipeg, sales tax included. Carboys charged at \$5.00 and returnable freight prepaid to Winnipeg, for credit at full value.

The MacKay Indian Res. School are using their last gallon now, which will keep them going for about thirty days, but I would ask your authority to purchase a ten gallon carboy from the above named firm, and trust this will meet with your approval.

Your Obedient Servant,

A. G. Richardson

Clerk.

Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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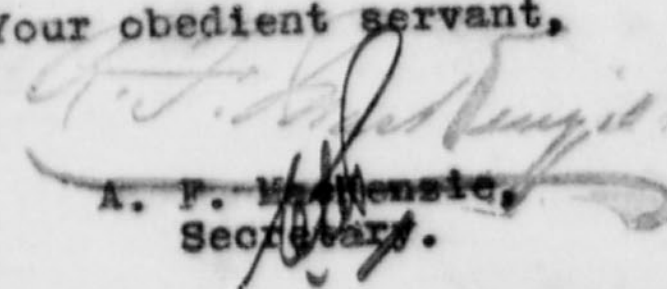
Ottawa, March 18, 1932.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 14th instant, I have to say it is noted that the empty three gallon carboy at the MacKay Indian Residential School has been returned by you, freight charges prepaid, to Wallace & Tiernan Ltd., Toronto. It is hoped that a credit for this carboy will be received in due course.

Regarding the supplying of a further quantity of chlorine solution, it is noted that this can be obtained in ten gallon carboys from the Beaver Soap & Chemicals Ltd., Winnipeg, at a price of 60 cents per gallon F.O.B. Winnipeg. It is expected that the school authorities will keep an ample supply of this chemical on hand, and the cost of same should be paid by them from their per capita earnings or other receipts. I shall be pleased if you will arrange to see that the necessary chemicals are kept on hand for the proper sterilizing of the water at this school, and you should advise the Principal that it is expected he will arrange for the purchase and keeping of a stock of the necessary chemicals on hand.

Your obedient servant,


A. P. MacKenzie,
Secretary.
Samuel Lovell, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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APR 22 1932
RECORDS

WINNIPEG, MAN. April 19th, 1932.

[Signature]
The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

The Principal of our Mackay School has directed the attention of our Commission to the need of a supply of hypochlorite of soda, for purifying the water by means of the system installed by Messrs. Wallace and Tiernan Ltd., and our Commission instructed me to ask your Department to kindly authorize this expenditure. It is estimated that 10 galls. would be sufficient for one year.

In a letter received from the Beaver Soap and Chemicals Ltd., they state that they manufacture this product which contains 10% available chlorine, and is packed in 10 gall. glass carboys, at the price of 60¢ per gall. f.o.b. Winnipeg. They charge \$10.00 extra for the carboys, but it is understood that this amount would be refunded when the carboys are returned. It seems to our Commission that this expenditure is a legitimate charge against your Department, and I shall be obliged if you will furnish me with the authorization requested.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature: T. B. R. Westgate]

Field Secretary M.S.C.C.

[Signature: TBRW/JF]
TBRW/JF

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EX'D.

128-1-5.

Ottawa, April 25, 1932.

Rev. Sir:

I have your letter of the 19th instant, relative to the supplying of hypochlorite of soda for purifying the water at the Mackay Indian Residential School, and stating where same can be obtained.

In reply I have to say that it is expected the school authorities will keep an ample supply of this chemical on hand, and it is considered that the cost of same should be paid from per capita earnings or other receipts. The Acting Indian Agent was requested in March, last, to inform the Principal of the School accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

T. B. R. Westgate
Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D.D.,
Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.,
39-43, The Bible House,
Alexander Ave. East,
Winnipeg, Man.

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July 28th. 193 2.

M. S. Lovell.

Indian Agent, The Pas.

CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician * Machine and Electric Shop

TERMS NETT: ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED. INTEREST AT 8 PER CENT.

Costs of Battery's for McKay Residential School.		
#1.	56 rebuilt cells of a total capacity of 160 ampere hours,	\$650.00
#2.	56 new cells of a total capacity of 160 ampere hours.	\$740.00
#3	56 new cells of a total capacity of 186 ampere hours	\$849.00

In each case price includes: freight, transportation to school, sales tax and installation.

In #2 no consideration is given to return of old battery.

In #1 & #3 credit is given for old battery and cost of crating & return to makers.

#1 & #2 are the same size battery's as the present one.

Respectfully submitted,

Chas. W. Hill

CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician * Machine and Electric Shop

EDWARDS AVE.:

THE PAS, MAN. 28th. July 1932.

Mr. S. Lovell,
Indian Agent,
The Pas.

Dear Sir,

Storage battery & Generating plant at the McKak Indian
Residential School, Big Eddy.

In accordance with your request I have carefully considered this matter, and respectfully submit the prices as per the attached.

The Batteries I have quoted on are of the well known Exide Type and are of the best materials, manufactured in Canada. The rebuilt batteries have all essential elements new, that is new positive & negative plates, wood separators & acid. The glass jars do not deteriorate.

With the addition of the Principals residence, the load has increased since the present battery was installed, and it would be an advantage to instal a larger battery.

The present generator is of sufficient capacity to take care of it.

Regarding the switchboard, I may say that it is out of date, and I do not recommend spending any money on it.

To remodel it, replace the faulty instruments and instal modern protective devices, it would cost as much as almost so, as a new board, and it would only be a crowded affair. A new board would not cost any more than \$200.00 installed and would be value for money spent.

In considering these points, I have taken into account, economy, safety of operation, protection of batteries and the plant generally, and operation of the plant in such a manner as will ensure the long life of the batteries.

Yours very truly,

Chas W Hill

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CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



1414-135

The Pas, Manitoba,
July 30th, 1932.

Dear Sir:-

Beg to report I received a request for batteries from the Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas.

I had Mr. C. W. Hill an electrician here get prices of these, and submit herewith a report from Mr. Hill together with the prices asked for.

I would not recommend a new switchboard, nor remodeling the old one, but would recommend the purchase of No 3 batteries.

Trusting this will meet with your approval.

Your Obedient Servant,

Samuel Lovell
S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

*Paint interior & outbuildings - 1.300
re roof - main Bldg 1.000*

*1923-24 installed
27-28. Chicago Bldg*



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CANADA

August 8, 1932.

Memorandum:

MR. BUSKARD

New batteries and a new switch board are required for the electric lighting equipment at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, Man. The local Indian Agent has forwarded a quotation from Charles W. Hill, The Pas, for the supplying of a battery of the required capacity, at a cost of \$740, installed, and a new switch board at a cost of \$200, installed. Would it be satisfactory to place the order with Mr. Charles W. Hill. If not, I shall be pleased to be advised from whom purchase of the new batteries and switch board should be made. I may add that the batteries at present in use were obtained in February, 1928, from the Fairbanks-Morse Company, Limited, Winnipeg. Funds for the above can be provided from the Appropriation for Indian Education. This school is situated in the federal district of Nelson.

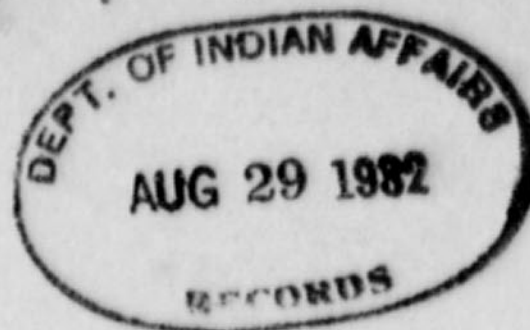
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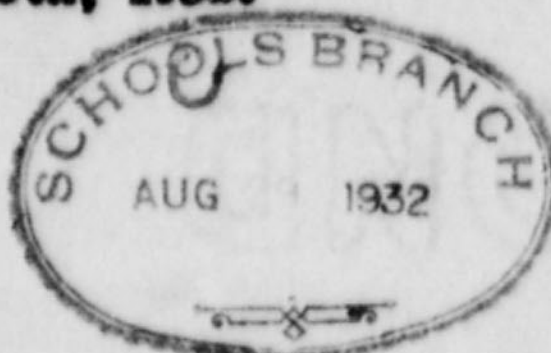
128-1-5
Minister's Office

MEMORANDUM

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August 26th, 1932.



Mr. Williams.

Your memorandum of the 8th instant, your File 128-1-5, refers to the purchase of new batteries and a switch board for the electric lighting equipment at the MacKay Indian Residential School at The Pas, Manitoba.

If the prices quoted by Mr. Charles W. Hill, of The Pas, are regarded as satisfactory the order may be placed with him.


Private Secretary.

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EX D.

1414-135.

Ottawa, August 29, 1932.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 30th ultimo, relative to the request of the Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School to be supplied with new batteries and switch board for the lighting system and enclosing a quotation from Charles W. Hill, of The Pas, for supplying same. In reply I have to say that you may place an order with Mr. Hill to supply a battery of 56 rebuilt cells, of a total capacity of 160 ampere hours, at the price quoted, viz.: \$650, installed. It is to be understood that the batteries have all essential elements new, that is, new positive and negative plates, wood separators and acid. You may also arrange with Mr. Hill to supply a new switch board, at a cost not to exceed the sum of \$200, installed.

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You should see that all the above work is satisfactorily completed. Please forward a detailed account, in triplicate, properly certified, covering the expenditure incurred in the supplying of the batteries and the switch board. The installing of this equipment should receive early attention.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

S. Lovell
Samuel Lovell, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

128-1-5
Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada

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EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY

CABLE ADDRESS
MARTURIA, TORONTO

("MISSIONS CODE," "C.I.M." AND "VIA EASTERN")

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(THE BIBLE HOUSE, WINNIPEG, MAN.)

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C. S. SCOTT, ESQ.
G. B. NICHOLSON, ESQ.

WINNIPEG, MAN. Sept. 27th, 1932.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

Col. Mermagen, Assistant Secretary-Treasurer of our Commission, visited the Mackay School during the month of August, and in his report recommended that the Principal be instructed to take up with the Indian Agent the question of having the steel pole fire escapes which were removed some years ago, reinstalled. When these poles were removed, wooden stairways were built to take their place, and he describes these as being "steep, flimsy and a positive menace". Why the steel poles were removed, and the wooden stairways supplied to take their place, I am, at the moment, unable to determine, but the poles are still there, and as they could be installed without incurring any great expenditure, and the wooden stairways removed, our Commission recommend that you instruct your representative at The Pas to take the matter up with the Rev. Principal Fraser, and have this part of the school's fire protection system placed on a more satisfactory basis. A few years ago you authorized the installation of steel poles at our Lac la Ronge School, and these have proved very satisfactory at that institution. Our Commission believe that it would be a wise procedure to have the steel poles re-installed at the Mackay School.

While writing about this matter I beg to state that the Assistant Secretary-Treasurer of our Commission in his report referred to the need of a new barn, and of an ice house at this school, and our Commission sincerely hope that provision may be made in the departmental estimates for the fiscal year 1933-34 to build the same.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

TBRW/JF

T. B. R. Westgate
FIELD SECRETARY M.S.C.C.

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Ottawa, October 4th, 1932.

Reverend Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th ultimo, with reference to the fire escapes at the MacKay Indian Residential School.

In November, 1929, the Department received a letter from the Assistant Deputy Minister of Public Works in Winnipeg, in which he stated that the MacKay Residential School had recently been visited by the Building Inspector of the town of The Pas. In commenting on the Building Inspector's report, the Assistant Deputy Minister's letter reads, in part, as follows:-

"Reference is made to the brass rod fire escape system. This, as an efficient fire escape, went out of date in Manitoba long ago and the only fire escape we consider satisfactory is the stairway type or, better still, the metal chute."

Following consideration of this report, the Indian Agent was instructed to install the stairway type of fire escape. I note from your recent letter that Col. Mermagen states that these are "steep, flimsy and a positive menace" and, in view of this report, the Department is writing to the Agent.

The need of a new barn and an ice house at the MacKay School has been noted but, at the present time, the Department is not in a position to state if funds will be available for their erection next year.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.
Secretary.

Rev. T.B.R. Westgate, D.D.,
Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.,
39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

EX 4.

Ottawa, October 4th, 1932.

Sir,-

In official letter of May 22nd, 1930, you were authorized to have stair fire escapes erected at the MacKay Indian Residential School at a cost of \$240.00. The Department presumed that these were satisfactorily erected.

However, we are now in receipt of a letter from Rev. T.B.R. Westgate, D.D., Field Secretary of the M.S.C.C., in which he states that the Assistant Secretary-Treasurer of their society recently visited the MacKay Residential School and his report reads, in part, as follows:-

"When the steel pole fire escapes were removed, wooden stairways were built to take their place. These are steep, flimsy and a positive menace."

Please let the Department have a full report regarding the condition of the fire escapes at this school, stating their present condition. If you consider any repairs are necessary, you might advise the cost that would be involved in doing the work.

Your obedient servant,

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ARM
Samuel Lovell, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie.
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



1504-135

The Pas, Manitoba,
Sept. 28th, 1932.

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of a letter from the Rev. A. Fraser, Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, stating the engine they have for their wood-saw is beyond repair and of no more service.

They request a four H.P. Gas Engine, as made by the Fairbanks-Morse Limited, and I would recommend that if possible they be supplied with one.

Trusting this will meet with your approval.

Your Obedient Servant,

Samuel Lovell
S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.



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Ottawa, October 8, 1932.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 28th ultimo, regarding the request of the Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School to be supplied with a 4 H.P. gas engine, to be used in connection with the operating of the wood saw. It is noted that the engine at present in use is stated to be beyond repair.

In this connection I shall be pleased if you will inform the Department if Mr. Chas. W. Hill, The Pas, could furnish a fair quotation for the supplying of the engine. Further, would not an engine of less horsepower be satisfactory. It is not considered that it would require a 4 H.P. engine to operate the saw. Please give your views regarding the horsepower of the engine, also if Mr. Hill could supply same and the approximate cost. When we have this information, consideration will be given as to whether funds for the purpose can be provided or not.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

S. Lovell, Esq.,
Act. Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Assignment of Moneys Due from Particular Contracts or Accounts.

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The supply and installation at MacKay Indian Residential School of electrical switch board and storage battery as ordered by the Secretary of the Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, his letter No. 128 - 1 - 5, dated August 29th, 1932.

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In Witness Whereof the undersigned has hereunto set **his** hand and seal.

Dated at The Pas this 30th day
of September 19 32

WITNESS

Kearon
A. McKenzie

Chas. Hill

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The Pas, Manitoba.

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Electrician

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occupation. 5

The Pas, Manitoba

6. My or our.

My lawful Attorney, to receive from the Receiver General of the Dominion of Canada,
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all powers of Attorney at any time heretofore made by **me** for the same or any
like purposes.

8. My or our.

WITNESS **my** hand, at **The Pas, Man.** this **30th**
day of **September** one thousand nine hundred and **thirty-two**

9. All the parties who join in
giving the power of
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ship or firm each partner
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EXECUTED IN PRESENCE OF 9

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N.B.—No addition to the printed terms of this authority will be permitted.
When the intention is to authorize a bank to receive money, the power of
Attorney should be in favour of such bank, and not in favour of its manager.

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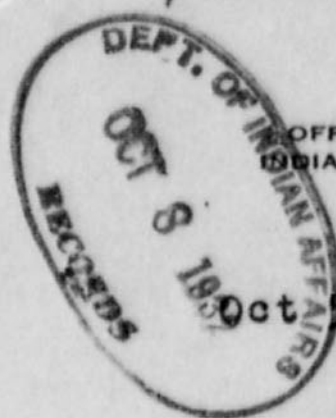
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John M.



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

The Pas

Man

Oct 5th 1932

128-1-5
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Dear Sir

I have the honor to inclose in duplicate
power of attorney from Chas, w, Hill, Electrician
The Pas, Manitoba, to the Royal Bank The Pas branch,

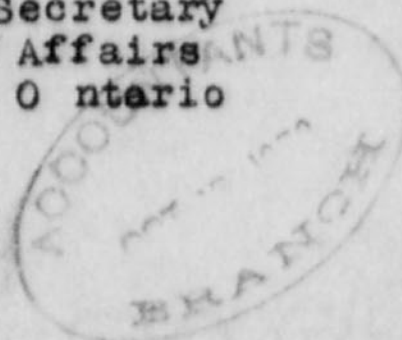
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Your obedient servant

Samuel Lovell

S Lovell
Acting Indian Agent

Asst Deputy & Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ontario



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128-1-5

Ottawa, October 14, 1932.

Dear Sir,-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 5th instant with which you forwarded a Power of Attorney executed by Mr. Chas. W. Hill, of The Pas, Man., in favour of the Royal Bank of Canada, The Pas, and in reply I may say it has been filed in the Department and the provisions of the same will be observed.

Kindly draw attention to this arrangement each time you submit a voucher for payment. A note should appear on the face of the voucher.

Yours faithfully,



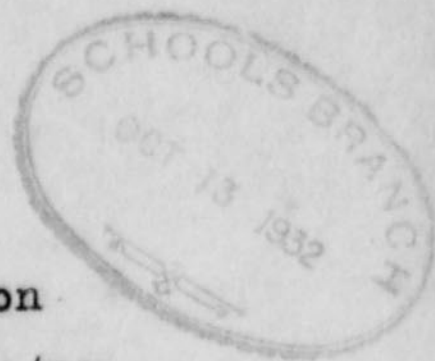
N.C. Allen
Representative of the Treasury.

S. Lovell, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF INSPECTOR HAMILTON, on
 HIS INSPECTION, on September 12th, of the MacKAY
 INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL - Report dated Oct. 5/32.

Original on 128-1-1

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The fire escapes are all in good condition, and there is one fire extinguisher on each floor. I think it would be well if three new fire extinguishers were supplied, in order that there might be one in each wing of the building. The Principal complained about being unable to keep a water pressure sufficient to be of much use in case of fire, but I am inclined to think that sufficient pressure could be obtained if this matter was carefully looked after. The pressure tanks are new and there is no reason why they will not stand the required pressure.

Ottawa, October 18, 1932.

Sir:

Mr. Inspector Hamilton, who recently visited the MacKay Indian Residential School in September, last, reports as follows regarding the toilets:-

"The toilets, especially in the girls' dormitories, were very offensive and certainly have not been properly looked after. I pointed this out to both Mr. Fraser and the Matron, as there is no reason why these cannot be kept clean, and the ones in the dormitories should certainly receive special attention. The bathtubs were also dirty and had not been looked after since last being in use."

You should draw this matter to the attention of the Principal. There does not appear any reason why these toilets and bathtubs cannot be kept in a clean and sanitary condition.

The Inspector states further that the boys were dressed in overalls and shirts, some of which were ragged and untidy. This matter should also be drawn to the attention of the Principal and he should arrange to see that this condition is remedied at the earliest possible date.

Further, the Inspector drew attention to the menu served the pupils. He states that, for the noon meal, no butter or lard is served, that the children receive only water to drink and that desserts are not served at this meal. He also reports that the supper meal appears rather light, in view of what the pupils receive for dinner. It is considered that the children should be given either milk or a hot drink - tea or cocoa - with the noon meal. You might report whether milk is served the pupils and the quantity used at the school each day. Milk is an important item of diet, especially for the younger children.

Attention is drawn to the case of one of the pupils who had been placed in St. Anthony's Hospital to receive treatment for an infectious skin disease. The Inspector considered that this child could quite well have been cared for at the school and isolated in the hospital ward. Please inform the Principal

- that it is

S. Lovell, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

that it is expected, in the case of minor illness, the pupils should receive treatment at the school and it is not necessary to incur the expenditure of having them sent to hospital.

The Inspector refers to a complaint of the Principal, that he is unable to keep a water pressure sufficient to be of much use in case of fire. The pressure tanks are new, and there is no reason why they will not stand the required pressure. The Principal should give this matter serious attention.

I may add that the Department is taking up with the church authorities the matter of an improvement in the staff at this school. They are being requested especially to appoint a competent engineer-mechanic to look after the plant and machinery.

The Inspector has requested that a new hospital bed be provided. You may obtain prices from a firm on the list to receive consideration, for the supplying of a hospital bed and mattress, if same is required. If there are no firms at The Pas handling this equipment, you should secure prices from Simmons Limited and the Parkhill Bedding Company, both of Winnipeg. The prices should be forwarded for the consideration of the Department.

The various matters referred to in this letter should receive your prompt attention.

Your obedient servant,


T. R. L. MacInnes,
Acting Secretary.

TREATY 5
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EDWARDS AVE.:

THE PAS, MAN. October 193.

The Department of Indian Affairs.

The Pas.

CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician & Machine and Electric Shop

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1932.
October 3Electrical Equipment for the McKay
Indian Residential School, Big Eddy.56 Re:built cells making one complete
110 Volt, 160 ampere hr, Storage Battery

650.00

1-110 Volt, 60 amp, Series Parellel
Switchboard.

200.00

Installed complete.

\$850.00

Suppling and installing electrical
equipment, at McKays Indian Residential
School. Prices fair and just.
Certified correct

Voucher No 265

Samuel Lovell
S. Lovell
Acting Indian AgentCUMB.
Q.N. No. 58VOTE 207
AGENCY 128
ALLOT 211

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Voucher in duplicate detached
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CANADA

Letter No.....265....

Office of the *[Signature]* THE PAS.....Indian Agency,

OCTOBER 11th 1932

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....265.....,
amounting to \$850.00.....in favour
of.....CHAS. W. HILL.....

for.....supplying and installing electrical Equipment
at McKays Indian Residential School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No.....128-1-5..... dated.....August 29th.....1932

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
Acting Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

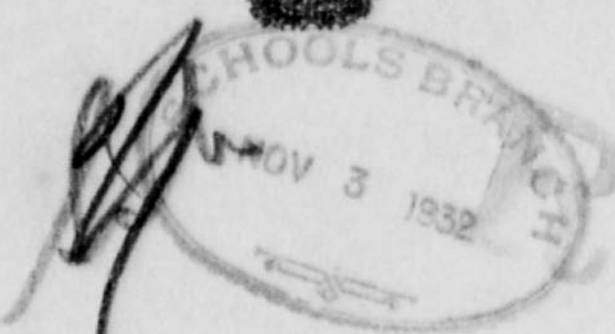
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

1556-135



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



The Pas, Manitoba,
Octr. 28th. 1932.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter 128-1-5 of the 18th, instant, I beg to advise you I inspected the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, on the 25th, instant.

The toilet in the Junior girl's dormitorie is broken beyond repair and is very offensive. All the other toilets and bathtubs have been cleaned and are now in quite good order.

At the time of Mr. Hamilton's visit to this school it was the end of the quarter, and since then the pupils have received a new issue of clothes, and all looked well dressed at the time of my visit.

I took up the menu question, and was assured the children would be served lard and cocoa at the noon meal. For breakfast, porridge with milk and sugar is served also milk with their cocoa. Milk is not served as a drink though 11 gals., per day, an average for the past ten months has been used at the school.

Regarding water pressure in the case of fire. I took this matter up with the Principal, and had an actual test on the top floor of the school. The pumps were started and inside of three minutes we had a force of water 14 ft., high with 30 lbs of pressure registered on the tanks and another 10 lbs could have been supplied if necessary.

Mr. E. Bicknell the new engineer-mechanic at the school has no engineer's papers at the present time, but assured me that he would sit for examination in Decr., 1932.

E. Carroll quoted \$15.50 and The Pas Furniture Co. \$19.00 for hospital bed No. 2 with spring and mattress F. O. B. The Pas.

Trusting this will meet with your approval.

Your Obedient Servant,

Samuel Lovell
S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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W. LYON
TOBOGGAN AND SLEIGH BUILDER
POST OFFICE BOX 683

THE PAS, *24 October* 1932
MANITOBA

Mr S S Lovell

Indian Agent

The Pas man

Estimate for removal of five escapes
at McKay School Big Eddy and erection of
4 new stairways with easy rise to take place
of removed steps To supply material and labour
for same for the sum of One hundred and
forty five dollars \$ 145:00

For the erection of old slide pipes escapes
To supply material & labour for same for the
sum of Thirty five dollars \$ 35:00

W Lyon



128-1-5

1554-135

The Pas, Manitoba,
October 28th, 1932

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to reply to your letter 128-1-5 of the 4th, instant, and on receipt of same I immediately inspected the fire escapes, and had a fire drill at The MacKay I.R. School, The Pas.

I found the fire escapes, as stated in your letter were too steep and there was not enough head room for the children to hurry down.

I would suggest these stairs be dismantled and rebuilt, with shorter raises and larger treads, which would give the necessary slope for the pupils to leave the building faster if ever required to.

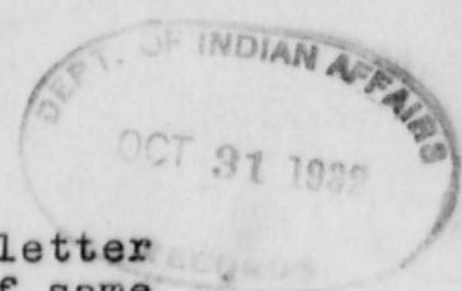
I attach herewith a tender I received for this work from a Mr. W. Lyon, The Pas, which I trust will receive your consideration.

Your Obedient Servant,

Samuel Lovell

S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.



CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician * Machine and Electric Shop

EDWARDS AVE.:

THE PAS, MAN. 24th. October 1932.

Mr. S. Lovell,

Indian Agent.

The Pas.

Dear Sir,

In accordance with your request I submit herewith prices on Gasoline Engines. F.O.B. The Pas.

1-3 H.P. Fairbanks Morse Type "Z", Style "D" Engine,
Self-oiling enclosed crankcase. \$164.50

1-5 H.P. Fairbanks Morse Type "Z", Style "B" Engine,
open crankcase, with guard. \$207.50

I understand the engine is required for woodsawing, and would point out that the smaller size is not powerful enough for that work. I would recommend the 5 H.P. for both power & economy.

Respectfully submitted,

Chas W Hill

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CANADA



128-1-5

1555-135

The Pas, Manitoba,
Octr. 28th, 1932.

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to reply to your letter 128-1-5 of the 8th, instant, re request for a gas engine to operate a wood saw at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas.

I attach herewith a quotation on engines received from Mr. Charles W. Hill, The Pas, and would recommend the purchase of the 5 H.P. engine as the 3 H.P. would not supply the power required nor stand up to this sort of work.

I trust this will meet with your approval.

Your Obedient Servant,

Samuel Lovell
S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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Ottawa, November 3, 1932.

Sir:

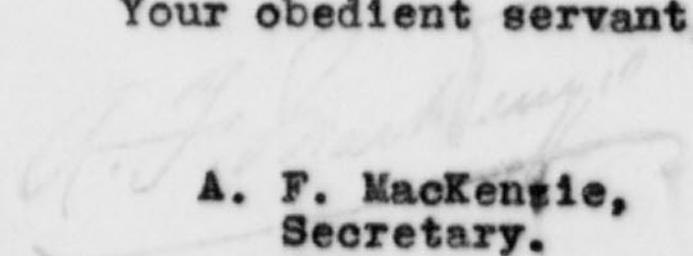
I have your letter of the 28th ultimo, regarding your inspection of the MacKay Indian Residential School.

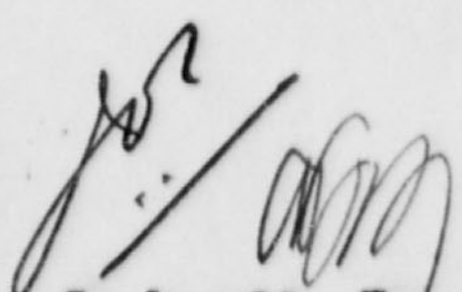
It is noted that the toilet in the junior girls' dormitory is broken beyond repair and is very offensive. Could not the school authorities make the necessary repairs to this toilet, providing the cost from their per capita allowance or other receipts? If not, you should furnish a report showing in detail the work required in having this toilet placed in a good, workable and sanitary condition, and the approximate cost of same.

Your report regarding the children's clothing, the menu being served the pupils and the water pressure in case of fire have been noted. The Department is pleased that there has been an improvement in the general conditions at this school.

It is hoped that the new engineer-mechanic will be able to handle the equipment at this school in a satisfactory manner.

Your obedient servant,


A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.


S. Lovell, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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Ottawa, November 3, 1932.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 28th ultimo, relative to the fire escapes on the MacKay Indian Residential School building, and recommending that the stairs be dismantled and rebuilt, with shorter raises and larger threads, and enclosing an estimate of the cost.

In reply I have to say that the Department will approve of an expenditure not exceeding approximately \$145.00 in the erection of four new stairways, with easy rise, to take the place of the removed steps; the above amount to cover the cost of material and labour. You should arrange to have this work carried out as soon as possible. The Department will rely on you to see that this work is satisfactorily performed, and you should keep careful oversight of same. After the work has been completed, please forward an account, in triplicate, properly certified, covering the expenditure incurred.

The Department is not prepared to authorize the erection of slide pipe escapes. We understand there has been objection to this type of escape by the provincial authorities.

I have also your letter of the 28th ultimo, regarding the request of the Principal to be supplied with a gas engine to operate the wood saw, and enclosing quotations which you received.

In reply I have to say that you may arrange for the purchase of a 5 H.P. engine, at an estimated cost of \$207.50. After the purchase has been made, please forward an account, in triplicate, properly certified, covering the cost. The purchase and delivery of this engine should receive your early attention.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

S. Lovell, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

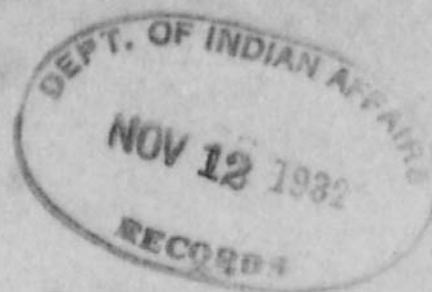
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128-1-5

The Royal Bank of Canada

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The Pas, Man.,

Nov. 8th, 1932.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

In your letter No. 128-1-5, dated August 29th last, you authorized the supply and installation at MacKay Indian Residential School of an electrical switch board and storage batteries. The successful tenderer for this work was Mr. G. W. Hill.

In the ordinary course of business, he assigned to this Bank the money due him under the contract and in addition, executed a Power of Attorney, authorizing the Receiver General to pay the money to this Bank. These two forms, the Assignment and the Power of Attorney were handed to the Indian Agent, The Pas, on October 1st and acknowledged by him on October 5th, stating that the forms had been sent to Ottawa. It turns out that the consideration for the contract, that is \$850., was paid direct to Mr. Hill. The purpose of this communication is to ascertain whether the Indian Department will not recognize an Assignment of Money in a case of this kind or if so, we would like to know why the money was sent direct to Mr. Hill.

You will appreciate the fact that in the ordinary course of business we have to rely on these assignments and we would like an explanation for our future guidance.

Yours truly,

MANAGER.

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CANADA

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Ottawa, November 17th, 1932.

Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 8th instant re Power of Attorney given your Bank by C. W. Hill in connection with moneys due him by this Department for work performed at the MacKay Indian Residential School.

This Power of Attorney was forwarded to the Department at Ottawa by Indian Agent Lovell, who was instructed to indicate on Hill's account that the document had been executed, but owing apparently to an oversight, the Agent neglected to do this. The cheque was, therefore, forwarded to Hill.

While the oversight is regretted, it is pointed out that it is contrary to the policy of the Department to assume any responsibility in connection with Powers of Attorney. The Department is willing, however, in certain cases to endeavour to meet the wishes of the bank making advances to contractors on the strength of Powers of Attorney, by forwarding the cheques, payable to the contractor, in care of the bank concerned.

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Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

The Manager,
The Royal Bank of Canada,
THE PAS,
Manitoba.

EDWARDS AVE.;

THE PAS, MAN.

November

1932.

M Department of Indian Affairs.

The Pas.

VOTE
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CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician & Machine and Electric Shop

TERMS NETT: ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED. INTEREST AT 8 PER CENT.

1932

Novr. 24

One 5 H.P. Gasoline Engine to operate
Wood Saw. as per your order dated
9th. November.

\$207.50

Please make cheque payable to
The Royal Bank of Canada, The Pas.

Chas. W. Hill

MACHINE SUPPLIED FOR MACKAY I. R. SCHOOL. THE PAS.
PRICE FAIR & JUST. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER NO. 308

Samuel Lovell
ACTING INDIAN AGENT.

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I certify that the articles specified in this account
have been received in good condition, that the
quality and prices are according to contract auth-
orized by or, if not
by contract, that the prices charged are fair and
just. No item in this account has been previously
certified by me for payment. I recommend pay-
ment.

Samuel Lovell

VOTE..... 207
AGENCY..... 128
ALLOT..... 211

ENCUMB.
REQ'N. No. 81

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CANADA

128-1-5



Letter No. 308

Office of the Pas... Manitoba... Indian Agency,

18th. November 1932

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 308,
amounting to \$207.50 in favour
of The Royal Bank of Canada The Pas Manitoba.
for Gas engine for wood saw at Mackay I.R. School. The Pas.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. 128-1-5 dated 3rd. November 1932.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
Acting Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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THE PAS, January 6th. 1933.
MANITOBA

M. T. Department of Indian Affairs.....

The Pas Manitoba.

In Account With

W. LYON

TOBOGGAN AND SLEIGH BUILDER

Post Office Box 683

VOTE 7
TREATY 8

Canoes Re-canvassed and Repaired

Carpenter and Repair Work of All Kinds

To removal of fire-escapes and erecting new
stairways with easy rise.
Material & Labor supplied and job
completed to satisfaction of Agent.
Price for complete job per quotation
Job at MacKay Indian Residential School. The Pas
PRICE FAIR & JUST. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

\$145 00

VOUCHER NO. 355

Samuel Lovell
ACTING INDIAN AGENT

VOTE.....

AGENCY.....

ALLOT.....

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE

Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

ENCUMB.
REQ'N. No. 87

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Letter No. 355

Office of the Pas. Manitoba Indian Agency,

5th January 1933

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 355

amounting to \$145.00 in favour

of Wm. Lyon Esq. The Pas. Manitoba.

Removing fire-escape & erecting new stairways with
for easy rise. Material & labor supplied.
MacKay Indian Residential School. The Pas.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated Nov. 3rd. 1932

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
Acting Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician * Machine and Electric Shop

EDWARDS AVE.:

THE PAS, MAN. 4th. January 1933.

Mr. S. Lovell,
Indian Agent,
The Pas.

Dear Sir,

Re The McKay Indian Boarding School Heating Boiler.

I have inspected this boiler as per your request, with special reference to the Iron Arch & brickwork above the same.

The arch is down very low and the brickwork has fallen into the firehole. This has left the flue open direct to boiler end, at the front, i.e. above the firedoor. The iron arch is very badly warped, and it is very doubtful whether or not it can be used again.

It is generally conceded the iron arch is a thing of the past, and I would respectfully suggest to you that it be dispensed with in favor of Plibrico Jointless Firebrick. This would replace the iron arch, also the brickwork above it.

For a return tubular boiler, this is the most logical thing to use.

One installed in a boiler of this class, it eliminates the necessity of taking down the outside brickwork to get the iron arch in. It can be economically repaired, as any burnt portion, (say near the firebars at the side) can be cut out and a new portion dovetailed in.

I attach hereto an estimate for this work, and await your further commands.

Yours truly,

Chas. W. Hill

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



1688-135

The Pas, Manitoba,
January 5th, 1933.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to report that the iron arch in the furnace of the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, also the brick supports are falling away.

The iron arch is badly warped and may drop any day.

I attach herewith a letter and quotation from Mr. C.W. Hill. Mr. Hill examined this furnace and I think his letter will explain what is wrong.

I would suggest Mr. Hill be given this work, but that it be held off until spring unless the arch falls sooner.

Your Obedient Servant,

Samuel Lovell
S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.



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CANADA

Ottawa, January 13, 1933.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 5th instant, regarding the condition of the iron arch in the furnace at the MacKay Indian Residential School, and enclosing a communication from Chas. W. Hill on the condition of the furnace and work required to be carried out, and furnishing his quotation for renewing the brick and iron arch and placing the furnace in a satisfactory condition.

In this connection I have to say that, provided the repairs can be carried out in time to make payment before the end of the present fiscal year, the Department will approve of you arranging with Mr. Hill to do the work. We will have available certain funds this year to pay the cost. The repairs should consist of the work stated in the estimate submitted by Mr. Hill, at a cost not to exceed the sum of \$145. I am returning Mr. Hill's quotation giving, in detail, the work he will perform for the above amount, and you should see that a satisfactory job is completed.

After the repairs have been carried out to your satisfaction, you should forward an account, in triplicate, properly certified, covering the cost. This account you should forward to the Department not later than March 15th, next, attaching thereto the quotation of Mr. Hill. If the work in carrying out these repairs cannot be completed in time to have the account forwarded by the date mentioned, no action is to be taken until you report the matter to the Department and receive further instructions, as it is doubtful if we will have funds during the next fiscal year to provide for this expenditure.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

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Samuel Lovell, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.



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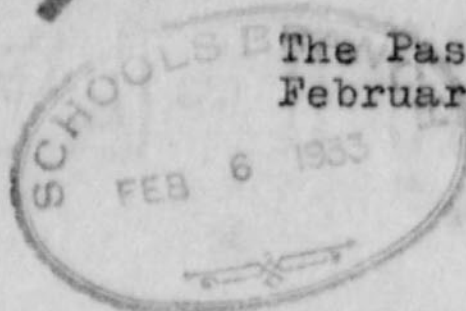


OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



1737-135

The Pas, Manitoba,
February 2nd, 1933.



Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of a letter from the
Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School,
The Pas, requesting leathers for their well-pump.

I understand to put leathers in this
well would cost around \$50.00.

I trust this will meet with your
approval.

Your Obedient Servant,

Samuel Lovell
S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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Ottawa, February 6, 1933.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 2nd instant, regarding the request which you received from the Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School to have new leathers installed on the well, at a cost of approximately \$50.

In reply I have to say that we have no funds to provide for this expenditure. As this is in the nature of replacement, it is considered the school authorities should provide same from their per capita allowance or other receipts.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

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Samuel Lovell, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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EDWARDS AVE.,

THE PAS, MAN.

February

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M The Department of Indian Affairs.

The Pas.

VOTE 7
TREATY 8

CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician  Machine and Electric Shop
Repairs to Scientific Instruments, Models and Firearms

Terms Nett: Accounts Due When Rendered. Interest at 8 per cent.

1933

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Heating Boiler, McKay Indian Boarding School

Big Eddy.

To taking out old iron arch, and arch supports.

Taking out faulty brickwork behind arch supports.

Rebuilding brickwork, building in Plibrico supports for arch and new arch.

Repairing inner casing on left of arch, and building flue dividing wall under boiler.

2145.00

As per estimate date 4th. Jany. 1933.

TO WORK PERFORMED AS ABOVE.

ALL MATERIALS SUPPLIED.

WORK TO SATISFACTION OF AGENT.

AS PER TENDER ALREADY IN HANDS OF DEPT. AT OTTAWA
PRICE FAIR & JUST.

CERTIFIED CORRECT

VOUCHER NO. 424

Samuel Lovell
ACTING INDIAN AGENT.

VOTE

AGENCY

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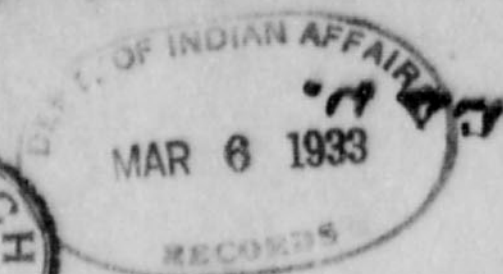
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Letter No. 424



Office of the Pas. Manitoba Indian Agency,

March 3rd. 1933.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 424,

amounting to \$ 145.00 in favour

of Chas. W. Hill Esq. The Pas. Manitoba

for Repairs to MacKay I.R. School furnace per tender
already in hands of Dept. at Ottawa

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated January 13th. 1933.

Your obedient servant,

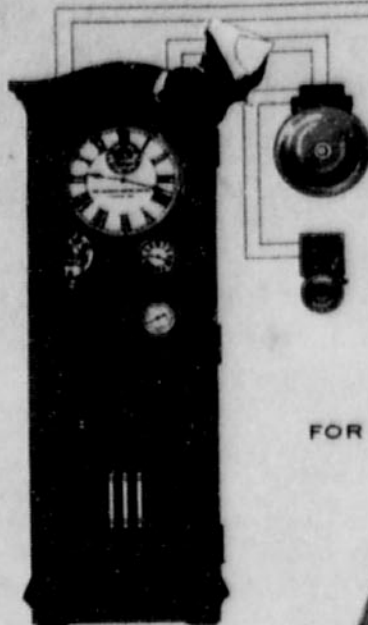
Samuel Lovell
Acting Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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Of Canada, Limited

ELECTRIC CLOCK SYSTEMS

FOR SCHOOLS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS,
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ELECTRIC PROGRAM CLOCKS, TOWER CLOCKS,
STREET CLOCKS, BATTERY EQUIPMENT

MAIN OFFICE & WORKS
726 ST. FELIX ST.

MONTREAL, QUE. March 22nd, 1933,

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,
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Gentlemen:-

You know doubt will be rebuilding the MacKay Indian School recently destroyed by fire, and we ask you to consider the installation of a small Canadian made electric clock system or a program schedule system which will add to the efficiency of the School.

This equipment is not expensive and we would be pleased to give you tentative quotations if you will advise us what your requirements will be.

Yours very truly,
THE STANDARD ELECTRIC TIME COMPANY
of Canada, Limited,

A. F. Shaw
Secretary,

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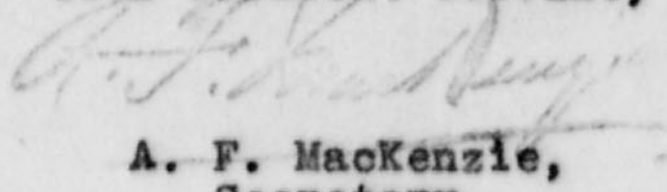
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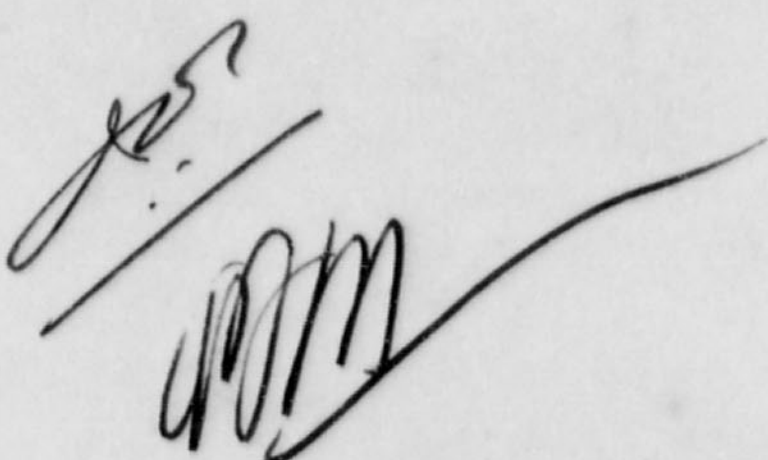
Ottawa, March 24, 1933.

Gentlemen:

I have your letter of the 22nd instant, regarding the installing of your electric clock system in the MacKay Indian Residential School when same is rebuilt, and, in reply, have to inform you that the Department has no funds to rebuild this school during the coming fiscal year.

Your obedient servant,


A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.



The Standard Electric Time Company of Canada, Ltd.,
726 St. Felix St.,
Montreal, P.Q.

CANADIAN PACIFIC TELEGRAPHS

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 POSTAL TELEGRAPH - MACKAY RADIO
 COMMERCIAL CABLES - ALL AMERICA CABLES
 MONEY TRANSFERRED BY TELEGRAPH
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 COMMUNICATIONS LIMITED -
 IMPERIAL CABLES - BRITISH PACIFIC CABLE
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NL	NIGHT LETTER
NM	NIGHT TELEGRAM
LCO	DEFERRED
NLT	CABLE LETTER
WLT	WEEK END LETTER

W. D. NEIL, GENERAL MANAGER OF COMMUNICATIONS, MONTREAL.

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SECRETARY DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

OTTAWA ONT

AS WE URGENTLY REQUIRE FORTY MATTRESSES AND UNDERSTAND QUANTITY
 WERE SAVED AT MCKAY SCHOOL STOP WILL YOU KINDLY INSTRUCT THE AGENT
 AT THEPAS TO SHIP SAME

REV F ELEY

THIS IS A COLLECT MESSAGE
 KINDLY ADVISE US TO-DAY IF
 YOU DECLINE TO PAY CHARGES

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128-1-5-

EXTRACT FROM LETTER OF DR. T. B. R. WESTGATE,
DATED MARCH 31, 1933, REPORTING ON THE LOSS, BY
FIRE, OF THE MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL.



Original on #128-1-1.

During the early stages of the fire the
salvage work went rapidly forward. 71 mattresses,
117 quilts, 47 flannelette sheets and 72 pillows
were saved, as well as many bed spreads, pillow
slips, etc.

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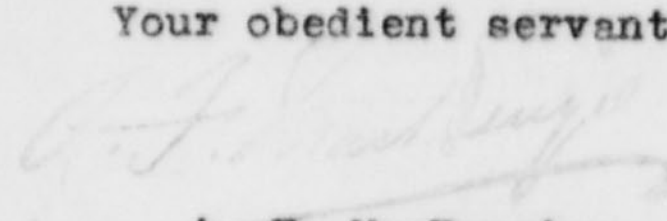
Ottawa, April 5, 1933.

Rev. Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your telegram of the 4th instant, requesting that 40 mattresses be transferred from the MacKay School to the Elkhorn Indian Residential School for the use of the pupils who were recently transferred from the MacKay School.

In this connection I have to say that the Department has been informed that there was a number of mattresses, quilts, sheets and pillows salvaged, and we are communicating with Mr. Agent Lovell, The Pas, regarding the transfer to your school of the salvaged bedding, or, at least, a sufficient portion thereof to meet the requirements of the 40 pupils transferred to your school. We are also communicating with Rev. Dr. Westgate, Field Secretary, M.S.C.C., regarding the transfer of the equipment mentioned. This Department will pay the freight charges. Mr. Lovell is being requested to consult Rev. A. Fraser, Principal of the MacKay School, and between them to arrange for early shipment to you of the bedding supplies.

Your obedient servant,


A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.
Rev. F. Eley,
Principal, Indian Res. School,
Elkhorn, Man.

Ottawa, April 5, 1933.

Sir:

A request has been received from the Principal of the Elkhorn Indian Residential School to be supplied with mattresses for the use of the pupils who were transferred from the MacKay Indian Residential School. In a recent communication from Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, Field Secretary, M.S.C.C., reporting on the loss of the school by fire, he states that 71 mattresses, 117 quilts, 47 flannelette sheets and 72 pillows were saved, as well as many bed spreads, pillow slips, etc. A quantity of these supplies should be forwarded to the Elkhorn School, and I have to request that you will arrange for the shipment, by freight, of 40 mattresses. You should consult Mr. Fraser, as representing the M.S.C.C., with a view to having this equipment forwarded to Elkhorn, or, at least, a sufficient quantity to provide the equipment required for the number of pupils who were transferred to that school. This Department will be pleased to prepay freight charges upon receipt from you of an account, in triplicate, properly certified, covering the charges.

We are informing Rev. Dr. Westgate that, acting in conjunction with Mr. Fraser, you have been requested to arrange for the transfer of the above salvaged equipment.

The supplies should be addressed to Rev. F. Eley, Principal, Indian Residential School, Elkhorn, Man. I would request that you give the matter of shipment early attention.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

S. Lovell, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Ottawa, April 5, 1933.

Rev. Sir:

Referring to that portion of your letter of the 31st ultimo, reporting on the loss by fire of the MacKay Indian Residential School, and giving a list of the equipment salvaged, I have to say that a request has been received from the Principal of the Elkhorn Indian Residential School to be supplied with a sufficient number of mattresses for the use of the pupils who were transferred.

In this connection I have to say that the Department is communicating with Mr. S. Lovell, Acting Indian Agent, The Pas, and requesting him to arrange, in conjunction with Mr. Fraser, as representing your Commission, for the early shipment to Elkhorn of the mattresses, quilts, flannelette sheets and other bedding materials as mentioned in your letter, or, at least, a sufficient quantity of same to meet the needs of the pupils recently transferred. This Department will prepay freight charges. It is considered that all this equipment could be used to advantage at Elkhorn, and it is hoped you will approve of the transfer of same.

You will be communicated with later regarding the report submitted by you on the destruction by fire of the MacKay School.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D.D.,
Field Secretary, W.S.C.C.,
39-43, The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

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EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY

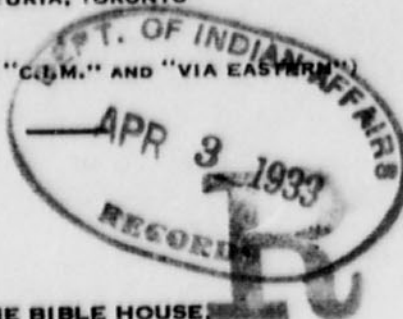
FIELD SECRETARY
REV. T. B. R. WESTGATE, D.D.
(THE BIBLE HOUSE, WINNIPEG, MAN.)

GENERAL TREASURER
J. M. MCWHINNEY, ESQ.

ACCOUNTANT
R. A. WILLIAMS, ESQ.

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MARTURIA, TORONTO

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WINNIPEG, MAN. April 1st, 1933.

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

Re:- Flour and Feed, Mackay School.

The following telegram dated The Pas, Man., March 31st, 1933, has been received from the Rev. A. Fraser, Principal of the Mackay School:-

" Advised by Inspector Hamilton make offer of flour and feed direct Ottawa."

Pending the receipt of a complete inventory of the quantities still on hand in the Mackay School store-room, I can only say that on January 12th last, shipment was made by the Quaker Oats Company of Saskatoon, of the amounts given on the enclosed invoice, and payment for the same was made by our Commission on Feb. 14th. Some of the supplies will have been consumed during the January-March Quarter, but in case your Department may be able to make use of what remains, our Commission will be satisfied to leave the question of quantities to be thus disposed of, in the hands of Mr. Fraser and Mr. Lovell as representing our Church and your Department respectively.

As steps must be taken in the immediate future to dispose of the supplies in question, I shall be obliged if you will give the matter the earliest attention possible.

Your obedient servant,

T. B. R. Westgate

Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.

TBRW/JF

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Ottawa, April 6, 1933.

Rev. Sir:

I have your letter of the 1st instant, regarding the disposal of the flour and feed on hand in the storeroom at the MacKay Indian Residential School, and enclosing the account of the Quaker Oats Company, Saskatoon, giving the quantities of the various supplies forwarded to the school in January, last.

In reply I have to say that this Department has already arranged for the supply of flour, etc., for the use of the Indians in The Pas Agency, and I regret, therefore, that we will not be able to accept the transfer of the flour, feed, etc., remaining on hand. Could not these supplies be forwarded by your Commission for use at some of the other Indian residential schools conducted under the auspices of the M.S.C.C.?

I might add that the Department is giving consideration to the disposal of the equipment, stock, etc., remaining at the Mackay School and, in this connection, you will be advised at a later date.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

T. B. R. Westgate
Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D.D.,
Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.,
39-43, The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

INVENTORY OF FARM DEPT.-- MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL.

5 Geld horses
1 Mare
2 Colts
15 Cows
7 2 year olds(cattle)
7 1 " " "
10 Calves
1 Bull
20 Chickens
2 New 8's Frost & Wood Mowers (1 new 1 old)
1 Used binder
1 " scraper
1 Seed drill
2 Hay rakes
3 Wagons
2 Walking plows
1 Brush plow
1 Potato hiller
1 Disc
6 Section harrows
2 Heavy sleighs
1 Light sleigh
2 Wagon boxes
2 Flat racks
1 Hay rack
1 Complete set of harness
2 Sets harness minus bridle & breeching
1 Set harness needing repairs
3 Harness collars
2 Wheelbarrows
1 Garden weeder
1 " hand drill
1 Lawn mower
3 Picks
12 Mattocks
1 Post auger
1 Wire stretcher
3 Scythes
3 Scythe blades
1 Plow share
4 Double pulleys
5 Garden rakes
1 Pitman rod, Frost & Wood
2 Lanterns
1 Set wheel scales
3 4 Horse eveners
3 2 " "
7 Garden hoes
2 Ice tongs
1 Sickle grinder
1 Cross cut saw
1 Swede saw
9 Potato forks
1 Staple puller
1 Wood auger 2"
5 Meat Hooks
3 Sets cross lines, four harness
2 Mower blades
Irons for one bob sled
2 Tanned hides
6 Green cowhides
3 Gls.green shingle paint

INVENTORY OF FARM DEPT. // MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL.

1 Bull hook
 3 Logging chains
 2 Round mouth shovels
 1 Hand garden weeder
 1 Spade
 2 Scoop shovels
 1 Square shovel
 1 Leather punch
 1 Steel rivetter
 1 Horse rasp
 1 Hoof knife
 1 Watering can
 3 Hay forks
 3 Manure forks
 3 Sets horse comb & brush
 2 Feed tubs
 9 Halters
 6 Horse blankets
 9 Cow chains
 3 Water pails
 1 15 gal. water barrel
 1 Democrat
 3 Hot bed frames
 5 Large steel gates
 4 Small " "
 30 Acres enclosed by fence
 500 Bushels oats
 3 Tons bran
 2 1/4 Tons shorts
 1 Ton barley chop
 3 Tons barley sheaves
 8 Tons ice
 3 Double tree sets
 3 Neck yokes

INVENTORY OF FUEL. LIGHT & WATER OF MACKAY RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL.

1 Marine Engine - 2 cylinder
 1 Motor boat
 1 Canoe
 1 Fairbank-Morse (Model Y, style H. 10 H.P. Semi-Diesel)
 complete with two tanks.
 1 Gas engine 6 H.P. Type Z.
 1 " " 5 H.P. " Z.
 1 Fairbank-Morse Compound Wound Generator - 125 Volts, Type 3.5 Kw.
 28 Amps.
 1 Pressure pump - complete with air pump attached.
 56 2 Volt Batteries
 1 Switchboard complete with Volt Meter, Ampere, Circuit Breaker
 and Rheostate.
 1 Lantern
 1 Pipe wrench, trimo 24"
 1 " " stillson 18"
 1 Crescent wrench 15"
 1 Spanner 1148
 1 " 300
 1 " 1134
 1 " 1 1/2"
 1 " 5/8"
 1 " 1 1/4"
 1 " 7/8" and 1 1/16"
 1 Screw driver 10"
 1 " " 16"
 1 Cold chisel
 1 Ball Pien hammer
 2 Claw hammers
 2 Wood saws
 1 Key hole saw
 1 Hack saw
 1 Nail puller
 1 Brace
 1 Square
 1 Vice
 1 Blow torch
 2 Soldering irons
 2 Anvils
 1 Heating torch for 10 H.P. Diesel
 1 Pair tin snips
 1 Thread cutter for bolts
 1 " " " pipes
 2 Steel brushes
 3 " bits
 21 Wood bits
 2 Trays
 1 Stove
 1 Grindstone
 1 Hand Drill
 1 Socket wrench YE188A
 1 " " YE188
 1 Crowbar
 1 Floor oil sprayer
 1 Ladder
 1 Belt 52 x 21'
 1 " 3 1/2" x 16'
 1 " 2 1/4" x 11'6"
 1 " 4" x 19'
 24' Rubber hose 1/2"
 1 Circular saw, complete
 4 Axes, complete

INVENTORY OF FUEL, LIGHT & WATER OF MACKAY RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL.

1 Axe, new with broken handle
2 Fire extinguishers
1 Putty knife
1 5 gal. Oil can
2 2 " " "
2 Wood chisels
1 Jack plane
2 Box planes
2 Mortice planes
1 Pump oil can
1 Tool box
1 Two wheeled truck
1 Coal oil heater
1 Wood heater in root house
1 Wash basin in power house
1 Cylinder head gasket for Semi-Diesel
4 " " " " 6 H.P. Type Z
435 Cords fire wood



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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Inspector's
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

Winnipeg, Man.,

REGINA, SASK., April 4th, 1933.

Dear Doctor McGill:-

I regret the Inventory of Property at the Mackay Residential School was not attached to my report dated March 31st, 1933. I now enclose same.

If, in the final settlement with the Church, any cattle are retained, I would recommend that they be sent to Nelson House Reserve to meet those requested for that point in the 1933-34 Estimates. The Cedar Lake Indians would greatly appreciate assistance in obtaining stock and any number over that required at Nelson House could be sent there.

Yours very truly,

A. G. Hamilton
Inspector of Indian Agencies
Manitoba.

Dr. Harold W. McGill,
Deputy Superintendent General,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



The Pas, Manitoba,
March 31st, 1933.

Dr. H. G. McGill,
Deputy Superintendent General,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Dr. McGill:-

As instructed by Department wire of March 24th,, I left for The Pas and carefully checked all property remaining at the MacKay Residential School. Attached will be found an inventory of all property.

Mr. Fraser the present man in charge is unable to say who the owner is in relation to some of the stock and also many of the implements. Undoubtedly all the small items were purchased through the Church Commission and consequently they are claimed by the church authorities.

✓ Some years ago the school was supplied with nine cows and these have increased to over thirty head, although in the meantime a number have been butchered. Of the original stock only three head remain, and the Principal intimated that is all the Dept., are entitled to. However one would imagine the nine head should be returned or replaced. These are matters, however, for the Dept., to decide. The same situation exists in relation to the horses.

I checked over the machinery which passed through the fire and all that remains, which would perhaps be of use again is the boiler, two pressure tanks and a small water pump. The Principal and Engineer were both instructed to drain the boiler but this had not been done. Fortunately the water ~~was~~ ~~was~~ still warm and apparently the boiler was not damaged. I had it drained to-day. The jacket heater had also been left and froze, destroying it for any further use. All laundry machinery and other equipment appears totally destroyed.

The electric light plant which includes the engine 10 H.P. generator, batteries and switch-board are in splendid condition. The two smaller engines are in fair running order. The above machinery and equipment could perhaps be used at some other school, and the batteries and switch-board should be packed and transferred as soon as possible.

Extant The motor boat has been neglected and is in need of repairs. The engine is disconnected and stored in the warehouse, but I understand to be in good condition. This boat, according to the Principal, has not travelled 100 miles. I would recommend that the boat be repaired, the engine installed and that the same be kept as an Indian Department boat for the paying of Treaty and the shipping of supplies to Moose Lake, Cedar Lake and Cumberland.

It is necessary each year to rent a boat for certain Treaty payments and this costs over \$100. Further expence is occured when rations are shipped. These expenses might well be eliminated by retaining this boat, which cost a large sum, and I doubt if we could even secure a bid for it, if put up for sale.

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✓ The horses number six with two colts raising three year old. Three of the horses I am informed were purchased by the Church Commission, the other three and the two colts I presume are Department stock. The three horses might be issued to the Indians at Moose Lake and Cedar Lake where they are very much in need of such assistance. These Indians often find it hard to secure enough hay, because they have no horses to work, and many are obliged to cut all their hay by the use of scythes. The team of colts would make splendid drivers for the Agency use. In the winter it is difficult to secure good horses and the livery bill for the Agent, Doctor and Nurse reaches quite a sum. Horses could also be used on The Pas Reserve in the summer and thus eliminate a large percentage of the taxi service livery charges for the Agent, Doctor and Nurse. ^{with} I am sure average over \$25.00 per month. No doubt some of the older harness belongs to the Department.

The democrat and sleighs could be used at the Agency, but the Principal claims the same is church property.

✓ The wagons, harrows, disc, plows, sleighs, mower, rake, are old, and perhaps were supplied by the Department. They have done many years of service, and I think would render most value to the Department if issued to the Indians on the out lying Reserves. The equipment would help them in gardening and haying. I doubt if this machinery would be worth shipping south to outside points

✓ There is as noted by the inventory, other machinery, but I am informed it was purchased by the Church Commission. If such is not the case, I think it could well be disposed of in the manner suggested above.

✓ The dining room suite and range in the Principal's residence is Department property. It has been in constant use but is in fair condition. The Principal expressed his desire to purchase both and this would perhaps be the best way to dispose of it. To place it with the second-hand dealer at The Pas would be the only alternative and would result in little return.

I regret that a more definite understanding could not be arrived at in ~~reference to~~ ^{reference to} the property, but as the large bulk of it was supplied before Mr. Fraser's time or my own, it was difficult to arrive at what property belonged to the Church and what actually could be termed Government property.

The following list of buildings remain:-

Principal's Residence
Barn
Warehouse
Chicken House
Power House
Ice House (partly burned)

At the present time these buildings could not be disposed of and I doubt if any reliable party would wish to live there. Rev. Fraser requests that he be left in possession at least till the end of June, and this no doubt would be the best arrangement. After that it would be necessary to board up all windows and doors until such time same can be disposed of.

Your obedient servant,

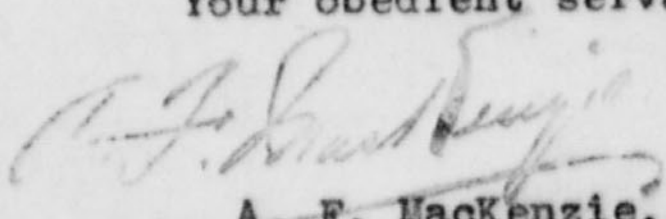
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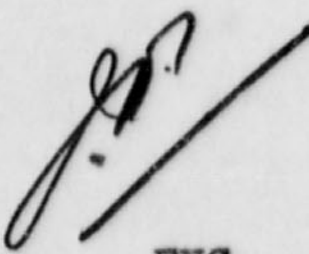
Ottawa, April 7, 1933.

Rev. Sir:

In further reference to your letter of the 1st instant, regarding the disposal of the flour and feed on hand at the MacKay Indian Residential School, I return herewith the account of the Quaker Oats Company giving the quantities of the various supplies purchased by your Commission for this school in January, last. It is considered that you may need this account for file in your office.

Your obedient servant,


A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.


ENC.

Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D.D.,
Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.,
39-43, The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

Ottawa, April 7, 1933.

Sir:

I have been directed to acknowledge receipt of your letters of the 31st ultimo and 4th instant, regarding the inventory which you forwarded of the property remaining on hand at the MacKay Indian Residential School after the building was destroyed by fire. The difficulty in deciding the ownership as between the Department and Church authorities has been noted.

In this connection it is considered that the authorities of the M.S.C.C. should appoint an officer - either the Rev. Mr. Fraser, the Principal, or another party - and that you or Mr. Agent Lovell should arrange with the person appointed by the Church authorities for a selection of the stock, equipment and supplies remaining on hand. If the Church authorities can use this equipment at some of the other residential schools conducted under their auspices, and will provide the cost of the transfer, they should be given the benefit of any doubt as to ownership. When their selection has been made, they should arrange as soon as possible to have the supplies distributed.

Regarding the cows, it is considered that, as the Department some time ago supplied nine cows, although only three of the original number remain, the original number, viz., nine, should be transferred to this Department. The cows transferred to this Department should be sent to either the Nelson House Reserve or the Cedar Lake Indians, as decided by the Agent and yourself. The cost of transportation should be kept as low as possible.

Regarding the horses, it is considered that at least three should be transferred to this Department. If this number are acquired, they should be issued to the Indians at Moose Lake and Cedar Lake. If the team of colts is turned over to the Department, they should be kept for use in connection with the work of the Agent,

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A. G. Hamilton, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Indian Office,
Winnipeg, Man.

- Doctor -

Doctor and Nurse. The sorting out of the horses, and disposing of those turned over to this Department, will be left in the hands of the Agent and yourself.

Any of the waggons, harrows, disc, plows, sleighs, and other farm machinery, acquired by the Department may be issued to the Indians on those reserves as decided by the Agent and yourself. However, if the Church authorities can use any of this equipment at their schools, they are to have the choice.

It is noted that the Principal wishes to purchase the dining-room suite and range in the principal's residence. Provided he offers a price considered fair, you may sell same to him, and forward the proceeds to the Department.

The Agent should arrange for the proper storage in one of the buildings at the school of the electric lighting equipment, gas engines, pressure pump, etc., as this equipment could later be shipped to one or other of our residential schools.

Regarding the boiler, two pressure tanks, small water pump and jacket heater, the Agent and yourself should decide the action to be taken in preserving this equipment.

The Department will approve of the Rev. Mr. Fraser occupying the principal's residence until the end of June, next. He should be of assistance in disposing of the supplies, implements, stock, etc., on hand. The Department is anxious that all the equipment be disposed of and removed from the present premises as soon as possible, and will leave the matter in the hands of the Agent and yourself, acting in conjunction with the officer appointed by the Church authorities.

You will be advised later regarding the disposal of the motor boat and engine for same, which, it is noted, is dismantled and stored in the warehouse.

An accurate list should be kept and forwarded to the Department later as to the disposal of all equipment.

Please take this matter up with the Church authorities in Winnipeg and the Agent at The Pas at your early convenience.

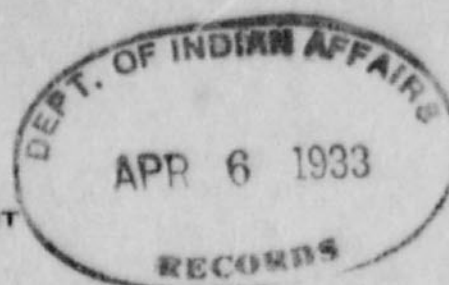
Your obedient servant,

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A. F. MacKenzie,
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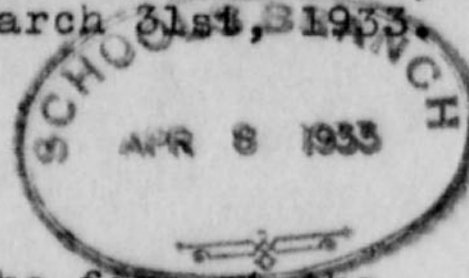


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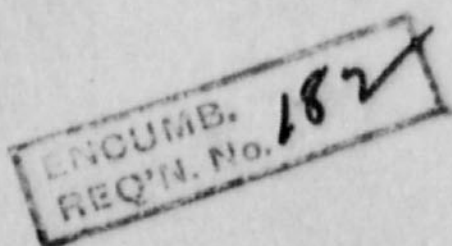
Dear Sir:-

On inspection after the fire at the Mackay Indian Residential School, I find the two large cement chimneys still standing.

I would ask your permission to take these chimneys down, as they are a menace. Approximate cost \$15.00

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

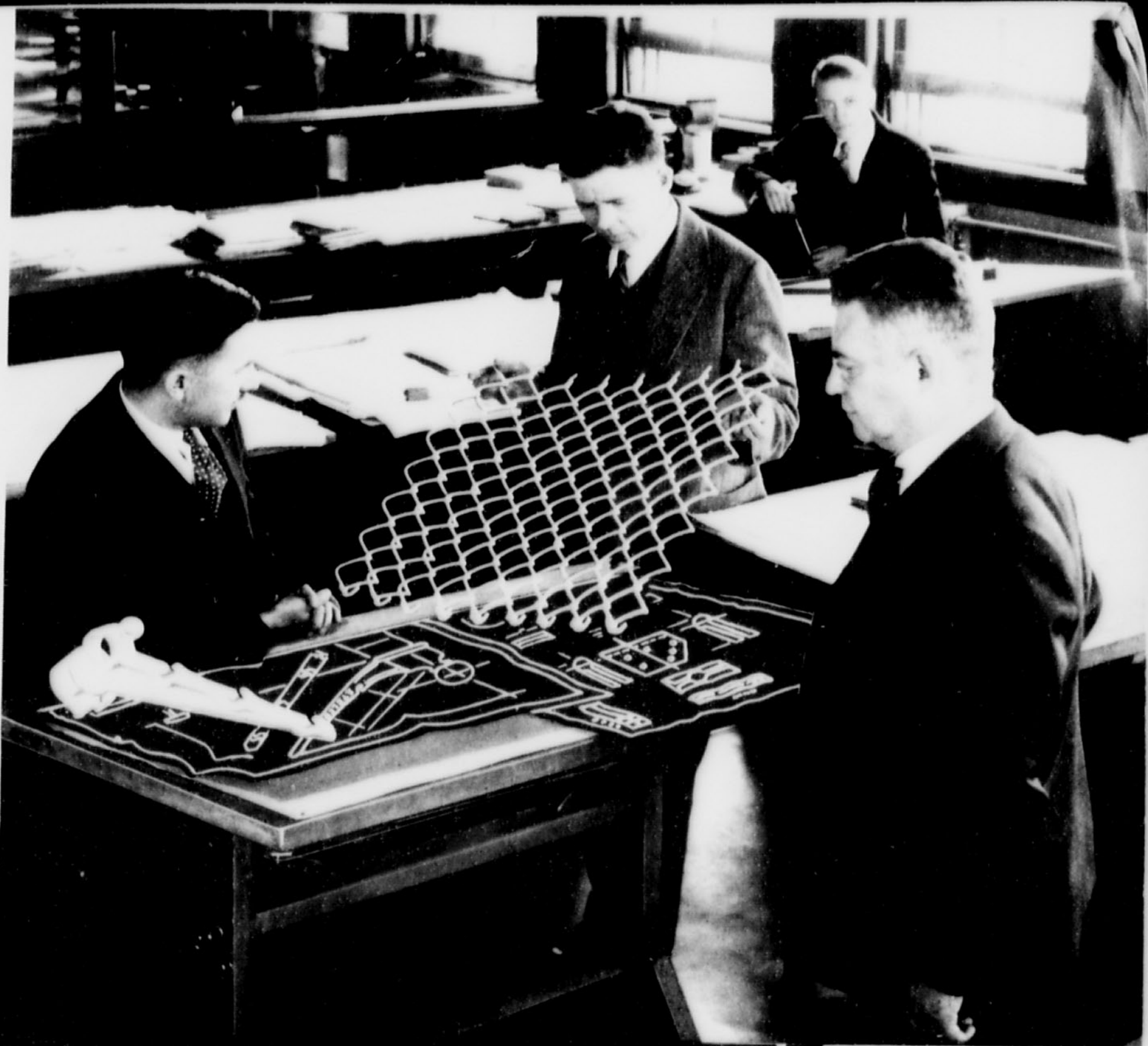


Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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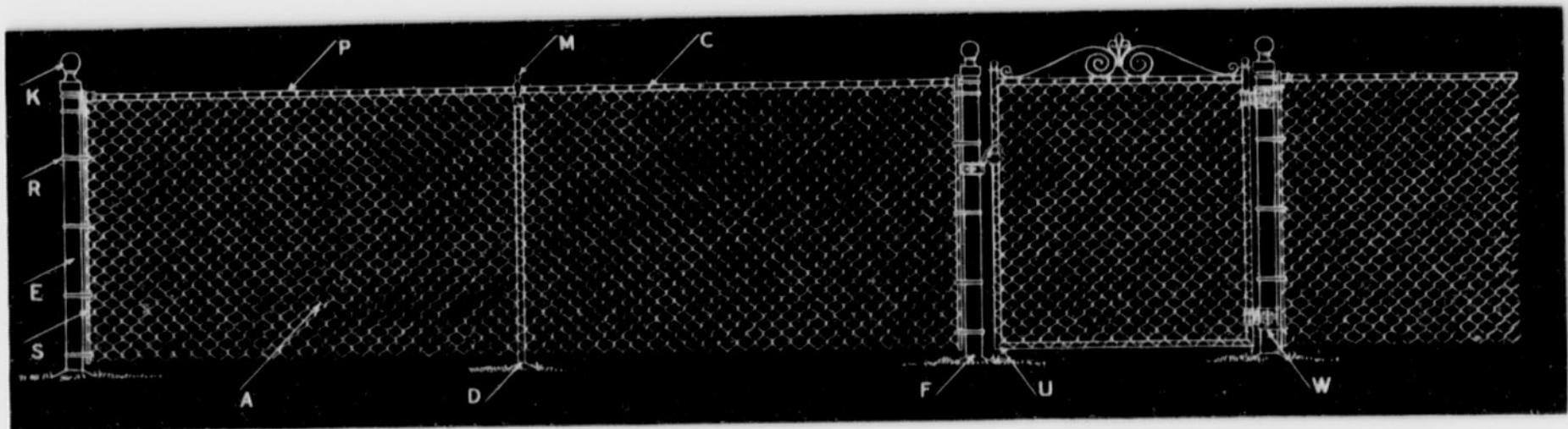
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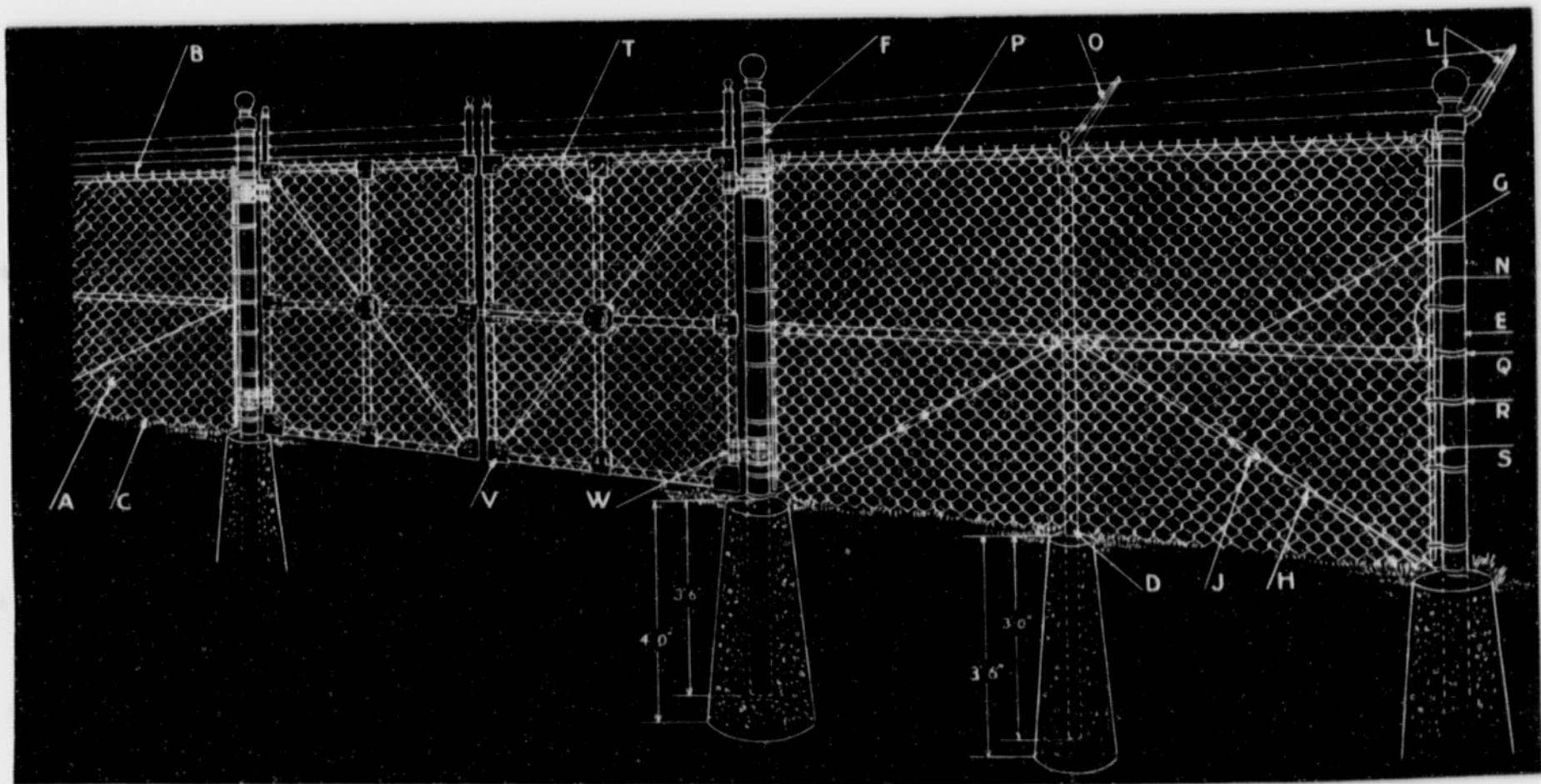
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FITTINGS All Line Post Tops, "M", Brace Rail Ends, "N", and Barbed Wire Extension Arms, "O", are malleable iron castings. Heavy construction Line Post Tops and Barbed Wire Extension Arms are clamped on the Posts with bolts and hold the Top Rail, "P", firmly to the Post. An ingenious method has been devised as part of the Barbed Wire Arm for holding the Barbed Wire. The wires are slipped into the slots and when drawn up taut the lugs prevent the wires from being removed.

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Deer Park School - - - - - Toronto
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Technical Teachers' Training
College - - - - - Hamilton
Trenton Airport - - - - - Trenton, Ont.
Verdun High School - - - - - Verdun, Que.
Corporate Steel Products - - - - - Montreal
Wabasso Cotton Co. Ltd. - - - - - Three Rivers, Que.
Westward A.A.A. - - - - - Montreal
King's Park Race Track - - - - - Montreal
Imperial Tobacco Co. - - - - - Montreal
Hollinger Gold Mines - - - - - Timmins, Ont.
Horne Copper Co. - - - - - Noranda, Que.
Barry, Staines Linoleum Canada Ltd. - - - - - Farnham, Que.
Edmonton School Board - - - - - Edmonton, Alta.
Jenkins Bros. - - - - - Lachine
Y.M.C.A. - - - - - Montreal

"Stelco" erection service is available in every
part of Canada

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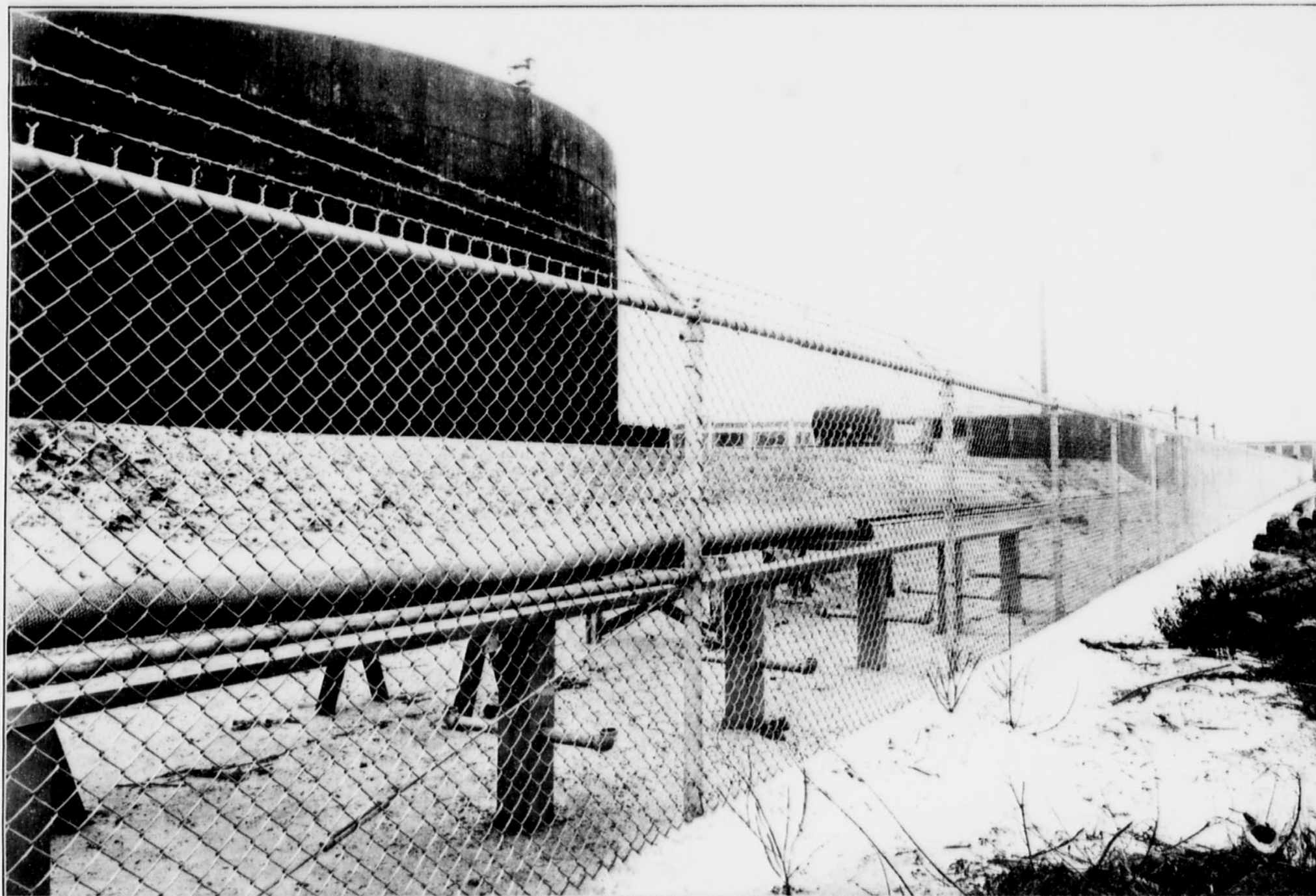


CHAIN LINK
FENCE
CONSTRUCTIONS

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Close-up of Heavy Industrial Fencing erected at the Sun Oil Company, Limited, Plant in Toronto.

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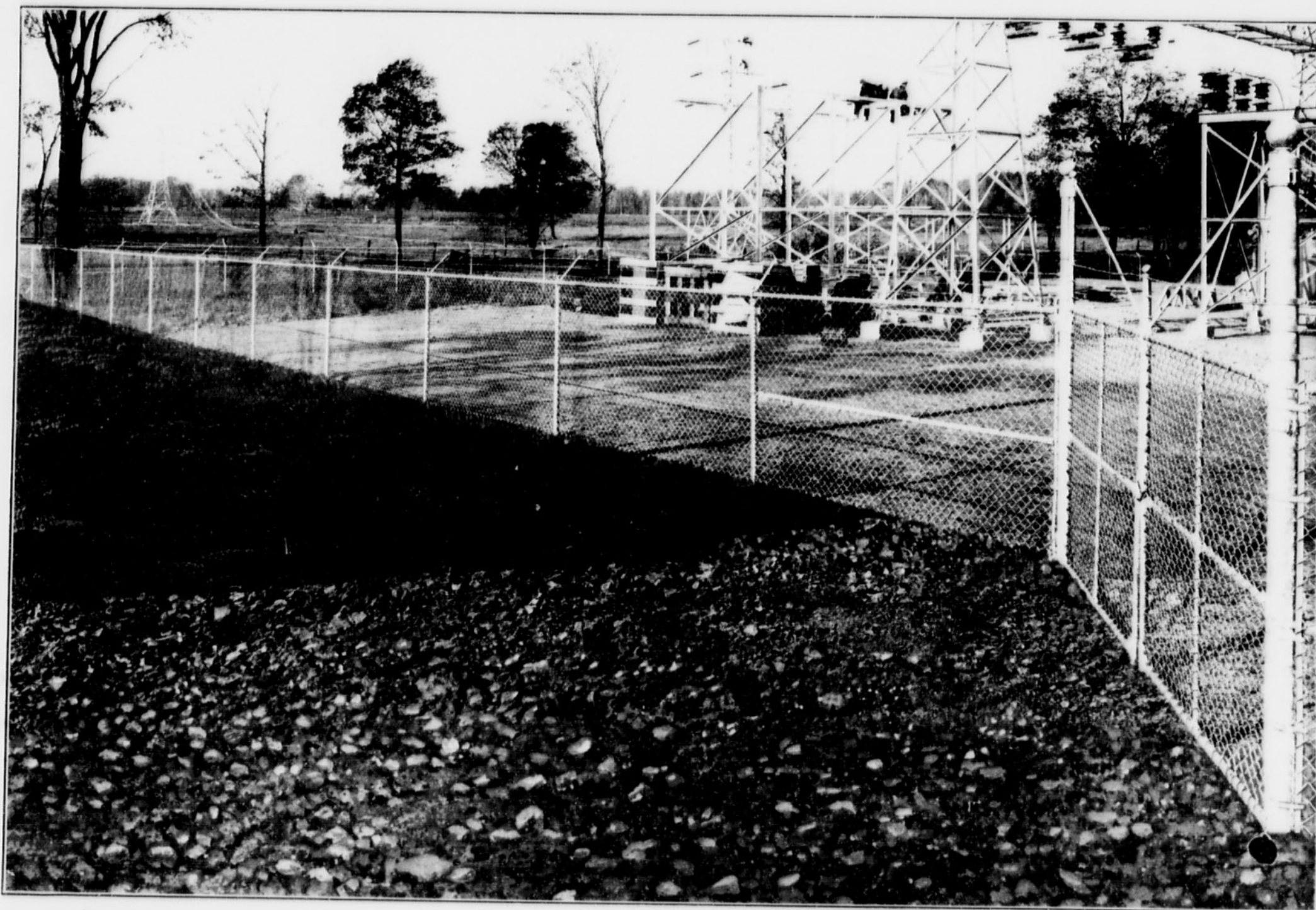
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While affording protection at the Plant of the International Harvester Company of Canada, Limited, in Hamilton, this Heavy Industrial Construction also lends itself admirably to the floral surroundings.

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PERMANENT **STELCO** PROTECTION



Precaution is evidenced on this new construction of the Hydro-Electric Commission at Ottawa. Fence has been erected prior to the finished electrical installation.

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PROTECTION



Public Institutions are finding this type of fence construction attractive, efficient and economical. The above construction was erected at the Cooke Hospital, Three Rivers, P.Q.

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Aspiring Tennis Stars would be proud to become members of a club providing courts such as those constructed for the Grand Trunk Boating Club in Montreal.

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PERMANENT



PROTECTION



Adjusting itself to the changing level of the ground, this type of fence as erected in the rear of a home on Neville Park Blvd., Toronto, serves admirably for lawns, estates and gardens where it offers protection without isolation.

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Specifications

Industrial Plants

6, 7, 8, 9 and 10-foot heights.
2" Mesh No. 9 or No. 6 Gauge Copper Bearing Open Hearth Steel Wire Fabric, galvanized after woven. Edges, one barbed and other knuckled or both edges knuckled. Construction throughout, Hot Galvanized. 3 1/2" O.D. Scale Free Pipe End, Gate and Corner Posts. 2 3/8" O.D. Scale Free Pipe Line Posts. 1 1/8" O.D. Scale Free Pipe continuous Top Rail. Erected with or without three strands of barbed wire.

School Grounds

6, 7, 8, 9 and 10-foot heights.
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Fox Farms

1 1/2" Mesh No. 15 1/2, No. 14 or No. 12 Gauge also 2" Mesh No. 12 Gauge Copper Bearing Open Hearth Steel Wire Fabric, galvanized after woven. Knuckled both edges.

Cemeteries

4, 5, 6 and 7-foot heights.
2" Mesh No. 9 gauge Copper Bearing Open Hearth Steel Wire Fabric, galvanized after woven.

Light Construction.—Construction throughout Hot Galvanized. 3" O.D. Scale Free Pipe End, Gate and Corner Posts. 1 7/8" O.D. Scale Free Pipe Line Posts. 1 1/8" O.D. Scale Free Pipe continuous Top Rail.

Heavy Construction.—Construction throughout Hot Galvanized. 3 1/2" O.D. Scale Free Pipe End, Gate and Corner Posts. 2 3/8" O.D. Scale Free Pipe Line Posts. 1 1/8" O.D. Scale Free Pipe continuous Top Rail. Erected with or without three strands of barbed wire.

Lawns and Estates

3, 3 1/2, 4, 5 and 6-foot heights.
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Muskrat Fabric

Muskrat fabric is supplied in 4, 5 and 6-foot widths and is usually erected placing one foot of fabric below the ground level and lacing a strip of galvanized sheet 12" wide along the top which is also fastened to the posts. In many cases a single strand of barbed wire is also stretched along the top, fastening it directly to the galvanized strip.

Stelco Muskrat Fabric is 1" Mesh No. 15 1/2 gauge Copper Bearing Open Hearth Steel Wire and is supplied galvanized after woven.

Fabric is made in any width 18 inches to 12 feet and in rolls 100 feet in length.

Galvanized Sheets No. 28 gauge 12" wide x 10'-0" long punched ready to apply.

Tennis Court Enclosures

10 and 12-foot heights furnished full height in one piece.
1 1/2" Mesh No. 14 or No. 12 Gauge Copper Bearing Open Hearth Steel Wire Fabric galvanized after woven. Knuckled both edges. Construction throughout, Hot Galvanized. 3" O.D. Scale Free Pipe End, Gate and Corner Posts. 1 7/8" O.D. Scale Free Pipe Line Posts. 1 1/8" O.D. Scale Free Pipe Continuous Top Rail.

Baseball Backstops

1 1/2" Mesh No. 12 Gauge Copper Bearing Open Hearth Steel Fabric, galvanized after woven. Construction all Hot Galvanized using Scale Free Pipe.



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THE STEEL COMPANY OF CANADA, LIMITED

FENCE DIVISION

P.O. Box 1650

MONTREAL, CANADA

FENCE WAREHOUSES

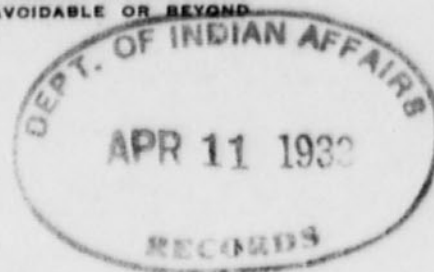
75 ST. JOSEPH STREET - LACHINE

1550 ST. PATRICK STREET - MONTREAL

April 10, 1933.

TELEPHONE
WILBANK 4141

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Department of Indian Affairs,
Dominion Government Offices,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sirs:

A short time ago we noticed reference in the press to a disastrous fire at The Pas, Manitoba, which destroyed the Mackay Indian School.

We understand that plans are under way for the reconstruction of this school and possibly in your plans provision is being made for a suitable fence enclosure.

We are sending you, herewith, booklet on Stelco Chain Link Fence, which is being used by many school boards for school playgrounds, and at the present prices are very attractive.

If you should care to furnish us with details of the property line, showing location of gates, we would be glad to make our recommendation and submit an estimate to you. This service without obligation on your part.

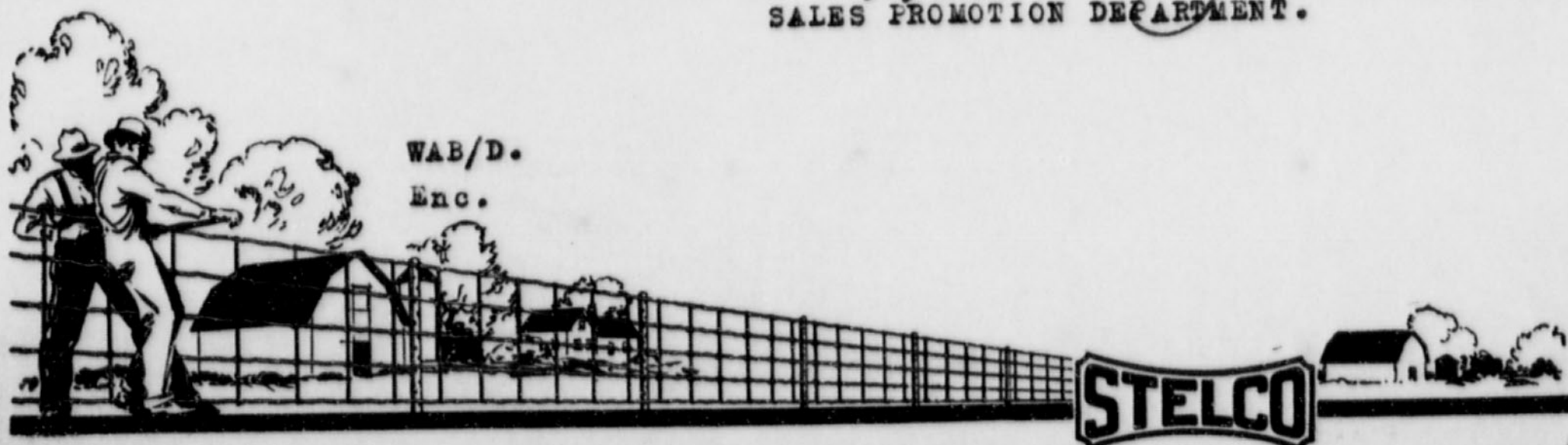
Yours very truly,

WAB/D.
Enc.

SALES PROMOTION DEPARTMENT.

*Copper
Bearing
WIRE*

FARM FENCE
POULTRY FENCE
CHAIN LINK FENCE
LAWN FENCE
SNOW FENCE
ANGLE PICKET FENCE
ORNAMENTAL IRON FENCE
"T" BAR FENCE POSTS
ANGLE IRON END POSTS
ANGLE IRON CORNER POSTS
SCALE FREE PIPE POSTS
HOT GALVANIZED FARM GATES
LAWN GATES
BARBED WIRE
COILED SPRING WIRE
GALVANIZED STAPLES
BRACE WIRE
GRAPE WIRE
FENCE ERECTION TOOLS



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Ottawa, April 12, 1933.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 31st ultimo, I have to say that you may arrange for the demolishing of the two cement chimneys which are still standing on the site of the Mackay Indian Residential School as, you state, they are a source of danger. It is noted you estimate the cost to be approximately \$15. I enclose an Encumbrance Certificate providing the funds required for this purpose, which amount should not be exceeded. After the work has been completed, please forward a certified voucher, in triplicate, covering the cost.

The Department recently received from Mr. Inspector Hamilton an inventory of the property remaining on hand at the school. It would appear that there is some difficulty in deciding the ownership as between the Department and the Church authorities. The Inspector has been requested to arrange with you and the officer appointed by the Church authorities for the disposition of the stock, equipment and supplies remaining on hand. The Department is anxious that all this equipment be disposed of and removed from the present premises as soon as possible. You will, no doubt, hear from Mr. Inspector Hamilton in due course.

Regarding the buildings that remain, I have to say that Rev. Mr. Fraser has been granted permission to reside in the residence until the end of June, next. You should arrange to see that the lighting equipment and any other supplies which are not distributed are properly stored in the remaining buildings and that these buildings are securely fastened. You should visit same from time to time to see that there is no damage incurred.

Your obedient servant,

ENC.

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.S. Lovell, Esq.,
Act. Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Per

Ottawa, April 12, 1933.

Gentlemen:

I have your letter of the 10th instant, enclosing your booklet of Stelco Chain Link Fence.

In this connection I have to say that it is not the intention to rebuild the MacKay Indian Residential School, which was recently destroyed by fire. We will, therefore, not require any fencing at this school.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

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The Steel Company of Canada Ltd.,
Fence Division,
P.O. Box 1650,
Montreal, P.Q.

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Ottawa, April 13, 1933.

Sir:

I have to refer to that portion of your letter of the 31st ultimo regarding the inventory which you forwarded of the property remaining at the MacKay Indian Residential School and recommending that the motor boat be kept as an Indian Department boat, for the paying of Treaty and the shipping of supplies to Moose Lake, Cedar Lake and Cumberland. In reply I have to say that the Department will approve of the transfer of this motor boat to The Pas agency, to be placed in charge of the Agent, for agency use.

It is noted that this motor boat has been neglected, that it is in need of repairs and that the engine should be placed in good condition and installed. I would request that you have Mr. Lovell, Acting Indian Agent, furnish an estimate of the cost of the repairs required to the boat, the overhauling and installing of the engine. This estimate should be forwarded at an early date. Our funds this year are extremely limited and no request should be made for any unnecessary expenditure. Please advise the Acting Indian Agent at The Pas accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

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Winnipeg, Man.

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DUPLICATE, FOR DEPARTMENT.

No.....

Bank of Montreal,

*for 204
A.T.M.*

\$ 500.00

Ottawa, Apr. 25th, 1933.

RECEIVED from Dept.

on account Indian Funds,

the sum of Five hundred.....00-100.....Dollars,
which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this
Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

Ent'd.....

Pro. Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Form 273
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OFFICE OF THE
REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

6287

Sir,
in payment of your claim as detailed hereunder.

I beg to enclose Official Cheque No. _____

APR 22 1933

THE RECEIVER GENERAL

Ottawa, _____

Please quote Cheque Number when referring to this remittance

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MACKAY SCHOOL

500 00

500 00

CREDIT S LOVELL, INDIAN OFFICE, THE PAS, MAN

VCH NO 5,

REFUND TO APPROPRIATION RE ADVANCE,
MACKAY SCHOOL FIRE

Yours faithfully,

R. Ballen

NO ACKNOWLEDGMENT IS NECESSARY.

Representative of the Treasury.

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Letter No. 14

Office of the Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

[Handwritten signature]

April 24th 1933

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 14

amounting to \$41.82 in favour

of Canadian National Railways The Pas Manitoba

Freight on bedding from the MacKay I.R. School, The Pas
for to the Elkhorn I.R. School. Elkhorn. Man.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated April 5th 1933

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Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
Acting Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

THIS MEMORANDUM

is an acknowledgment that a bill of lading has been issued and is not the Original Bill of Lading, nor a copy or duplicate, covering the property named herein, and is intended solely for filing or record.

Shipper's No.

Agent's No.

RECEIVED, subject to the classifications and tariffs in effect on the date of the receipt by the carrier of the property described in the Original Bill of Lading.
at Sept Indian Affairs 1933

from Sept Indian Affairs the goods described below, in apparent good order, except as noted (contents and condition of contents of packages unknown), marked, consigned and destined as indicated below, which said Railway agrees to carry to its usual place of delivery at said destination if on its road, otherwise to deliver to another carrier on the route to said destination. It is mutually agreed as to each carrier of all or any of said goods over all or any portion of said route to destination, and as to each party at any time interested in all or any of said goods, that every service to be performed hereunder shall be subject to all the conditions, whether printed or written, herein contained (including conditions on back hereof) and which are agreed to by the shipper and accepted for himself and his assigns.

The Rate of Freight from.....

to..... is in Cents per 100 Lbs.

IF Special

IF	Times 1st	IF	Class	IF	Class	IF	Class	IF	Class	IF	Class	IF	Class	IF	Class	IF	Class	per

(Mail Address—Not for purposes of Delivery)

Consigned to Indian Residential School

Destination Elkhorn { Province or Man County of
State of

Route C.N.R. Car Initial..... Car No.....

No. Pkgs.	Description of Articles and Special Marks.	Weight Subject to Correction	Class or Rate	Check Column	If charges are to be prepaid, write or stamp here "To be Prepaid."
10	Bales Matts	1250			Prepaid
10	Bales Bedding	450			
2	Bales Feather Bedding	110			
22					Received \$..... to apply in prepayment of the charges on the property described hereon.
					Agent or Cashier
					Per.....
					(The signature here acknowledged only the amount prepaid)
					Charges Advanced
					\$.....

Per Sept Indian Affairs Shipper A. Richardson Agent J. H. Young

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Form 2797

CASHIER'S RECORD OF CHARGES CLEARED

CAR INITIALS AND NUMBER L.		DATE April 21st-00.	BILL NO. 1000
TO Brandon, Man.	STATION Brandon, Man.	PROV. OR STATE	FROM Brandon, Man.
ROUTE For Arthur's Bay.		TO FREIGHT ON BEDDING ETC. FROM THE MACKAY I.R. SCHOOL TO THE ELKHORN I. R. SCHOOL. AT ELKHORN. MAN. PRICE FAIR & JUST. CERTIFIED CORRECT.	
VOUCHER NO.14		<i>Samuel Lovell</i> ACTING INDIAN AGENT.	
ALLOT. 2 TREATY 5.		TO CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS DR. FOR CHARGES ON ARTICLES WAYBILLED	

SHIPPER	CONSIGNEE, ADDRESS, FINAL DESTINATION, ADDITIONAL ROUTING, DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES, MARKS.	WEIGHT	RATE	FREIGHT	ADVANCES	PREPAID
Dept of Indian Affairs	Indian Residential School Elkhorn, Man.					
	2 boxes feather pillows	110	300	3.30		
	10 boxes mattresses					
	10 boxes bedding	1700	165	28.05		31.00
	GRN beyond of freight					6.04 1.00
	TOTAL	1810		31.00		31.00

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Vote No.

Treaty No.....

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

To Canadian National Railways.....

The Pas,

M S No.

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
1933		
May 2	To Freight on bedding, etc., from the MacKay Indian Residential School at The Pas, Man., to the Elkhorn Indian Residential School at Elkhorn, Man., as per account attached	\$ 41 82
VOTE..... AGENCY..... ALLOT.....		
ENCUMB. REQ'N. No.		
TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.		
TOTAL,		\$ 41 82

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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Indian Affairs
School Files

(RG 10, Volume 6268)

File 580-5, part 5

The Pas Agency - McKay Residential
School - Church of England - Building
Maintenance - Supplies - Accounts.
1930 - 1933

File 580-5, part 6

The Pas Agency - McKay Residential
School - Church of England - Building
Maintenance - Supplies - Accounts.
1933 - 1940

File 580-9, part 1

The Pas Agency - McKay Residential
School - Church of England - School
Lands - (Maps). 1912 - 1930

File 580-14, part 1

The Pas Agency - McKay Residential
School - Church of England - Live-
stock. 1925 - 1933

File 581-1, part 1

Norway House Agency - Norway House
Residential School - United Church
- General Administration. 1898 - 1933

File 581-1, part 2

Norway House Agency - Norway House
Residential School - United Church
- General Administration. 1933 - 1946

File 581-3, part 1

Norway House Agency - Norway House
Residential School - United Church
- Payments of Grants. 1931 - 1946

File 581-5, part 1

Norway House Agency - Norway House
Residential School - United Church
- Building Maintenance - Supplies -
Accounts. 1901 - 1907

File 581-5, part 3

Norway House Agency - Norway House
Residential School - United Church
- Building Maintenance - Supplies
- Accounts. 1921 - 1930

File 581-5, part 4

Norway House Agency - Norway House
Residential School - United Church
- Building Maintenance - Supplies
- Accounts. 1925 - 1930

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MACKEY RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL

BUILDINGS, ACCOUNTS, ETC.

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MAC KAY RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL

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LIST OF CHURCH OF ENGLAND PROPERTY, MacKAY INDIAN
RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL, THE PAS AGENCY

3	Gelding Horses
1	Mare
10	Cows
2	2 years olds (cattle)
7	1 year " "
10	Calves
1	Bull
20	Chickens
2	New 8's Frost & Wood Mowers
1	Used Scraper
1	Hay Rake
1	Wagon & Box
2	Walking Plows
1	Potato Hiller
2	Sleighs
2	Flat Racks
1	Hay Rack
1	Complete set of Harness
1	Set Harness, Minus bridle & breeching
1	Horse Collar
2	Wheelbarrows
1	Garden Weeder
1	" hand drill
1	Lawn Mower
3	Picks
12	Mattocks
1	Post Auger
1	Wire Stretcher
3	Scythes
3	Scythe Blades
1	Plow Share
4	Double Pulleys
5	Garden Rakes
1	Pitman Rod, Frost & Wood
2	Lanterns
3	4 Horse Eveners
3	2 " "
7	Garden Hoes
2	Ice Tongs
1	Sickle Grinder
1	Cross-cut Saw
1	Swede Saw
9	Potato Forks
1	Staple Puller
1	Wood Auger, 2"
5	Meat Hooks
3	Sets Cross Lines, four harness
2	Mower Blades
	Irons for one bob-sleigh
2	Tanned Hides
6	Green Cowhides
1	Bull Hook
3	Logging Chains
2	Round Mouth Shovels
1	Hand Garden Weeder
1	Spade
2	Scoop Shovels
1	Square Shovel

LIST OF CHURCH OF ENGLAND PROPERTY, MacKAY INDIAN
RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL, THE PAS AGENCY

1	Leather Punch
1	Steel Rivetter
1	Horse Rasp
1	Hoof Knife
1	Watering Can
3	Hay Forks
3	Manure Forks
3	Sets Horse Comb & Brush
2	Feed Tubs
9	Halters
6	Horse Blankets
9	Cow Chains
3	Water Pails
1	Water Barrel, 15 gal.
1	Democrat
3	Hot Bed Frames
30	Acres enclosed by fence
500	Bus. Oats
3	Tons Bran
2 1/2	" Shorts
1	" Barley Chop
3	" Barley Sheaves
8	" Ice
3	Double-Tree Sets
3	Neck Yokes
1	Lantern
1	Pipe Wrench, Trimo 24"
1	" " Stillson, 18"
1	Crescent Wrench, 15"
1	Spanner 1148
1	" 300
1	" 1134
1	" 1 1/2"
1	" 5/8"
1	" 1 1/4"
1	" 7/8" and 1 1/16"
1	Screw Driver 10"
1	" " 16"
1	Cold Chisel
1	Ball Pien Hammer
2	Claw Hammers
2	Wood Saws
1	Key-hole Saw
1	Hack Saw
1	Nail Puller
1	Brace
1	Square
1	Vice
1	Blow Torch
2	Soldering Irons
2	Anvils
1	Heating Torch for 10 H.P. Diesel
1 pr.	Tin Snips
1	Thread Cutter for bolts
1	" " " pipes
2	Steel Brushes
3	" Bits
21	Wood Bits
2	Trays
1	Stove
1	Grindstone

LIST OF CHURCH OF ENGLAND PROPERTY. MacKAY INDIAN
RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL. THE PAS AGENCY

1	Hand Drill
1	Socket Wrench YEL88A
1	" " YEL88
1	Crow Bar
1	Floor Oil Sprayer
1	Ladder
24 ft.	Rubber Hose $\frac{1}{2}$ "
1	Circular Saw complete
4	Axes complete
1	Axe, new, with broken handle
2	Fire Extinguishers
1	Putty Knife
1	Oil Can, 5 gal.
2	" " 2 "
2	Wood Chisels
1	Jack Plane
2	Box Planes
2	Mortice Planes
1	Pump Oil Can
1	Tool Box
1	two Wheeled Truck
1	Coal Oil Heater
1	Wood Heater in root house
1	Wash Basin in power house
435 Cords	Firewood

LIST OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY, MacKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL
SCHOOL, THE PAS AGENCY, AND DISTRIBUTION

Moose Lake Reserve:-

✓ 1	Rake
✓ 1	Plow
✓ 3	Sections of Harrows
✓ 1	Team of Horses

Chemawawin:-

3	Sections of Harrows
1	Wagon
2	Cows
2	Heifers

Nelson House:-

3	Cows
3	Heifers

Cumberland:-

1	Wagon
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The Pas Band:-

1	Disc
1	Binder
1	Seeder

Agency Headquarters:-

1	Team of Colts
1	Sleigh
1 set	Scales
3 gal.	Stain
9	Gates, 5 large & 4 small
1	Motor Boat
1	Marine Engine, 2 cylinder
1 set	Harness, minus bridle & breeching
1 "	Harness needing repairs
2	Horse Collars
1	Canoe
1	Fairbanks/Morse (Model Y, Style H. 10 H.P. Semi-Diesel) complete with two tanks.
1	Gas Engine 6 H.P. Type Z.
1	" " 5 H.P. " Z.
1	Fairbank-Morse Compound Wound Generator - 125 Volts. Type 3.5 Kw. 28 Amps.
1	Pressure Pump, complete with air pump attached.
56	2 Volt Batteries
1	Switchboard complete with Volt Meter, Ampere, Circuit Breaker and Rheostat.
1	Belt, 5" x 21'
1	" 3½" x 16'
1	" 2½" x 11'6"
1	" 4" x 19'
1	Dining Room Suite Complete
1	Range

A. G. HAMILTON
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES
MANITOBA



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

INSPECTOR'S OFFICE

ED. WINNIPEG, MAN., April 28th, 1933.

Sir:-

With further reference to Department Letter No. 128-1-5 dated April 7th, in company with Actg. Agent Lovell and the Rev. Mr. Fraser, I have made a division of the property remaining at the MacKay Indian Residential School, and attached is a list showing the distribution of same.

The property retained by our Department was issued, as far as possible, to meet the requests set forth in the Estimates. The scales and gates are not needed at The Pas and no doubt at a later date can be transferred to some of our farming agencies.

One of Mr. Fraser's sons has kept the lighting plant in operation and the batteries up to the required charge. The Delco Light people state that these batteries, once having been charged, deteriorate quickly if neglected in this respect. The batteries and switchboard were supplied last fall at an approximate cost of \$800.00, and I would not want anything to happen to them when no doubt there is some school or agency where they could be used. Mr. Lovell intimated that they might be sent to the Guy Residential School. However, as it was impossible, just at this period of the year, to get in communication with Father Doyon, the Principal, I am not in a position to say whether they are required or not. If the Department have no other place in mind where they wish the equipment to be sent, this matter could be considered as soon as communication opens up.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

The Rev.

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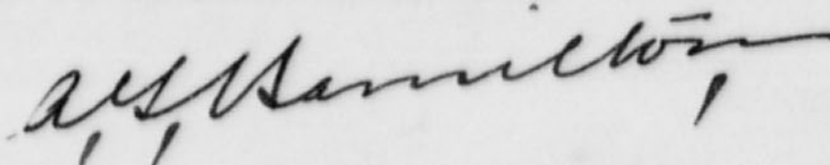
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The Rev. Mr. Fraser has not yet submitted his offer in connection with the dining room suite and range, but as soon as it arrives I will forward same to the Department. It may be possible that he will be unable to raise the required cash, and if such should be the case I would recommend, when Mr. Fraser leaves the residence, that the above furniture be stored in the Agency warehouse until it can be disposed of.

It was impossible to move the cattle as the ice had not gone out of the river and yet was not safe to cross. As soon as the river opens, the cattle will be placed in charge of a white man who is willing to look after them for the milk during the summer. Next winter six head will be shipped to Nelson House. The other four head of cattle and a team of horses will be taken to Chemawawin (Cedar Lake) and Moose Lake as soon as the river opens up. The machinery has already been moved from the school premises.

I experienced no difficulty in making the division of property and was assured by the Rev. Mr. Fraser and Dr. Westgate that they were entirely satisfied.

Your obedient servant,



A. G. Hamilton
Inspector of Indian Agencies
Manitoba.

A. G. HAMILTON
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES
MANITOBA



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

INSPECTOR'S OFFICE

ED WINNIPEG, MAN.. April 28th, 1933.

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

NO. 205-11

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER



[Handwritten signature]
Sir:

In my report of even date, regarding the disposition of property, MacKay Indian Residential School, I have mentioned the necessity of keeping the batteries charged and have pointed out, as informed by the Delco Light people, that these batteries should not be left for any length of time without re-charging. If the batteries are not to be transferred at once, I would like to be advised of the Department's wish in connection with this matter. Arrangements could perhaps be made to have the batteries charged once a week which would require the services of a man during the day at an approximate cost of \$2.00; in addition to this, gasoline and oil would be required.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: A. G. Hamilton]

A. G. Hamilton
Inspector of Indian Agencies
Manitoba.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

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A. G. HAMILTON
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES
MANITOBA



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



INSPECTOR'S OFFICE

WINNIPEG, MAN. April 28th, 1933.

128-1-5
IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
NO. 205-11

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.



[Handwritten signature]
Sir:-

While at The Pas, Howard Fraser, who has, during the past month, looked after the stock, engine room, and kept the batteries up to the proper charge, requested that he receive some pay for the work which he has been obliged to perform. I am not so much concerned about any of it except in relation to the lighting plant. This, undoubtedly, has been our property, and I think the Department will agree that it was to our advantage to have it properly looked after and kept charged. I am of the opinion that Mr. Fraser would be quite satisfied if he were to receive \$1.00 or \$1.25 per day. On the occasion of my first visit after the fire, I asked the Rev. Mr. Fraser to see that the lighting plant was properly cared for and the batteries kept in charge, and it is perhaps on the strength of this that Howard now presents his request for pay.



Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: A. G. Hamilton]

A. G. Hamilton
Inspector of Indian Agencies
Manitoba.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

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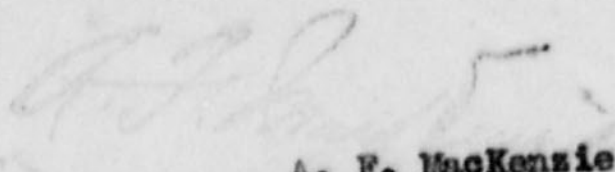
May 4, 1933.

Dear Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the 28th ultimo, with reference to the lighting plant at the MacKay Indian School, I would ask you to kindly arrange to have this plant stored until such time as it will be required at some other place.

With reference to the batteries would you kindly arrange with a competent electrician to have them fully charged and then dry stored by removing from the cells the electrolyte. If this procedure is followed it will be possible to store them indefinitely without deterioration.

Yours very truly,



A. F. MacKenzie.
Secretary.



A. G. Hamilton, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg, Man.

Ottawa, May 5, 1933.

Sir:

I have your 205-11 of the 28th ultimo, reporting on the equipment which remained on hand at the MacKay Indian Residential School, and enclosing a list showing the disposition of same. It is noted that no difficulty arose in making a division of this equipment. The arrangements for the care of the cattle until they can be forwarded next Winter to Norway House is approved.

You have been advised in a separate communication regarding the storing and care of the lighting plant. At the present time, the Department is not aware of any residential school requiring equipment of this nature. It is noted Mr. Agent Lovell has intimated that it be sent to the Guy Residential School. Should the Guy School require same, the Department might be favourably disposed to having it sent there.

If the Rev. Mr. Fraser does not purchase the dining-room suite and range, same could be stored in the agency warehouse after the Principal vacates the residence.

Regarding the request that remuneration be made to Howard Fraser, who has been looking after the stock, engine room and keeping the batteries up to the proper charge, I have to say that the Department is not prepared to allow him payment for these services. It is considered that the oversight and care of the equipment, until same could be disposed of, should form part of the duties of the Principal and any members of the staff who remain, not only in the interests of the Department but also in the interests of the Church authorities.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

A. G. Hamilton, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Indian Office,
Winnipeg, Man.

128-1-5
the Pas. Man.
Box 390.
May 9th 1933.
Mr M McKenzie,
The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



Dear Mr McKenzie,

I was speaking to Mr Lovell, the Indian Agent up here at the Pas. Man. today.

He told me that the batteries were to be stored up here, also the acid solution emptied out of them.

and I wish to ask you, for the job of putting them in storage.

I ~~now~~ have my third class steam engineers certificate, also I have considerable amount of knowledge of storage batteries.

also I asked Mr Lovell about my wages for looking after the plant and he told me that he had had no word about it. I have been looking after the plant ever since the 25th of March, and shall continue until they are stored away. (turn over)

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as far as I am concerned about my
wages. I only want a fair &
reasonable wage,

so Sir, I hope that you will look
after this for me, because I have
done my best.

Wishing to remain

yours sincerely.

Howard L. Fraser

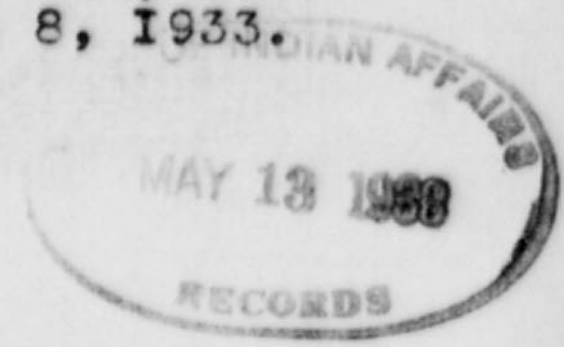
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The Pas, Man
P O. Box, 390.
May, 8, 1933.

Mr McKenzie,
The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.,



Dear Mr McKenzie,

Having been left in charge of the electric lighting plant, formerly of The Mackay School, The Pas, Man, by authority of Mr Hamilton, Inspector of Indian Affairs, for Manitoba.

I have been looking after the engines & keeping the batteries in shape. ever since the 25th day of March, 1933.

I have no repairs for the engines and should they break-down, I have no authority to get new parts, and great harm would be done to the storage batteries,

Also I have not received any salary for this work, and I feel that I am entitled to received some payment in return for my work, and I trust that you will look after this for me Sir,

I shall give you some idea of the plant, which I am looking after, and the shape & conditions, ~~written~~ that I found the engines & batteries in, when I took charge of the plant, on the 25th, of March, 1933,

Hoping that this will be of some use & help to you, As they are worth good money, & it will be too bad if they cannot be put to work elsewhere.

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On the day that I took over the plant I found the following.

there was a 6 H P, fairbanks Morse Gas engine to run the generator for the lighting plant, it had been taken off the water pump, because the batteries had to be charged, & the big 10 H P, Fairbanks-morse Semi-Desile engine was out of commission.

Well this 6 HP, gas engine gave a lot of trouble. It would run for half an hrs time, then stop. So I had a look at it, & found that it was a little TRIP, which trips the magnetoe, ofcourse it being broken, it would trip out of time, thus throwing the spark out of time, the only remedy, was to buy a new one,

I asked the commission, & the Indian Dept office for a new part, but was told that niether party had the authority to get it,

In the meantime the storage batteries would become discharged, and they were only 6 mths, old.

So I immediately left the 6 hp, engine. and started to overhaul the big 10 hp, engine, It had just had a new cylinder head & new rings, & a new eccentric arm, put onto it,

As the engine was too stiff to start by hand, I had to take the little 5 hp, engine & make it drive the big one until the new parts were working smoothly enough to allow

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to allow me to start it by hand. It took three days to do this, the engine running 12 hrs each day,

I also found the big engine out of time, so I adjusted it, and it has been working nicely ever since,

ofcourse the 10 hp engine could do with a new sleeve & a new feed pump, but the engine will run nicely without those parts for awhile yet. If new nozzle-tips & head gaskets were supplied,

There should be another ten years life to that engine.

Now about the 6 hp, Fairbanks engine,

It has just had a new cylinder head, & new piston rings put onto it, and for just the cost of a new (magnetoe) trip, a new intake valve, exhaust valve, cylinder head gasket, & a new spark plug,

this engine could be put into good running condition and it should be good for another five years or more,

there is also a new magnetoe on this engine that must have been bought only a short time ago.

Now

Now the SAW engine,

A 5 hp, Fairbanks-morse engine, I hear it was a new engine last fall, but it is a very sad looking piece of machinery for a new engine,

I have overhauled it. The bearings are in fair condition, & so is the magnetoe, but the valves were badly burnt. It needs a new gasket & a sparkplug. Also it should have a new set of piston rings, they should be ten-thousandths oversize,

I have ground the valves, but the engine needs a new head gasket now, as the one I have on now lets water through to the cylinder casing, & piston rings, and it is doing great harm to cylinder casing, (scoring the cylinder casing,

I have also tried to get a new one, but I am told there are no funds for it. but just the same the engine has to pump water for the cattle & horse trough.

I would be very glad if you could get a new one soon.

Now the water pump.

All the bearings on it need rebabbiting & trueing up, also you shall have to buy a new foot-pump cylinder casing, as it is about 90 ft. down in the ground. and it would be of too much expence to pull it up.

and if you have another place to move it to, I think that the rest of the pump would be worth the expence.

Now we come to the storage batteries.

I understand that they were new batteries last fall, well they certainly do not look like it now.

they have a rich deposit from the positive plates on the bottom of the jars, which is over a 1/4 of an inch in depth and whenever the batteries begin to gas freely on charge, this sediment starts moving, & settles over the plates causing short circuit in each battery, and the only remedy is to take the element, (positive & negative plates) out of

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out of the containers, & wash them thoroughly, also the acid should be strained to keep the dirt out, & then the jars washed out, and the batteries assembled, then the old acid put back into the jars, and new acid added to bring the ~~batteries~~ solution of each battery up to their proper specific gravity, of 1.250. (When I took over the batteries their specific gravity, averaged 1.160 to 1.165. but up to the present date I have only been able to reach a specific gravity of 1.210 to 1.215, and in their present condition, it is their full capacity.)

Now when the batteries are all assembled, they should be given the rejuvenation treatment. then these batteries should be good for another five years service. providing they are given proper care.

I think the main trouble with these batteries was that that they were not charged often enough. by this I mean that more ampere hrs were taken out of the batteries in discharge than were put into them by charging.

And should you move the batteries to another place, it would be adviseable to give them their treatment at their destination. because batteries would be disturbed through transit, and also it gives the operator a better chance to watch & care for the batteries.

~~The~~ The Switch board, --- There is only one thing wrong with it, There is a graphite resistance connection, about 5 inches long and as thick as a lead pencil,

I was informed that it was broken when they shipped the switch-board to The Mackay School,

It should be replaced, to enable the generator to give its best of service.

The Generator, --- It is in pretty dirty condition, and needs cleaning, also there is too much end play. It seems to me that a ball race is broken, but of course I am not sure what the fault is because as yet I have had no authority to overhaul it, but I knew that the end play should be taken out of it before it becomes damaged to much.

Also it needs new brushes, (carbon.)

Belts, --- there is only one belt that is in good condition, it belongs to the lighting plant, The pump belt is in poor condition, as it is made up of short lengths, and is always breaking apart.

Now Sir, I have covered all your machinery and I have tried to let you understand just what machinery you have up here, and their condition, and also the repairs that are needed that these engines might give satisfactory & economical service in future.

As I shall soon run out of fuel-oil, I wish you would allow me to get some, that I may keep the batteries up to their full capacity.

Yours Faithfully *Howard L. Fraser,*

Ottawa, May 16, 1933.

Sir:

I have your letters of the 8th and 9th instant, regarding the services performed by you in looking after the engines and electric lighting equipment at the MacKay Indian Residential School, and requesting to be remunerated for your services.

In reply I have to say it is considered that the oversight and care of the equipment on hand at the school after the fire destroyed the building, until such time as arrangements could be made to dispose of same, should form part of the duties of the Principal and any members of the staff who remained at the school, not only in the interests of the Department but also in the interests of the Church authorities. The Department has no funds to pay for work performed at the school. I would suggest that you refer the matter of remuneration for the work done by you to the authorities of the M.S.C.C.

Instructions have been given regarding the care and storage of the batteries and for the storing of all equipment at this school until same can be disposed of.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

Howard L. Fraser, Esq.,
P.O. Box 390,
THE PAS, MAN.

STATEMENT

May 20

1933.

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In a/c With

INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL
ELKHORN, MAN.

Rev. F. Eley.

TERMS

Elkhorn, Man.

May	5	To Transportation charges on mattresses	2.72
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TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.



VOTE.....188
AGENCY.....
SCHOOL NUMBER.....580
ALLOT.....290
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INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL COMMISSION, M.S.C.C.

PRINCIPAL
CAPT. THE REV. FRED ELEY, D.P.I.



MAIN BUILDING

OFFICE TELEPHONE: No. 27
PRINCIPAL'S RESIDENCE: No. 19

MAY 23 1933

RECORDS

ELKHORN, MANITOBA

May 20, 1933.

Sir:-

I herewith enclose certified account for part freight on Mattresses from The Pas, Manitoba, under your authority.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

(Rev. F. Eley.)
Principal.

The Secretary,
Dept. Of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,
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C O P Y

EXIDE BATTERIES OF CANADA LIMITED.

113 Market Ave. E.,
Winnipeg, Man.,
May 15th, 1933.

Inspector Hamilton,
Department of Indian Affairs,
412 Commercial Bldg.,
Winnipeg.

Dear Sir:

Relative to our telephone conversation in connection with the 56 cell type KXH-13 rebuilt Exide battery located at The Pas, you have suggested that instructions have been given to have this battery dry stored until such time as it will be required for future use elsewhere.

We would strongly recommend that this should not be done but that instead the battery be flushed to the water line found on the jar, completely charged at a suitable rate (not more than 12 amperes) until all cells are gassing freely and the hydrometer does not show an increase in gravity for three hours, taking readings at intervals of one hour.

The foregoing being done it can be assumed that the battery is completely charged. We would then suggest that the cells be disconnected at the terminals, the top of the cell cleaned and all moisture removed, and the battery be allowed to remain in this condition until such time as it is disposed of. This can be done in its present location quite satisfactorily providing once every month to six weeks the battery is given a small charge or boost. If no one is available at the battery's present location, I am satisfied a reasonable charge would be made by a local battery dealer to maintain the cells for say a period of one year in their present condition.

We believe removing the acid and disturbing the element is more harmful to the battery than the general wear and tear that takes place if the element remained in solution. In addition it is a costly process to remove the acid as well as replace it and bring the battery back to full charge.

In making the foregoing recommendation we are assuming that the Department will have use for this battery at some time within a year in some other location.

Yours very truly,
EXIDE BATTERIES OF CANADA, LIMITED,
(Sgd) P.C. Armstrong
Manager, Winnipeg Branch.

PCA: EGA

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A. G. HAMILTON
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES
MANITOBA



128-1-5

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

NO. 205-11

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

INSPECTOR'S OFFICE

ED WINNIPEG, MAN., May 17th, 1933.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter 128-1-5 dated May 4th, I wish to state that I immediately got in communication with the Acting Agent, Mr. Lovell, asking for a quotation on the work outlined therein. In his reply, he submitted a quotation of \$77.00, and I am quite sure the Department had no intention of spending this amount of money.

I then phoned the Manager of the Exide Batteries of Canada, Limited, and enclosed is a copy of a letter I received from him. Acting on his advice, I sent the following night letter to Mr. Lovell:-

"Quotation too high. Inspect batteries yourself. Add distilled water required, charge until each battery reads twelve twenty. Disconnect wires leading from building, also disconnect each battery from the other. Thoroughly dry all moisture on top of cells and leave same dry and shiny. Board up windows and lock door. Writing."

I have not yet received a report from Mr. Lovell, but I have no doubt the work has been carried out, which will assure us of the safe condition of the batteries for at least two months.

If the Department are still of the opinion expressed in their letter of May 4th, and are prepared

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

to incur

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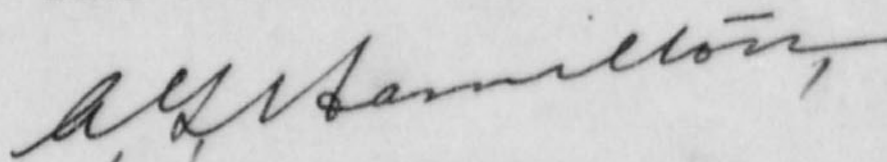
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to incur an expenditure of \$77.00, I will instruct Mr. Lovell to have the work carried out.

I would again remind the Department of the possibility of these batteries being required at the Guy Residential School, and would like to know if it will be in order for me to take the matter up with the Principal, either through Mr. Lovell, the Acting Agent, or on the occasion of my next visit to the school.

See Paragraph
of letter of May
5/23 under
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Your obedient servant,



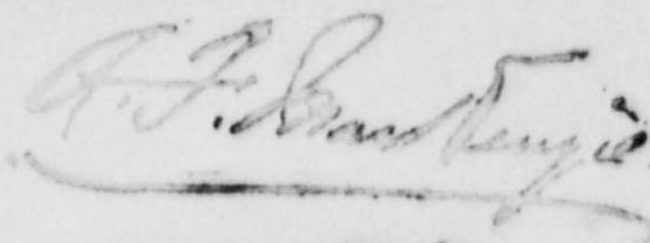
A. G. Hamilton
Inspector of Indian Agencies
Manitoba.

May 29, 1933.

Dear Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the 17th with further reference to the storage batteries from the MacKay School in store at The Pas, I would ask you to kindly arrange to have some competent person in The Pas keep the batteries fully charged for the present time. It is noted that they may be required for the Guy School, and I would be glad to hear from you as to whether they should be shipped to this Institution.

Yours very truly,

A. F. MacKensie.
Secretary.A. G. Hamilton, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg, Man.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOT VALID UNLESS SIGNED BY THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

FOR COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY

THE PAS, 22nd May, 1933.
MANITOBA

M. Dept of Indian Affairs,

The Pas, Manitoba.

ALLOT. 2.
TREATY 5.

In Account With

W. LYON

TOBOGGAN AND SLEIGH BUILDER

Post Office Box 683

Canoes Re-canvassed and Repaired

Carpenter and Repair Work of All Kinds

To demolishing two cement chimneys on site of the
MacKay Residential School, The Pas recently
destroyed by fire.

Work to satisfaction of Agent.

\$ 15 .00

WORK PERFORMED. PRICE FAIR & JUST. CERTIFIED CORRECT

Samuel Lovell
ACTING INDIAN AGENT.

VOUCHER NO. 50

~~CERTIFIED CORRECT~~

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE

Voucher in duplicate detached
for Account to pay.

AGENCY

SCHOOL NUMBER

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Letter No. 50

Office of the Pas. Manitoba Indian Agency,

May 22nd 1933.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 50,
amounting to \$15.00 in favour

of W. Lyon Esq. The Pas. Manitoba

for Demolishing two chimneys at MacKay I.R. School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. E.R. No. 182 dated April 12th 1933.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
Acting Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

C O P Y

Office of
Indian Agent

The Pas, Manitoba,
May 19th, 1933.

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Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to reply to your letter 205-11 of the 16th instant, regarding the batteries of the lighting plant at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas.

Beg to say I got the batteries up to 1205 and followed instructions sent re washing and drying, and will see that these batteries are recharged in a month's time, trusting this will meet with your approval.

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) Samuel Lovell

S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

A. G. Hamilton, Esq.
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Commercial Building,
Notre Dame E.
Winnipeg,
Manitoba.

A. G. HAMILTON
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES
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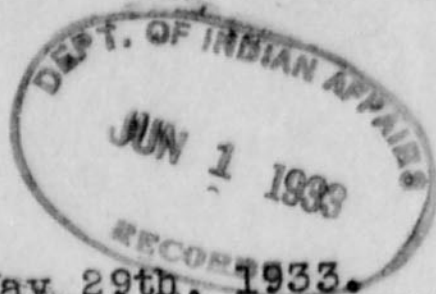


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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

NO. 205-11

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER



WINNIPEG, MAN., May 29th, 1933.

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Sir:-

Re Dept. File 128-1-5

With further reference to my letter of May 17th, I enclose copy of one received from Mr. Lovell, Acting Indian Agent, The Pas. I trust this arrangement is satisfactory to the Department, and shall be glad to receive a reply to my letter of the 17th instant.

Your obedient servant,

A. G. Hamilton

A. G. Hamilton
Inspector of Indian Agencies
Manitoba.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

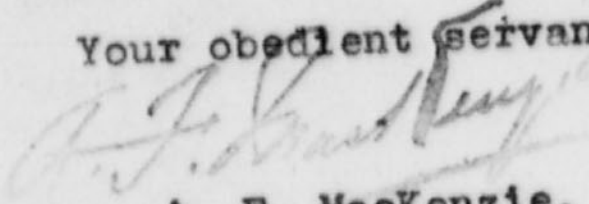
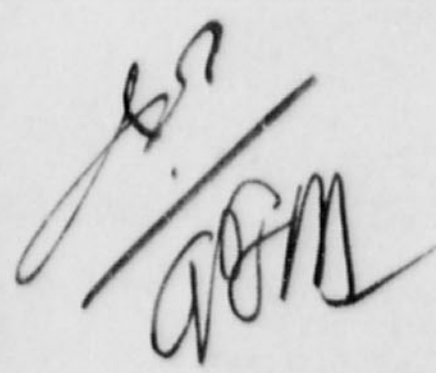
Ottawa, June 2, 1933.

Sir:

I have your 205-11 of the 29th ultimo, enclosing copy of a communication which you received from Mr. Lovell, Acting Indian Agent, The Pas, with reference to the action take by him regarding the batteries of the lighting plant at the MacKay Indian Residential School. It is noted that he has had the batteries recharged and dry stored by removing from the cells the electrolyte.

Your letter of the 17th ultimo was replied to by official letter dated the 29th ultimo, in which you were instructed to have the Agent arrange with some competent person in The Pas to keep the batteries fully charged for the present. If we are advised that this equipment is required for use at the Guy Indian Residential School, instructions will be given to have same forwarded. The Agent should forward from time to time vouchers in payment for any expenses in keeping the batteries recharged.

Your obedient servant,


A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.
A. G. Hamilton, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Inspector's Office,
Winnipeg, Man.

C O P Y

The Pas, Manitoba,
May 31st, 1933.

105-135

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to reply to your letter No.205-11 of the 18th instant, and beg to inform you I have interviewed the Rev. A. Fraser re the cash offer for the dining room suite and range.

Mr. Fraser stated the stove and furniture has been in steady use for the past three years, but he offers the sum of \$70.00, which he trusts will meet with your approval.

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) Samuel Lovell
Acting Indian Agent.

A. G. Hamilton, Esq.
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Commercial Building,
Notre Dame E.
Winnipeg,
Manitoba.

A. G. HAMILTON
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES
MANITOBA



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

INSPECTOR'S OFFICE

ED WINNIPEG, MAN., June 5th, 1933.

128-1-5
IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

NO. 205-11

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER



[Handwritten signature]
Sir:-

Enclosed is a copy of a letter from Acting Indian Agent, Mr. Lovell, in which he submits Rev. Fraser's offer of \$70.00 for the dining room suite and range.

This furniture was purchased at the peak of high prices and cost the Department much more than this. At present I think a similar suite could be secured for around \$125.00, and perhaps \$45.00 for a range. The furniture has been in use for three years and the cash offer, although appearing small, is, I think, all that can be secured.

Your obedient servant,

A. G. Hamilton

A. G. Hamilton
Inspector of Indian Agencies
Manitoba. *E.S.*



The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

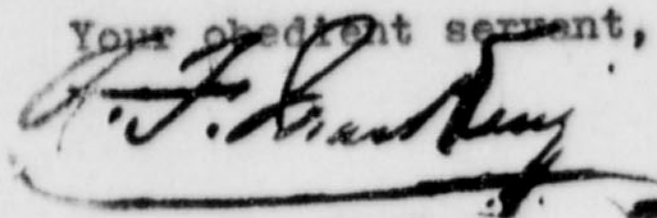
Ottawa, June 9, 1933.

Sir:

I have your 205-11 of the 5th instant, enclosing copy of a communication from Mr. Lovell, Acting Indian Agent, The Pas, in which he submits the offer of Rev. Mr. Fraser for the dining-room suite and range in the Principal's residence at the MacKay Indian Residential School.

In reply I have to say that if you are satisfied the price offered, viz., \$70 cash is a fair one, you may authorize Mr. Lovell to accept same and obtain the amount from Mr. Fraser, which he should forward to the Department for credit to the Receiver-General.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.



A. G. Hamilton, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Inspector's Office,
Winnipeg, Man.

The Pas, June 12th, 1933.

Mr. S. Lovell,
Indian Agent
The Pas, Man.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing you today in reference to the Principal residence at The McKay School.

I feel that since the burning down of the McKay Residential school and there is a possibility that it may never be rebuilt again, it would be good business to have the residence of the Principal moved down to the nurses clinic building where it could be used for hospital purposes.

I wish to suggest that this be done at once and that it be fitted up at once for the care of less serious cases, the more serious cases would have to go to St Anthony's Hospital, of course.

There are some Tuberculosis cases on the reserve that could be taken care of it as these cases are not allowed to go to the St. Anthony hospital.

As the care of the sick is at the expense of the Band's fund I think the full cost of bringing down the building and of fitting it up for a hospital building should be carried by the Government.

There is now a Government District Nurse employed, and she could -- live in this building at the same time taking care of the patients, with some one to help her perhaps.

In regard to the fuel for the winter it could be supplied at one half the cost of getting it in to town, by the Band, who would earn some money for delivering it.

Please ask the Indian Department to consider this matter at once, as I feel that the matter is quite urgent.

Awaiting your action in this matter, we remain,

Yours Truly.

Signed by Patrick Bonstont Chief.

Fred. Young Councilor

John J. Pull "

David Cook "

mark "

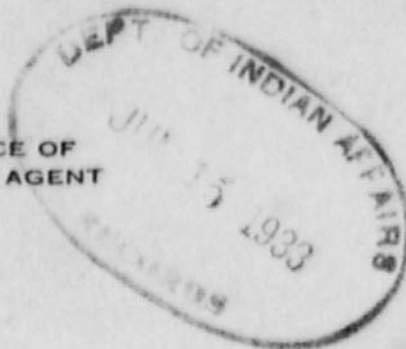
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Redd Gillman "

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



123-113

128-1-5-
The Pas, Manitoba,
June 12th, 1933.

Dear Sir:-

I attach herewith a request received from the Chief and Councillors of The Pas Band, re the Principal's Residence at The MacKay School.

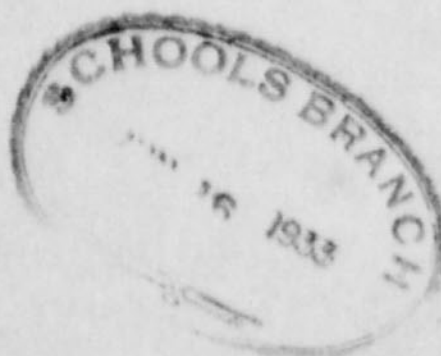
The cost of moving this house to The Pas Reserve would be around \$550.00, and this would have to be done in the winter.

I beg to recommend this, and trust same will meet with your approval.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.



June 19th, 1933.

Dear Sir,-

G.H.
Your letter 123-113, of June 12th, has been brought to my attention with the request of The Pas Band that the Principal's residence at the MacKay School be moved to the nurse's clinic building for hospital purposes. The Department's impression is that this would not be a wise thing to do. The Department has a considerable investment in St. Anthony's Hospital, which appears to be a thoroughly up-to-date institution. It is very doubtful if patients could be maintained in a small building at less expense than in the hospital, and the expense of fitting up the building would be very considerable.

I am prepared to receive any further representations you wish to make in this matter, but at present can scarcely encourage the Band to think it can be done.

Yours very truly,

Sumner

Deputy Superintendent General.

S. Lovell, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Manitoba.

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A. G. HAMILTON
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES
MANITOBA

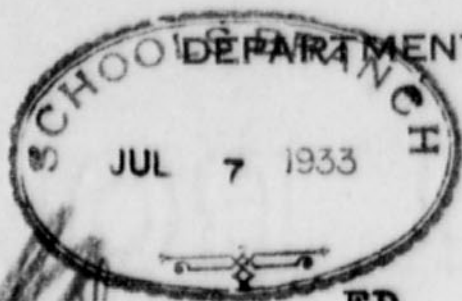


128-1-5

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

NO. 205-11

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

INSPECTOR'S OFFICE

WINNIPEG, MAN., July 4th, 1933.



Sir:-

With reference to your letter 128-1-5 dated June 2nd, I am now in receipt of a letter from Mr. Lovell, in which he states that Father Doyon, Principal of the Guy Indian Residential School, will no doubt be needing a new set of batteries before winter as the present set has been in constant use during the past six years, and recommends that the batteries and switchboard from the MacKay School be transferred.

Father Doyon is also in need of a small gasoline engine, and I would recommend that the one formerly in use at the MacKay School be transferred.

Your obedient servant,

A. G. Hamilton
Inspector of Indian Agencies
Manitoba.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

A. G. HAMILTON
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES
MANITOBA



128-1-5

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

NO. 205-11

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

INSPECTOR'S OFFICE

WINNIPEG, MAN., July 4th, 1933.



Sir:-

With reference to your letter 128-1-5 dated June 2nd, I am now in receipt of a letter from Mr. Lovell, in which he states that Father Doyon, Principal of the Guy Indian Residential School, will no doubt be needing a new set of batteries before winter as the present set has been in constant use during the past six years, and recommends that the batteries and switchboard from the MacKay School be transferred.

Father Doyon is also in need of a small gasoline engine, and I would recommend that the one formerly in use at the MacKay School be transferred.

Your obedient servant,

A. G. Hamilton
Inspector of Indian Agencies
Manitoba.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

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Ottawa, July 7, 1933.

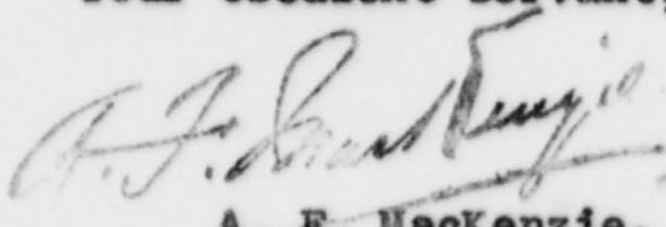
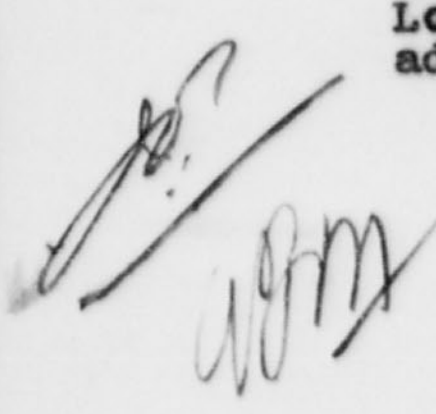
Sir:

I have your No. 205-11 of the 4th instant, informing the Department that the Principal of the Guy Indian Residential School will require a new set of batteries before next winter and recommending that the batteries and switch board from the MacKay Indian Residential School be transferred.

In reply I have to say that the Department will approve of you arranging with Mr. S. Lovell, Acting Indian Agent, The Pas, Man., for the proper packing of the batteries and switch board and the small gasoline engine and having same shipped to the Principal of the Guy Indian Residential School. It is considered that it would be advisable to utilize this equipment rather than have it remain in storage at The Pas, and, as it can be used to good advantage at the Guy School, it may be forwarded there, as directed above.

Regarding any expense in connection with the packing and freighting of the equipment mentioned, this will be paid upon receipt of a properly certified account, in triplicate, covering the cost, with receipts attached for shipping charges. You may arrange with Mr. Lovell to forward this shipment when considered advisable.

Your obedient servant,


A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.
A. G. Hamilton, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Inspector's Office,
Winnipeg, Man.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Nº 608

Received from *Rev. A. Fraser - Hecar - Mar* *70⁰⁰* *July 11th 19th 33*
Seventy Dollars
for *Livingroom Suite & Stove bought from the Dept*
from the Residence of Principal of Nacikag School
A. Fraser *A. Richardson*

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209-135

The Pas, Manitoba,
July 14th, 1933.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to attach herewith Cheque
No. 118091 payable to The Received General,
for \$70.00, together with Receipt No. 608.

Beg to advise you this represents
a collection from the Rev. A. Fraser, late
Principal of the MacKay School, for the
furniture and range sold him, at agreed price,
with Inspector Hamilton.

I trust this will meet with your
approval.

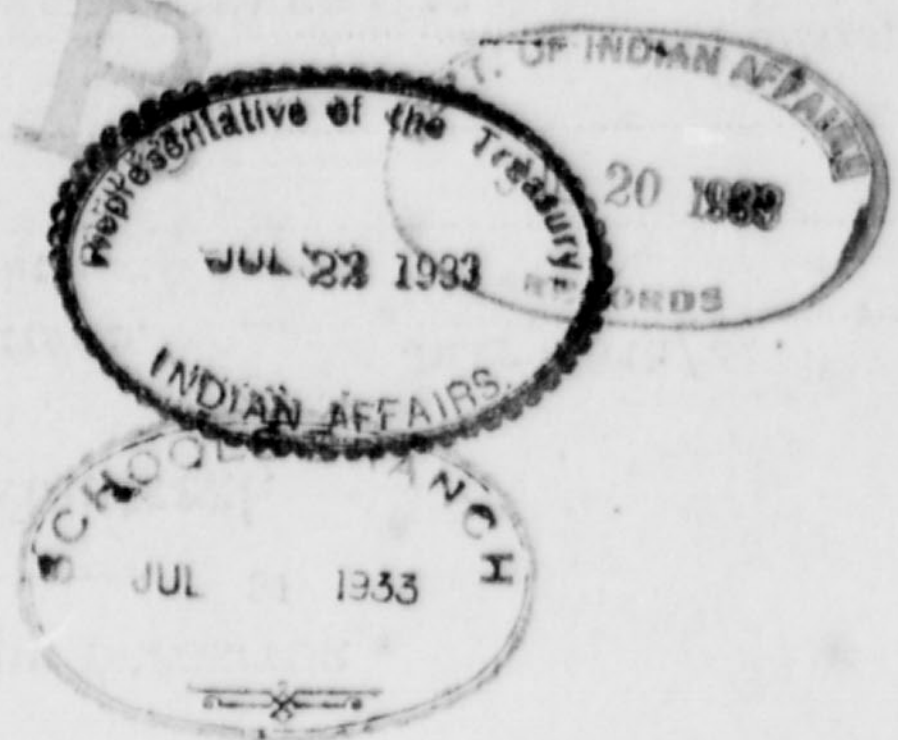
Your obedient servant,

A. G. Richardson
Clerk.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

128-1-5

[Handwritten signature]



DUPLICATE, FOR DEPARTMENT.

No. 6697

R. R. 500
W. J. R.

Bank of Montreal,

\$ 70.00 Ottawa, July 18th/33.

RECEIVED from A. G. Richardson

on account Indian Funds

the sum of Seventy...00/100 Dollars,
which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

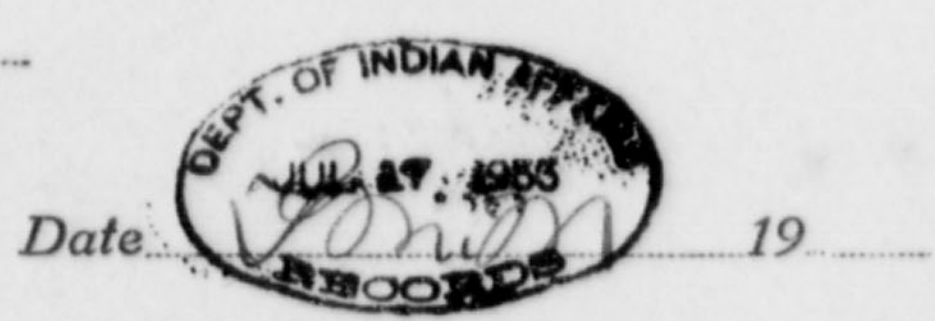
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Ent'd.

Pro. Manager.

BANK RECEIPT No.

Amt. \$70.00 *clp*



Entered Journal No. Folio

[Handwritten signature]

Dept. Receipt No.

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ALLOT
No. 2
Treaty No. 5

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

To DAVID COOK, JNR.
PAS INDIAN RESERVE.
C/O INDIAN OFFICE.
THE PAS.
MANITOBA

DATE 1933	SERVICE	AMOUNT
Augt. 9	TO BOARDING UP THE WINDOWS AND DOORS OF THE POWER-HOUSE. HEN-HOUSE. WAREHOUSE. ICE-HOUSE BARN AND PRINCIPAL'S RESIDENCE AT THE MACKAY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL. THE PAS. MAN. LUMBER, NAILS AND LABOR SUPPLIED VOUCHER NO. 154	\$10 00
Vote..... School Number..... Allot..... E. R. No.....		
AUDIT FOR PAYMENT AUG 15 1933 ACCOUNTS BRANCH DEPT. INDIAN AFFAIRS		
TOTAL,		

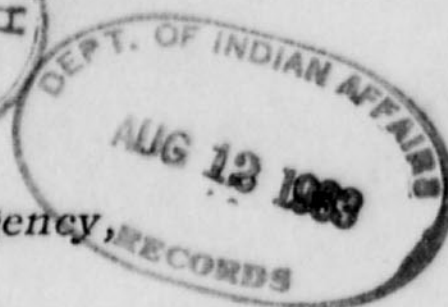
I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

A. G. Richardson

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Letter No. 154



Office of the Pas Manitoba Indian Agency

August 9th 1933

Sir,

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I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 154,

amounting to \$ 10.00 in favour

of David Cook, Jr. c/o Indian Office The Pas Man.

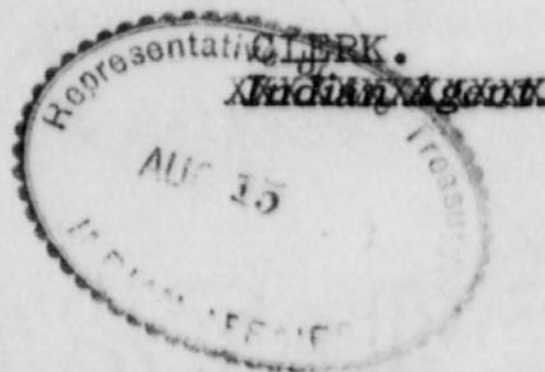
for Boarding up windows & doors of buildings at the MacKay Indian Resid. School, The Pas. Material & Labor supplied.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 205-11 dated July 29th 1933 from Insp. Hamilton.

Your obedient servant,

A. G. Richardson



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

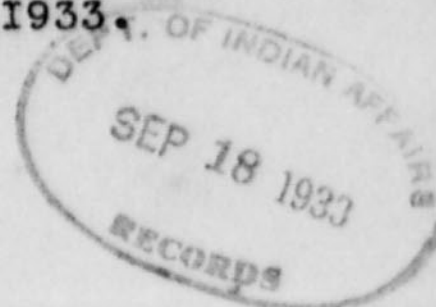
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1. *Records*
2. *School*
Guy Indian Residential Boarding School,
Sturgeon Landing, SASK..

Sept. 10th, 1933.



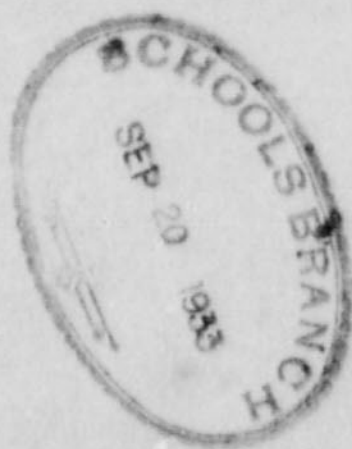
Mr J.D. Sutherland
Acting Supt. of Indian Education
Ottawa ONT..

Dear Sir:-

Handwritten note on left margin: "I have been thinking of this for some time."
Yesterday I had to pay an account of thirty three (\$33.80) and eighty to Mr Thomas Harvey for transportation of Batteries and Engin from McKay school to Sturgeon Landing. Mr Lovell, Indian Agent said he had no authority to pay that freight, but you, you have that power. Could you, please make remittance to me of that sum, for which I will be thankful to you.

Yours obligingly,

R. W. Napoleon Deyon, O. M. I.
Principal.



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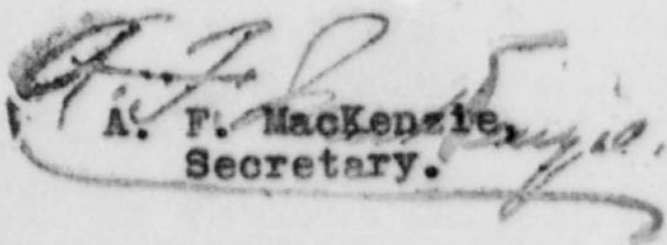
Ottawa, September 20, 1933.

Sir:

In official letter of July 7th last, you were authorized to arrange to ship the batteries, switchboard and small gasoline engine from the MacKay School to the Guy Indian Residential School. You were also instructed to forward to the Department an account covering any expenses incurred in connection with the packing and freighting of the equipment mentioned.

I may say that the Department has received the enclosed account from the Principal of the Guy Residential School. If you consider this account should be paid, you should attach same to a proper voucher form and return to the Department for our consideration.

Your obedient servant,


A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.
ENC.
A. G. Hamilton, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Inspector's Office,
Winnipeg, Man.

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EDWARDS AVE.,

THE PAS, MAN. September 1933

M Department of Indian Affairs,

The Pas, Manitoba.

ALLOT. 2
TREATY 8

CHAS. W. HILL

Engineer and Electrician  Machine and Electric Shop
Repairs to Scientific Instruments, Models and Firearms

Terms Nett: Accounts Due When Rendered. Interest at 8 per cent.

Sept.

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Removing Batteries, Switchboard & Engine,
Crating where necessary, from McKay School
to Boat. THESE BEING TRANSFERRED TO THE
GUY INDIAN RESID. SCHOOL AT STURGEON LANDING.
MATERIAL SUPPLIED & SERVICES PERFORMED
PRICE FAIR & JUST CERTIFIED CORRECT

VOUCHER NO. 230

Samuel Lovell
ACTING INDIAN AGENT

AUDITED
FOR PAYMENT

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE

OCT 5 1933

Voucher in duplicate detached

for Accountant to pay
ACCOUNTS BRANCH
DEPT. INDIAN AFFAIRS

Vote.....

Roll Number.....

\$20.00

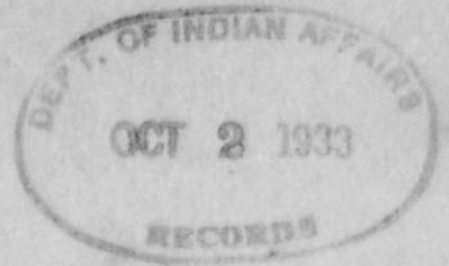
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128-1-5



Letter No. 230

Office of the Pas. Manitoba Indian Agency,

September 29th. 1933.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 230,

amounting to \$20.00 in favour

of Chas. W. Hill Esq. The Pas. Manitoba

Removing batteries & engine & cutting out switchboard
for packing & bringing to The Pas. from the MacKay I.R.
School for transfer to the Guy I.R. School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-5 dated July 7th. 1933

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
Acting Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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C O P Y

The Pas, Manitoba,
Sept. 23th, 1933.

369-135

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to reply to your letter 205-11 of the 23rd, instant, re account in connection with the transfer of the batteries etc., from the MacKay to the Guy Indian Residential School.

I beg to say that the Church authorities were notified that the Department would not pay freight charges from The Pas to Sturgeon Landing. I personally interviewed Father Doyon and thoroughly explained the matter to him.

Our only expense in this connection is the \$20.00 per authority received from you.

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) Samuel Lovell
Acting Indian Agent.

A. G. Hamilton, Esq.
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Commercial Building,
Notre Dame E,
Winnipeg,
Manitoba.

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A. G. HAMILTON
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES
MANITOBA



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

INSPECTOR'S OFFICE

WINNIPEG, MAN., October 11th, 1933.

128-1-5
IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

NO. 205-11

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Schools
Architect
Sir:-

In reply to your letter of September 20th, No. 128-1-5, regarding the transfer of the batteries, etc. to the Guy Indian Residential School, I enclose herewith copy of a letter received from Mr. Lovell, Acting Indian Agent, The Pas, which explains the situation.

As note
In view of the understanding between Father Doyon and the Acting Indian Agent, I am not prepared to forward a voucher in payment of the further amount requested.

Your obedient servant,

A. G. Hamilton

A. G. Hamilton
Inspector of Indian Agencies
Manitoba. *ED.*

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

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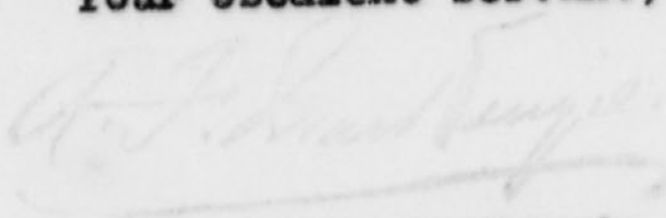
Ottawa, October 17, 1933.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 11th instant, enclosing copy of communication which you received from the Acting Indian Agent at The Pas, regarding the request of the Principal of the Guy Indian Residential School, that the freight charges be paid on the batteries which were transferred from the MacKay School.

In this connection I have to say that, in view of the understanding between the Principal and the Acting Indian Agent, the Department is not prepared to pay the freight charges for the forwarding of the batteries. It is considered that the Principal should pay these charges from the per capita allowance or other receipts of the school. You may inform the Acting Indian Agent accordingly.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.



A. G. Hamilton, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Inspector's Office,
Winnipeg, Man.

BOX 560

PHONE 288

THE PAS. MAN.

Oct. 31/33

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Indian Department

ALLOT.

2

TREATY

5

The Pas. Man
In Account With

SPENCER'S GARAGE

DEALERS IN
GENERAL MOTORS CARS AND TRUCKS

All accounts due when Rendered -- 10% interest charged on overdue accounts.

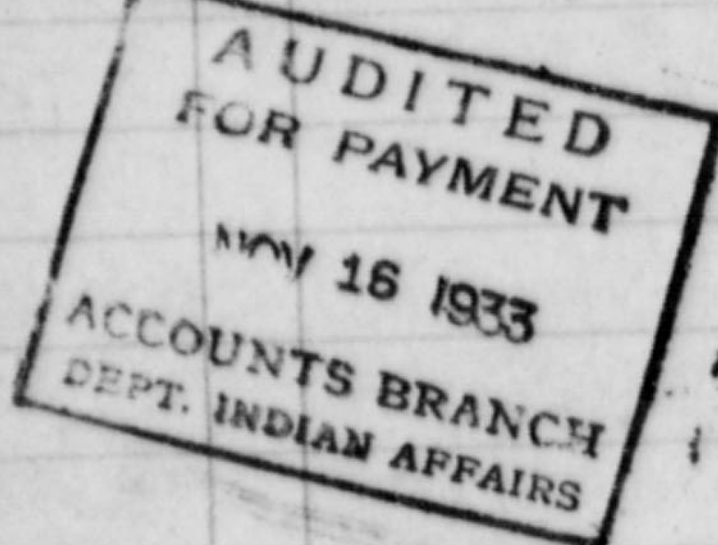
Aug 21 1 Gal Dist Water

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GOODS RECEIVED FOR CHARGING MACKAY SCHOOL
BATTERIES BEFORE BEING TAKEN OVER BY THE
GUY INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL.
PRICE FAIR & JUST CERTIFIED CORRECT

VOUCHER NO. 370

Samuel Lovell
ACTING INDIAN AGENT.



Vote.....

chool Number.....

Allo.....

E. R. No.....

TITLE FOR FILE

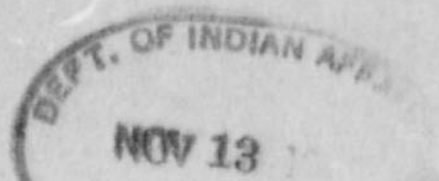
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Account to pay.

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128-1-5



Letter No. 370

Office of the Pas. Manitoba Indian Agency,

November 7th 1933

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Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 370,

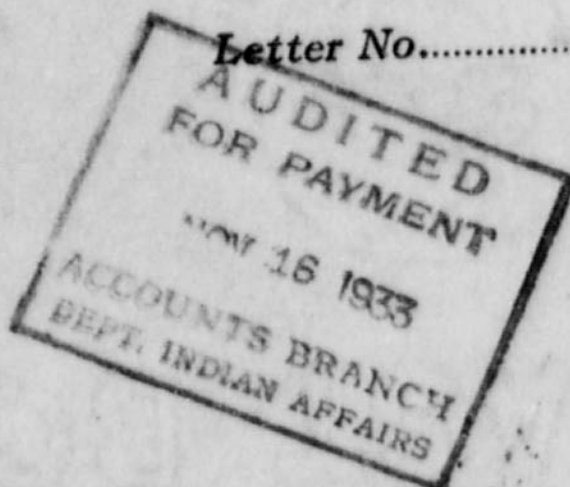
amounting to \$ 50.00 in favour

of Spencer's Garage The Pas Manitoba

for Dist. water to charge MacKay School batteries before
being turned over to the Guy I. R. School.

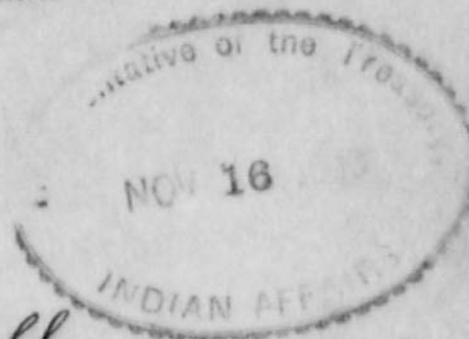
This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated Blanket



Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
Acting Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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THE PAS. MAN. 22nd November 1933

M. Department of Indian Affairs, The Pas Day School.

Bought of **WOOD, VALLANCE LIMITED**

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

ALLOTI 2
TREATY 5

INTEREST AT 8 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE

DATE

PARTICULARS

Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant

2% 30 DAYS

NET 30 DAYS

BALANCE

1	Pc. Glass	20 x 23 1/2	S. D.	.60
3	"	8 x 10	"	.30
12	"	12 x 20	"	3.00
1	"	12 x 20 3/4	"	.35
3	"	8 x 10	"	.30
1	"	6 1/2 x 12 1/2	"	.15
2	"	10 x 12	"	.30

AUDITED
FOR PAYMENT

NOV 30 1933

ACCOUNTS BRANCH
DEPT. INDIAN AFFAIRS

GLASS RECEIVED FOR REPAIRING PAS INDIAN DAY SCHOOL
INSIDE AND STORM WINDOWS.
PRICE FAIR & JUST

Vote. CERTIFIED CORRECT

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ACTING INDIAN AGENT

E. R. No.

VOUCHER NO. 386

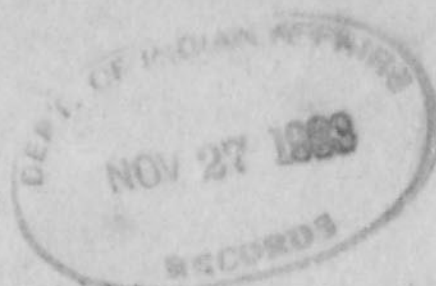
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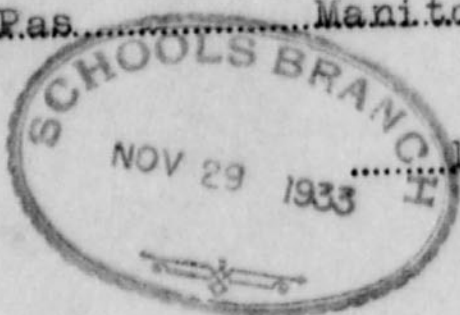


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Letter No. 386

Office of the Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,



November 23rd. 1933

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Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 386

amounting to \$ 5.00 in favour

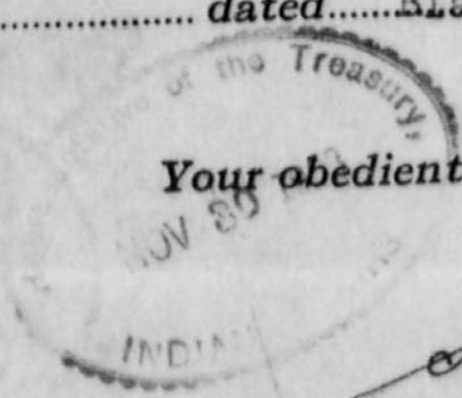
of Wood Vallance Limited The Pas Manitoba

for Glass to repair Pas Indian Day School inside and storm windows.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated Blanket

Your obedient servant,



Samuel Lovell
Acting Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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Dear Sir

I would like to know what you would take for the two water tanks that were in the basement at the Kay school at the time it was burned down I may state for your information that I bought a similar tank of the Turner when I was doing some work there in 1929 for twenty dollars a early reply will oblige

Selling is not Encouraging
S.S.

yours truly
Joseph Pritchard



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



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227-135

The Pas, Manitoba,
August 16th. 1934.

Dear Sir:-

A Grant McCauley of The Pas has offered me \$5.00 for the sawing machine table at the MacKay School.

I beg to recommend this sale as this table is of no use to us here, and \$5.00 seems a fair price for same.

Your obedient servant,

S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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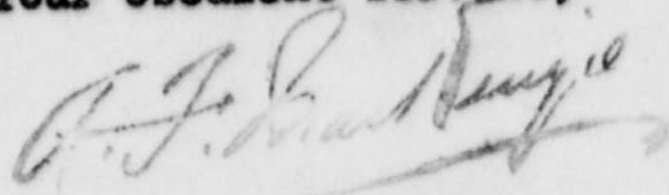
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Ottawa, August 21, 1934.

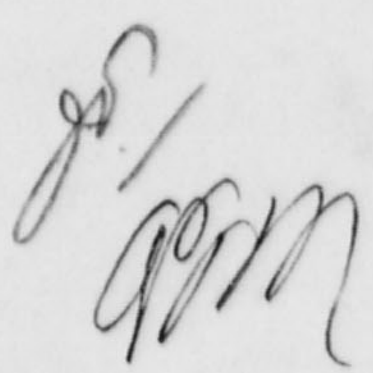
Sir:

This Department has, surplus to requirements, at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, Man., a sawing machine table. The local Indian Agent has received an offer to the amount of \$5.00 for this equipment, which, he states, is a fair price. I shall be pleased to receive a Minute, authorizing the sale, the proceeds to be forwarded for credit of the Receiver General.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.



Lt. Colonel L. H. Beer,
Government Contracts
Supervision Committee,
O t t a w a, Ont.

SALVAGE 7674

Ottawa, August 23, 1934.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

128-1-5

DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS STORES -

VALUE - \$5.00

Authority is granted for the sale of the following:to

ONE (1) old sawing machine table \$5.00

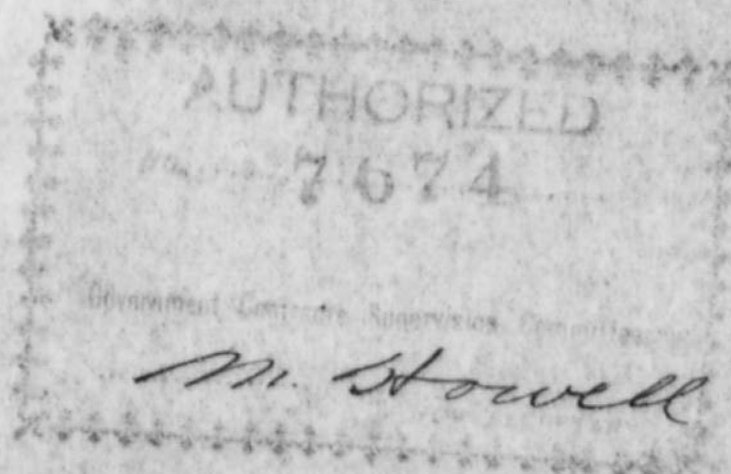
Ex- The Pas, Man.

Purchaser to pay all expenses in connection with delivery.

Payment at time of delivery.

Name of purchaser to be advised Salvage Officer.

MM.



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128-1-5

Minute No. SALVAGE 7674

G.C.S.C. File No.

GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS SUPERVISION COMMITTEE Ottawa, August 23, 1934.

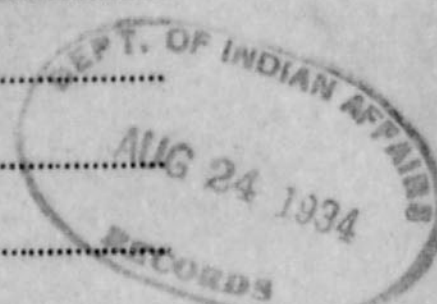
Date

Department INDIAN AFFAIRS

File No. 128-1-5

Req. No.

P.C. No.



*Recd
for file
J. H. [unclear]*

SUBJECT: DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS STORES -

VALUE - \$5.00

Authority is granted for the sale of the following to

ONE (1) old sawing machine table \$5.00

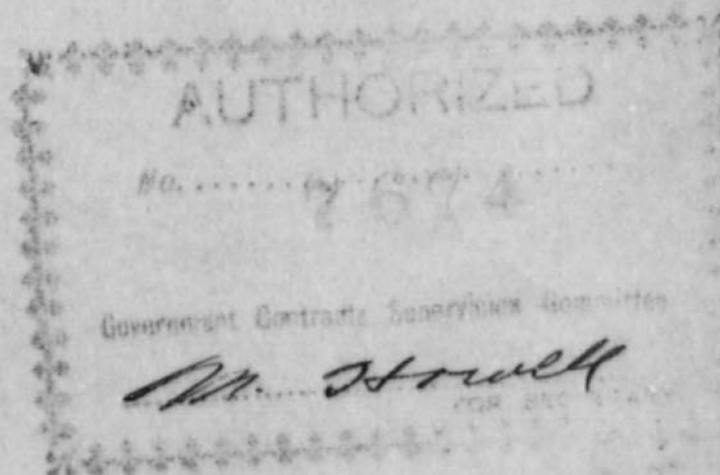
Ex- The Pas, Man.

Purchaser to pay all expenses in connection with delivery.

Payment at time of delivery.

Name of purchaser to be advised Salvage Officer.

MH.



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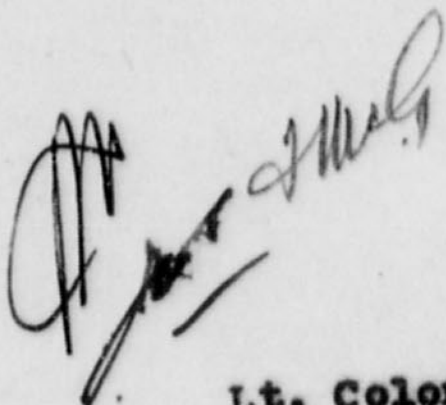
Ottawa, August 31, 1934.

Re: Minute No. Salvage 7674.

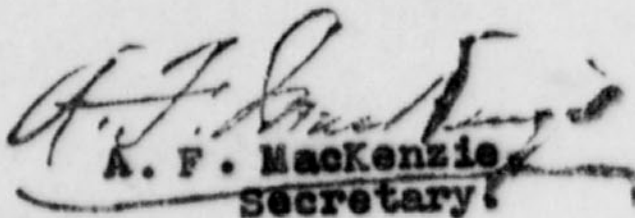
Sir:

With reference to the above, I beg to advise you that the old sawing machine table at the Mackay Indian Residential School is being sold to Mr. A. G. McCauley, of The Pas, Man., for the sum of \$5.00.

Your obedient servant,



Lt. Colonel L. H. Beer,
Government Contracts Supervision
Committee,
O t t a w a, Ont.



A. F. MacKenzie
Secretary

Ottawa, August 31, 1934.

Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 16th instant, I beg to say that you may sell the sawing machine table at the Mackay School to Mr. A. G. McCauley for the sum of \$5.00. Enclosed is a copy of the authority from the Government Contracts Supervision Committee. A cheque in favour of the Receiver General should be forwarded to this Department.

Your obedient servant,

Encl.

[Handwritten signature]
S. Lovell, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

[Handwritten signature]
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



128-1-5

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



291-135

The Pas, Manitoba,
Sept. 10th. 1934.



Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of an offer of \$10.00 from a Mr. Thomas Lamb of Moose Lake, Manitoba, for the septic tank at the Mackay School residence, Mr. Lamb to do all the necessary work in the removing of this tank, should his offer be accepted by the Department.

His offer seems fair in view of the fact that there is no probability of this tank being used again and it is just going to waste.

An early reply will be appreciated as the fall season is so short here, and if this offer is accepted Mr. Lamb wishes to move tank right away.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell.
S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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128-1-5.



Ottawa, September 15, 1934.

Sir:

This Department has, surplus to requirements, at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, Man., a septic tank. The local Indian Agent has received an offer of \$10.00 for this equipment. The tank is still in the ground and the party to whom he can arrange for its sale will remove the tank. The Agent states that the amount offered is a very fair price.

I shall be pleased to receive a Minute, authorizing the sale - the proceeds to be forwarded for credit of the Receiver General.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.



Lt. Colonel L. H. Beer,
Gov. Contracts Supervision Committee,
O t t a w a, Ont.

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SALVAGE 7706

Ottawa, Sept. 17, 1934.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

128-1-5

DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS STORES -

Value - \$10.00

Authority is granted for the sale of the
following to-

ONE (1) septic tank \$10.00

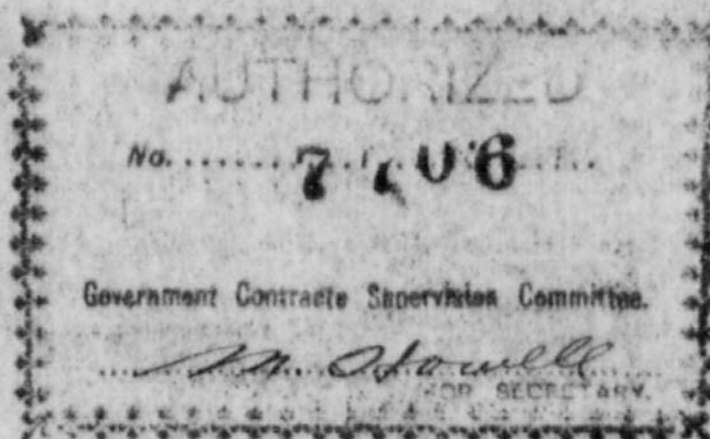
Ex- The Pas, Man.

Purchaser to pay all expenses in connection
with removal and transportation.

Payment on delivery.

Name of purchaser to be advised Salvage
Officer.

MH.



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Minute No. SALVAGE 7706

128-1-5
G.C.S.C. File No.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 18 1934

GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS SUPERVISION COMMITTEE

Ottawa, Sept. 17, 1934

Department INDIAN AFFAIRS

File No. 128-1-5

Req. No.

P.C. No.

SUBJECT: DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS STORES

Value \$10.00

Authority is granted for the sale of the following:-

ONE (1) septic tank \$10.00

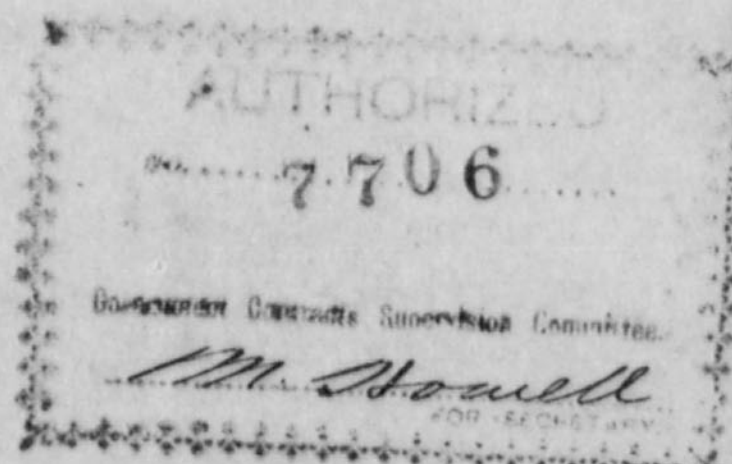
Ex- The Pas, Man.

Purchaser to pay all expenses in connection with removal and transportation.

Payment on delivery.

Name of purchaser to be advised Salvage Officer.

MH.



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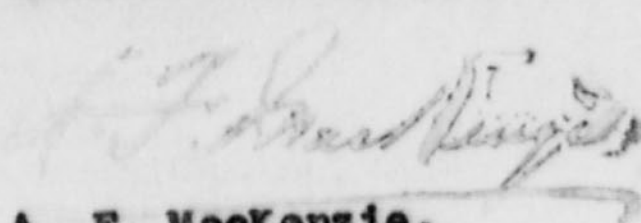
Ottawa, Sept. 19, 1934.

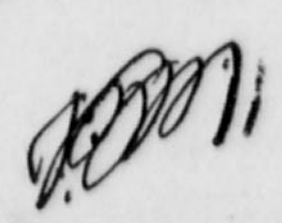
Re: Minute No. Salvage 7706.

Sir:

With reference to the above, I beg to advise you that the septic tank surplus to requirements at the MacKay Indian Residential School is being sold to Mr. Thomas Lamb, of Moose Lake, Man., for the sum of \$10.00 - the purchaser to pay all expenses in connection with the removal and transportation of the tank.

Your obedient servant,


A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.



Lt. Colonel L. H. Beer,
Gov. Contracts Supervision Committee,
O t t a w a, O n t.

Ottawa, Sept. 19, 1934.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 10th instant, regarding the offer you received for the purchase of the septic tank at the MacKay Indian Residential School residence.

In reply I have to say that the Department will approve of you arranging for the sale of the tank to Mr. Thomas Lamb for the sum of \$10.00 - the purchaser to pay all expenses in connection with the removal and transportation of the tank. Enclosed is a copy of the authority from the Government Contracts Supervision Committee for the sale of the tank. You should obtain the amount from the purchaser and forward a cheque for same, in favour of the Receiver General.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

JS
Encl.

AM
S. Lovell, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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DUPLICATE, FOR DEPARTMENT.

No.

Bank of Montreal,

\$ 15.00

Ottawa, Sept. 14th 1934

Dept. of Indian Affairs.

RECEIVED from S. Lovell.

on account Dept. of Indian Affairs.

the sum of Fifteen.....00/100 Dollars,
which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this
Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

B. Graves

Pro. Manager.

Ent'd.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

No

647

\$ 15⁰⁰

Sept 10th 19³⁴

Received

from

W^m Marshall -

J. H. Pas

Thirteen

Dollars

for

Sawing machine table from McRae School
paid to J. Lovell Esq.

J. Lovell

W. Marshall

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290-135

The Pas, Manitoba,
Sept. 10th. 1934.

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to reply to your letter of the 31st, ultimo, No. 128-1-5 regarding authorized sale of the Mackay School sawing machine table, per the salvage authority No. 7674.

I beg to state that I sold this table to better advantage to a Mr. William Marshall of The Pas, for \$15.00 instead of the offer from Mr. A. McCauley of \$5.00

I attach herewith cheque #118143 payable to The Receiver General for \$15.00 together with receipt No. 647, trusting this will meet with your approval.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

128-1-5

BANK RECEIPT No.

Amt. \$15.00 chq

Date SEP 13 1934 19
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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

319-135

The Pas, Manitoba,
Sept. 24th. 1934.

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to reply to your letter
No. 128-1-5 of the 19th, instant, regarding the
authority granted to sell the septic tank at the
Mackay Indian Residential School residence.

I beg to advise on further investigation
I find this tank is made out of cement and impos-
sible to move.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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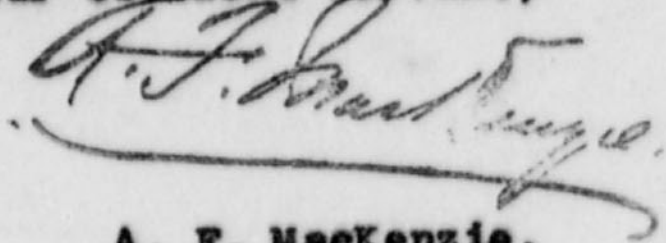
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Ottawa, April 15, 1935.

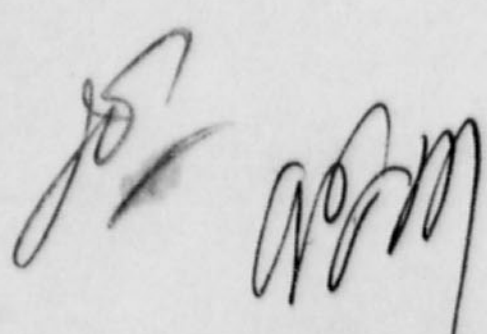
Sir:

With reference to Minute No. Salvage 7706, dated September 17, 1934, authorizing the disposal of a septic tank, surplus to requirements at the Mackay Indian Residential School, The Pas, Man., I have now to inform you that the sale of this tank was not carried through.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.



Lt. Colonel L. H. Beer,
Gov. Contracts Supervision Committee,
O t t a w a,
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SALVAGE 8035

Ottawa, April 16, 1935.

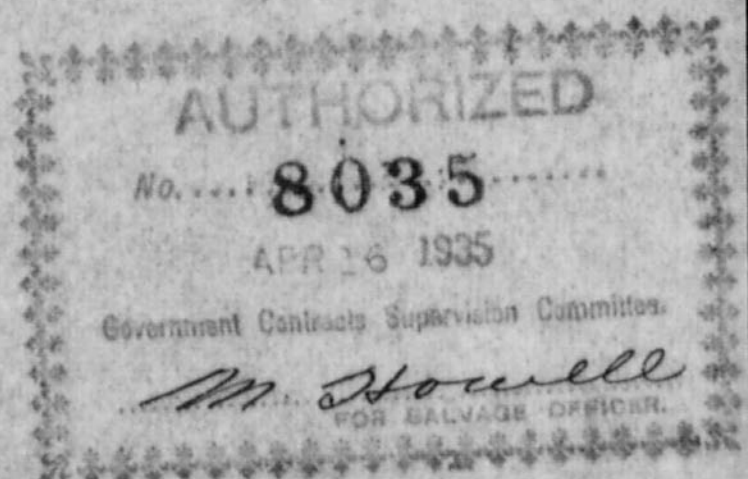
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128-1-5

DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS STORES - Mr. Thos. Lamb,
Moose Lake, Man.
Reduced Value - \$10.00

Salvage Minute 7706 dated September
17th., 1934, covering the sale of ONE (1) old
septic tank to Mr. Thos. Lamb is hereby cancelled.

MH.



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Ottawa, April 16, 1935.

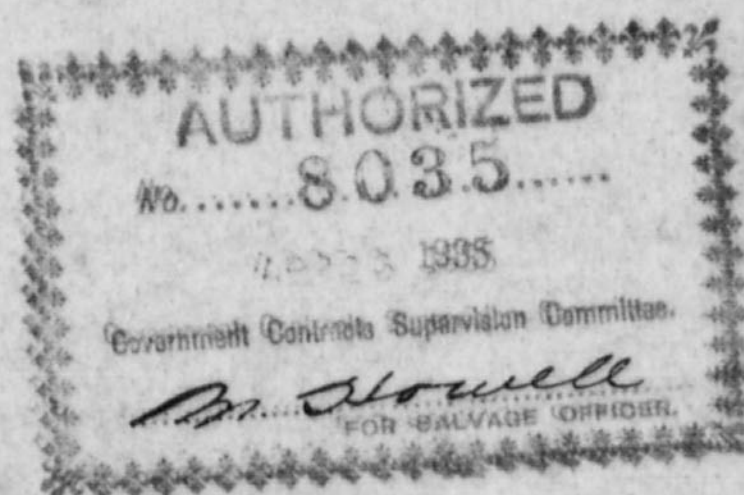
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Minute No. **SALVAGE 8035**

G.C.S.C. File No.

GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS SUPERVISION COMMITTEE

Ottawa, April 16, 1935.

Date

Department **INDIAN AFFAIRS**

File No. **128-1-5**

Req. No.

APR 17 1935

P.C. No.

SUBJECT:— **DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS STORES - Mr. Thos. Lamb,**

Moose Lake, Man.

Reduced Value - \$10.00

Salvage Minute 7706 dated September
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MH.



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128-1-5

Aug. on - -111-1-5.

Ottawa, December 17, 1935.

Dear Sir:

I have your 306-11A of the 10th instant, regarding the condition of the electric lighting plant at the File Hills Residential School and suggesting that the lighting plant which was operated at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, be forwarded for use at the File Hills School.

In this connection I would say that the batteries, switch board and small engine, which operated the plant at the MacKay School, were sent to the Guy Indian Residential School in the summer of 1933. The Department is not aware of what further part of the electric light equipment used at the MacKay Residential School remains on hand at The Pas. However, we are writing Mr. Agent Lovell and requesting him to state what part of the plant is on hand and its present condition.

Yours truly,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

W. Murison, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Inspector's Office,
Regina, Sask.

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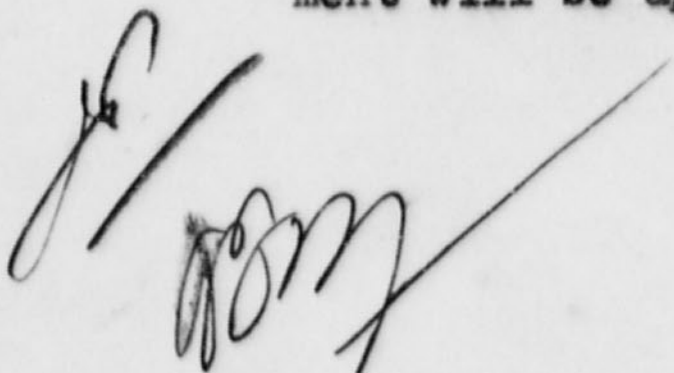
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Ottawa, December 17, 1935.

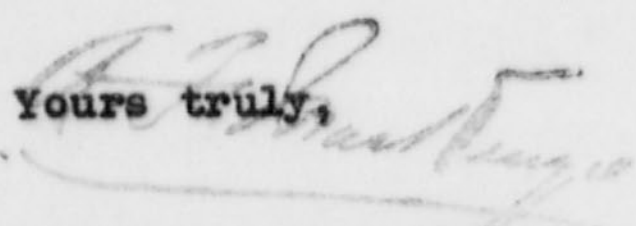
Dear Sir:

The Department has received a request that the electric light plant which was operated at the MacKay Indian Residential School be transferred for use at the File Hills Indian Residential School, Balcarres, Sask.

In July, 1933, Mr. Inspector Hamilton was requested to arrange with you for the packing of the batteries, switch board and small gasoline engine used in operating the plant and to ship same to the Guy Indian Residential School. We are, therefore, not aware what part, if any, of the electric light plant is on hand at The Pas. I would request that you inform the Department, as soon as possible, if any part of this electric light plant is stored at The Pas and its present condition. Would you consider that the equipment on hand would be serviceable for use at the school mentioned above? Any information you can give regarding this equipment will be appreciated.



S. Lovell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.



A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

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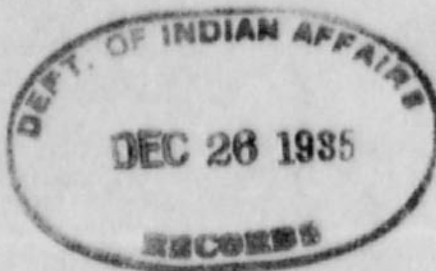


OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

128-1-5
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The Pas, Man.,

Dec. 25, 1935.



[Handwritten signature]
Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter 128-1-5, dated the 17th instant, I beg to advise that the only part of the electric light plant of the McKay School we have on hand at this Agency is a generator, which we would be pleased to ship anywhere you direct, as it of no use here.

I do not think however it would be of any use to Mile Hills School either, as it is 125 volt D.C. generator and I understand their plant is 32 volt.

I believe the generator is in good condition, though it has never been tested or used since it was salvaged from the McKay School.

Your obedient servant,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Samuel Lovell
Indian Agent.

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- C O P Y -

128-1-5.

Orig. on..... 111-1-5.

Ottawa, December 28, 1935.

Dear Sir:

In further reference to your 306-11A, of the 10th instant, regarding the condition of the electric lighting plant at the File Hills Indian Residential School, and suggesting that the plant which was operated at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, be forwarded for use at the File Hills School, I have to say that Mr. Agent Lovell, The Pas, states the only part of the electric light plant of the MacKay School on hand is a generator. It is considered, however, that it would not be of any use at the File Hills School, as it is a 125 volt generator, while the plant at the File Hills School is 32 volts. The Department is therefore taking no action to have this generator shipped to the File Hills School.

Yours truly,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

W. Murison, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Inspector's Office,
R e g i n a, Sask.

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WINNIPEG, MAN. October 18, 1937.

R.A. Hoey, Esq.,
Supt. of Welfare & Training,
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Mr. Hoey:-

In the comprehensive list of requirements for our Society's Schools for the fiscal year 1938-39, which I forwarded to you on the 15th inst., a new school on the Hudson Bay Railway was included. Shortly after I posted my letter to you I received the following information from the Rev. D.L. Greene, B.A., Rector of the Anglican Parish in The Pas, Manitoba:

"There is a magnificent outfit of buildings at Cormorant Lake-property of the Air Base-that are lying idle. The suggestion has been made by someone-that they would make an excellent plant for an Indian School. Cormorant is at Mile 42, Hudson Bay Railway."

I myself know nothing whatever about these buildings, and while the location appears to me to be too much to one side of the vast area to be served by the school required, I thought it well to forward the information to you for any action you may feel disposed to take in the matter. Should the buildings mentioned be made available for the use of your Department, and should you agree to their being adapted to Indian Residential School work under the management of our Society, I would gladly undertake to inspect them in company with any representative of your Department you might name, and furnish you with a report of their suitability for the purpose suggested. While I am of the opinion that these buildings, considering the purpose for which they were originally established, are not likely to prove suitable for a large and permanent Indian Residential School, I feel that there is a possibility they might be made to serve for a few years for a limited number of pupils, until funds are available to provide the permanent structure required.

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As the need of a School for the Anglican Indian children in the vast area between the Pas and the Western shore of Hudson Bay, has been dealt with in my letter of the 15th inst., I need not deal further with it now, but our desire to give these children the benefits which such a School would provide has prompted me to furnish you with the information received about the buildings at Cormorant Lake.

Yours very truly,

L. A. R. Westgate

TBRW/WH

Secretary of the Commission.

Ottawa, October 21, 1937.

Dear Colonel Smart:

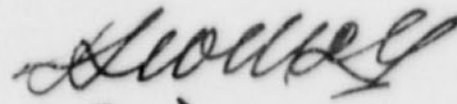
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I am anxious to know if there are at Cormorant Lake buildings that are no longer occupied or in use and if such buildings would be available, should we decide to investigate their suitability for the purpose that Dr. Westgate suggests.

Yours very truly,

Encl.



Director.

Colonel V. I. Smart,
Deputy Minister,
Department of Transport,
O t t a w a.

128-1-5



DEPUTY MINISTER OF TRANSPORT
OTTAWA, CANADA

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October 25th, 1937.



Dear Doctor McGill:

This will acknowledge your letter of October 21st, enclosing copy of one from Dr. T. B. R. Westgate, Field Secretary of the Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada, requesting the use of certain buildings at Cormorant Lake as an Indian school.

The buildings referred to belong to the Department of National Defence, and it is suggested that you communicate with that department.

Yours faithfully,

V. F. Swort.

Doctor H. W. McGill,
Director,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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EX'D.

Ottawa, October 28, 1937.

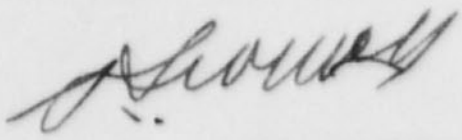
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 Encl.
Director.

Lt.-Col. L. R. LaFleche, D.S.O.,
Deputy Minister,
Department of National Defence,
Ottawa, Ont.



128-1-5
Department of National Defence

D.M.

Ottawa, Canada,

November 22, 1937.

QUOTE NO. 921-13-4.



Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter dated 28th October with which you enclosed a communication, forwarded to you by Dr. Westgate, concerning the buildings remaining at Cormorant Lake, Manitoba.

|| Cormorant Lake is used each summer by Royal Canadian Air Force aircraft proceeding to the Northwest Territories and returning. This base is still required for refuelling and as an overnight stopping place for crews. A permanent caretaker is in residence in the mess building, and while we maintain a fuel cache at this point it is essential that he remain. Accommodation for the caretaker and the officers and airmen using the station and a storage building for fuel are essential.

With the exception of the mess building (used as the caretaker's residence all year round) all other buildings were constructed for summer use only. ||

This Department is desirous of assisting you as much as possible in this matter, and it is suggested that you have all buildings, with the exception of the mess building, viewed by a competent individual to ascertain if any would suit your purpose, and on receipt of further and more definite information from you it is hoped some satisfactory arrangement can be made.

Yours very truly,

L.R. LaFleche
for (L.R. LaFleche)
Deputy Minister.

Director,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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EX'D.

Ottawa, November 29, 1937.

Re: Buildings at Cormorant Lake

Dear Dr. Westgate:

May I refer to your letter of October 18th, in which you informed me that there were certain buildings at Cormorant Lake that might be temporarily used as a residential school for Indian pupils.

I may state that the Department is in receipt of a letter from the Deputy Minister of National Defence, which reads in part as follows:-

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"With the exception of the mess building (used as the caretaker's residence all year round) all other buildings were constructed for summer use only."

It is just possible that there might be available one or two comparatively small buildings not now in use by the Department of National Defence. I am not at all sure, however that these buildings would be suitable for the purpose you have in mind. I have been wondering if it

- would be

Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D.D.,
Field Secretary, M.S.E.C.,
38-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Avenue,
Winnipeg, Man.

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would be possible to have one of your Missionaries make an inspection of the buildings and let us have an additional report. If you do this, I shall be glad to go into the matter more fully when the report reaches the Department.

Yours very sincerely,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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WINNIPEG, MAN. January 15, 1938.

R.A. Hoey, Esq.,
Supt. of Welfare & Training,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ont.



Dear Mr. Hoey:-

Re: Buildings at Cormorant Lake, Man.

Immediately after receiving your letter of November 29th last, #128-1-5 re the above-mentioned buildings, I arranged with the Rev. David L. Greene, B.A., Rector of Christ Church at the Pas, Man., to visit Cormorant Lake, and furnish the additional report you desired. His report reached me yesterday, and a copy of the same is enclosed herewith, accompanied by a sketch showing the relative location of the buildings.

As the Anglican Indians in the area between The Pas and the western shores of Hudson's Bay number 2,270 the need of Residential School facilities for their children is quite obvious, and while some of the buildings at Cormorant Lake might be utilized for this purpose for a limited period, and also for a limited pupilage, the need can only be adequately met by the erection of a school building with a capacity of 200 pupils, either at this or some other place along the Hudson Bay Railway, as soon as sufficient funds can be secured for this purpose.

As the need of this institution has been incorporated in the comprehensive list of requirements submitted by our Commission to your Department each year for a number of years past, I trust that some way may soon be found of meeting the same.

Yours very truly,

Secretary of the Commission.

TBRW/WH
ENCL. 2

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COPY

Christ Church Rectory,
The Pas, Man.,
Jan. 12th, 1938.

Rev. T.B.R. Westgate, D.D.,
Sec. Indian & Eskimo Res. Schools,
Commission,
Winnipeg, Man.

Re Airbase buildings at Cormorant Lake

Dear Doctor Westgate:-

In compliance with your request I looked over these buildings on Monday and am favourably impressed with their possibilities for a temporary school at least. I have sketched a rough plan of the layout and will refer to the buildings in order as they appear from the left side of paper.

1. This is a frame building approximately 22' x 42'. It was the men's sleeping quarters and the caretaker told me it had 17 beds. It is lined with gyproc and at present is occupied by the caretaker and his wife who say it is a very comfortable house.

2. This is a large log construction. Logs are varnished and present a beautiful rustic appearance. It was the Officers Mess etc. The width is approximately 21'. There are two rooms each 33' long. The centre room was the main dining room. Then comes a 12' room which was officers' dining hall separated from the lounge or common room by an arch. The lounge is 19' long and has a nice fireplace. The kitchen 22' square opens into main dining room. It is well equipped with cupboards, etc. and still has a large range for cooking. Outside of kitchen is an ample refrigerator for use with ice. Over the front entrance is a commodious verandah.

3. This is a frame building also lined with gyproc. It is 22' by 42' and divided into three rooms- a large common room and two bedrooms 12 x 11. It was the Officer's quarters.

4. This was the store room about 22' x 50. It is lined with gyproc and is divided as indicated in sketch. The flooring is not so good as the others being rough spruce. This building has been disposed of to the Bishop of Keewatin for removal to Gillam for a residence for the Missionary. I understand it is to be demolished for this purpose in the spring and shipped to Gillam.

5. The radio house, a frame building about 30 feet square. The caretaker occupied this for a time and says he could re-occupy it if his present residence were required for school purposes.

6. An old log store room about 18 x 20.

7. The hangar, a magnificent oval roofed building about 96' x 80. Roof is supported by steel girders and floor is cement. This would make a wonderful indoor playground. There are tennis or badminton courts already marked out on it. All along each side are compartments formed by the supports for the girders that would make splendid places for work benches etc.

8. The workshop with door leading from hangar. This is bright and airy room with a high ceiling. It is about 32' x 48' and would make two admirable school rooms. Along the side of this room are the electric light engine room, furnace rooms, and coal bin. The dynamo has been removed but the whole plant is wired for lighting. The furnace is still there but the blower has been removed.

There are some smaller constructions such as oil houses, gas tanks, and

workshop. There is also a bath house equipped with showers (which I have used in days past.)

General: Since these buildings were erected by the Government, they are well built and being lined with gyproc are quite usable in winter. Of course I do not know what the Air Force would have to reserve for their re-fuelling service but there should be ample space left for a school of thirty-five or forty children in my opinion. The buildings are nicely situated on a high ridge overlooking the lake. I would say that the proposition warrants further looking into by yourself or some other member of the Commission and would suggest that the matter be followed up. If there are any questions you wish to ask me further I shall be pleased to try to answer. I would point out that the dimensions which I have given are not absolutely accurate for we did not go over it all with a rule, but they are approximately correct.

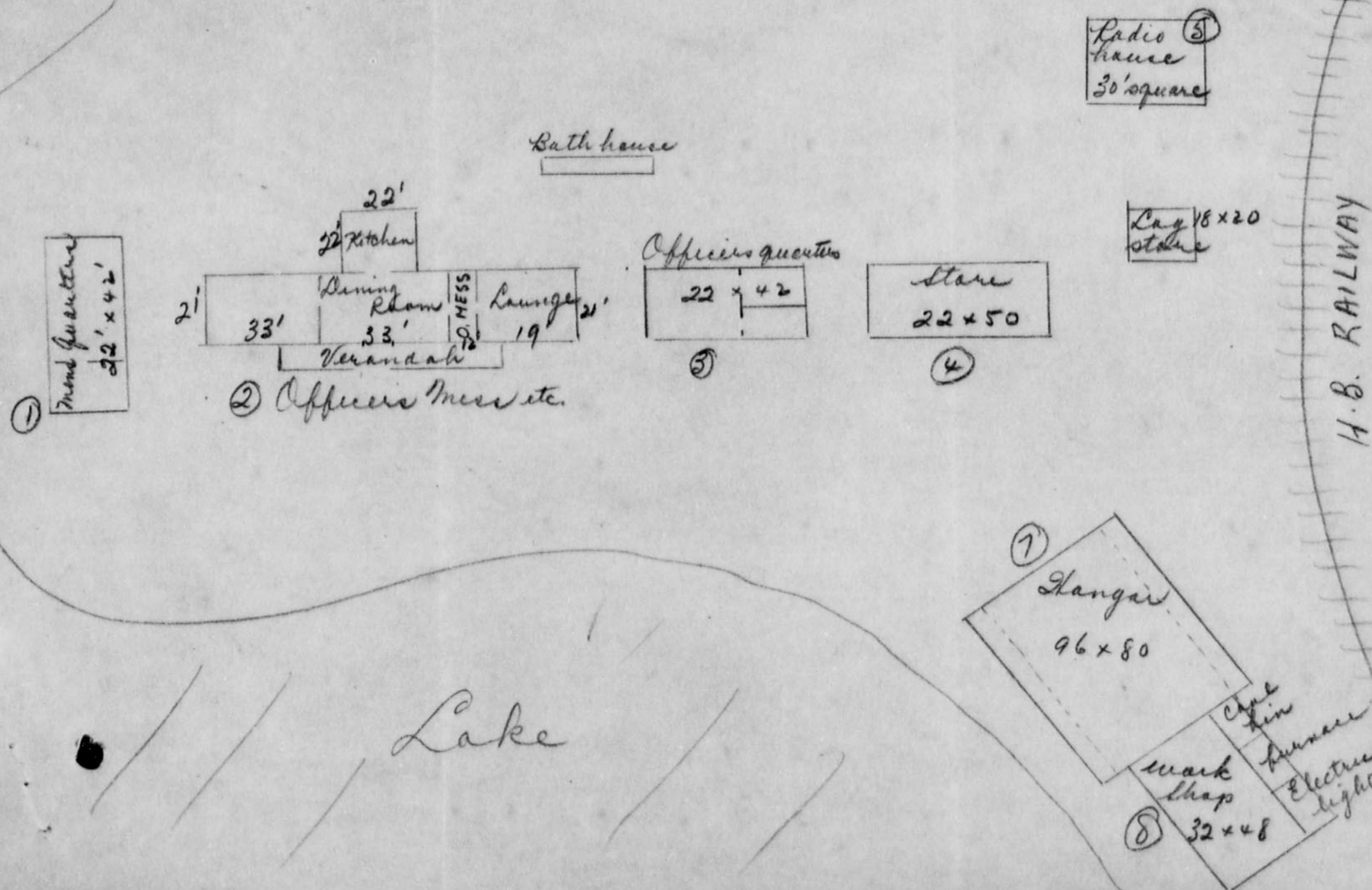
Trusting that the information given may be of some use to you in considering the project, and wishing you all good things for 1938.

Yours sincerely,

(Sgd) David L. Greene

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Air Base
Cormorant Lake.



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Air Base

Section
house

Lake.

Mainitaba
Forestry
Bldgs.

H.B. RAILWAY

About a quarter mile
from village to air
base.

Church.

Station

Commandant
Village

Population
180

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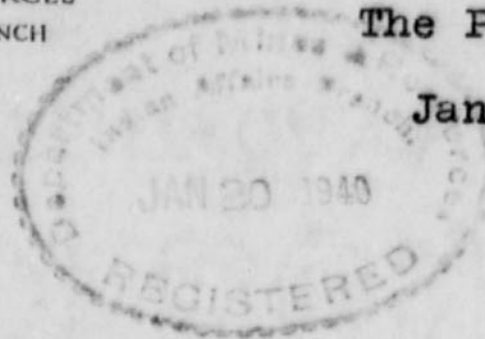


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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

128-1-5
PLEASE QUOTE
FILE _____

The Pas, Man.,

Jan. 16, 1940.



[Handwritten signature]
Dear Sir,

There are two pressure tanks at the old McKay School that were salvaged when the building burned down. They have been outside even since exposed to the weather and are naturally deteriorating. They are no use to us and I have received an offer of \$25.00 each for them from Mr. Frechette, of The Pas. I consider this a fair offer and I recommend that it be accepted.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa,
January 23, 1940.

Memorandum:

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R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Ottawa,
January 23, 1940.

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R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

[Handwritten signature]

*Mr. Westhill
Ref. your memo
hereunder.*

128-1-5

SALVAGE 13569
S. 3149

January 30, 1940.

MINES & RESOURCES
(Indian Affairs Branch)
Mr. Frechette,
The Pas, Manitoba.

20 I.A. Man.

50.00

Authority is granted for the sale
of the following to Mr. Frechette:

2 Pressure Tanks @ \$25.00 ea. \$50.00

Ex - McKay Indian Residential School,
The Pas, Manitoba.

Purchaser to pay all expenses in
connection with removal and delivery.

Payment as required by the Department.

M. Howell



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Ottawa,
February 5, 1940.

EXD.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 16th ultimo you may accept the offer of \$25.00 from Mr. Frechette for two pressure tanks at the old McKay Indian Residential School. I enclose copy of Minute issued by the Salvage Officer.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.



Mr. S. Lovell,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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TREASURY OFFICE

Ottawa, March 19th., 1940.

MEMORANDUM: SUPT. OF WELFARE & TRAINING.

Salvage Minute 13569 - Jan. 30/40.

Authority was granted by the above Salvage Minute for the sale of two Pressure Tanks to Mr. Frechette of The Pas, Man. We do not appear to have received the proceeds from this sale and as the Audit Office has made inquiry regarding this revenue, I would be pleased to have it brought to account.

Chief Treasury Officer.

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JHF/D.

Ottawa,
March 20, 1940.

EXD.

Dear Sir:

I desire to refer you to my letter of the 5th ultimo authorizing you to accept the offer of \$25.00 from Mr. Frechette for two pressure tanks at the old McKay Indian Residential School.

Please let me know at once if Mr. Frechette has accepted delivery of these and, if so, you should forward the amount mentioned above.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. S. Lovell,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

OFFICE OF THE
INDIAN AGENT



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DEPARTMENT
OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

128-1-5
PLEASE QUOTE
FILE _____

The Pas, Man.,

March 28, 1940.



L. Schepke
Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter 128-1-5, dated the 20th instant, I beg to advise that Mr. Frechette has not yet taken delivery of the two pressure tanks at the old McKay Residential School.

I have spoken to him about it several times. I will take it up again with him at the first opportunity.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa,
April 2, 1940.

EXD.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Salvage Minute 13569. June 30, 1940.

I am in receipt of your memorandum of March 19 regarding the sale of two pressure tanks to Mr. Frechette of The Pas, Manitoba. The Indian Agent was written and in a letter dated the 28th ultimo he replies as follows:

"In reply to your letter 128-1-5, dated the 20th instant, I beg to advise that Mr. Frechette has not yet taken delivery of the two pressure tanks at the old McKay Residential School.

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"I have spoken to him about it several times. I will take it up again with him at the first opportunity."

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

*Auditor's enquiry
of July 23 1940
"Anything further to Report?"*

Ottawa,
July 25, 1940.

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Dear Sir:

I desire to refer to official letters of February 5 and March 20 last and also your letter of March 28 in connection with the offer of \$25.00 from Mr. Frechette for two pressure tanks at the old McKay Indian Residential School.

In the last paragraph of your letter of March 28 you stated that you intended to take up this matter with Mr. Frechette at the first opportunity. Please let me know at once if you have seen him recently and, if so, when he intends to take possession of these tanks, at which time the amount of \$25.00 should be forwarded to the Department.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Mr. S. Lovell,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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File No. 128-1-5

Credit Advice

ME

September 3rd, 1940.

The following remittance has been received from

Indian Agent Samuel Lovell at The Pas Agency

and recorded in the Official Cash Book. Folio 138

Amount \$ 50.00

Agency Receipt No. 9920 dated August 8th, 1940,

Payer N. Frechette on account of 2 old pressure boilers
salvaged from the McKay School - The Pas - Casual Revenue.

EXD.
G.D.

J. H. Fee
For Treasury Branch.

C. T. 231
5M-23-1-40

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SUBJECT BUILDINGS , ACCOUNTS , ETC.

MACKAY RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL

CORRESPONDENCE FROM APRIL 1933

TO SEPT. 1940

NO FURTHER CORRESPONDENCE

TO BE PLACED ON THIS FILE

NOTE: For subsequent correspondence relevant to the subject matter of this closed file see

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The Pas, August, 19th. 1912.

We the undersigned Chief, and Principal men of the Pas Band of Indians hereby agree that if for any reason the Department of Indian Affairs should wish to build the Indian Boarding School on the main land, we will exchange the following described land for an equal quantity on Fisher Island

Starting at Poplar post on mainland of Pas Reserve, 10 ft. from water line, and situated at point closest to Fisher Island approximately 350 feet from Island, and running on a magnetic bearing of N. 71° 00' E. for a distance of 4⁵ chains, from thence at right angles to said line in direction of N. 19° 00' W. for a distance of 20 chains: from thence at right angles to last line and parallel to first mentioned line to shore of Atic-A-Make Lake.

Said description containing about 80 acres.

The Department of Indian Affairs are to choose the part of the said Fisher Island, to be given us in the exchange.

Witness

S. J. Jackson

*Antoine Constant
David x Cook
Norman x Lathin
Patrick Constant
Peter x Bignell
Samuel x Lathin
Louis ^{his} Partridge
Frank x Ross
Benjamin x McGillivray*

418535

DOMINION OF CANADA, :
 Province of Manitoba :
 County of The Pas. :
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To Wit
 in the Province of Manitoba.

Inspector of Indian Agencies and Antoine Constant, Chief of the
 said Band of Indians, of The Pas, Manitoba.

AND the said Samuel Jacob Jackson for himself saith:-

That the annexed release or surrender was assented to by a
 majority of the male members of the said Band of Indians of The
 Pas Agency, of the full age of twenty one years then present.

That such assent was given at a meeting or council of the
 said Band summoned for that purpose and according to its rules.

That he was present at such meeting or council and heard
 such assent given.

That he was duly authorized to attend such council or meeting
 by the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

That no Indian was present or voted at said council or meeting
 who was not a member of the Band or interested in the land
 mentioned in the said Release or Surrender.

And the said Antoine Constant, Chief of The Pas Band says:

That the annexed Release or Surrender was assented to by him and a
 majority of the male members of the said Band of Indians of the
 full age of twenty one years then present.

That such assent was given at a meeting or Council of the said
 Band of Indians summoned for that purpose, according to its rules,
 and held in the presence of the said Samuel Jacob Jackson.

That no Indian was present or voted at such Council or meeting
 who was not a habitual resident on the Reserve of the said Band
 of Indians or interested in the land mentioned in the said Release
 or Surrender.

That he is a Chief of the said Band of Indians and entitled to
 vote at the said Meeting or Council.

SWORN before me by the Said :
 Deponents at the Town of Le Pas :
 this twentieth day of August, :
 A.D. 1912. :

S. J. Jackson
Antoine Constant

Gideon Halerow Sr.
J.P.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS :-

That we, the undersigned Chief and Principal men of
The Pas Band of Indians.

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Resident on our Reserve in the Province of Manitoba and Dominion
of Canada, for and acting on behalf of the whole people of our
said Band in Council assembled, do hereby release, remise, surrender,
quit claim and yield up unto Our Sovereign Lord the King, his Heirs
and successors forever, ALL AND SINGULAR, that certain parcel or
tract of land, situate, lying and being in the Pas Indian Reserve,
in the Province of Manitoba, being composed of Fisher Island and
containing 349.70 acres more or less.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same unto His said Majesty The King, his
Heirs and successors forever for the purpose of an Indian Boarding
School.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our
seals this nineteenth day of August in the year of Our Lord one
thousand nine hundred and twelve.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered)

IN THE PRESENCE OF)

B. J. Jackson

Antoine Constant
David x Cook
Norman x Lathlin
Patrick Constant
Peter x Bignell
Samuel + Lathlin
Luis + Partridge
Fred K + Ross
Benjamin + McGillivray

REF. No. 841.

OFFICE OF THE

INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENTS

LAKE MANITOBA INSPECTORATE

STONEWALL, MAN.

418555

373371



Sir,

As instructed in your letter of the 25th. of April, No. 373371/1, and after the treaty payments were over, I took up the question of a site for the Le Pas Indian Boarding School with the Chief and Council of that band. I took them up to the Big Eddy part of the reserve, about four miles from the town, as we all agreed that the quantity of land required could not be had on the reserve any closer to Le Pas than that point. There are eleven houses starting on the high land there, nearest to Le Pas, spread along the ridge for about one half a mile, about seventy feet elevation above the river, and we started to look for a site, and I engaged three Indians to cut lines and dig pits about a quarter of a mile north of the last house. We ran a line for about a quarter of a mile straight east through thick bush, (I might say that all of this part of the reserve is what may be called thick bush), and found that after we had gone one hundred yards we struck dry muskeg with hard stony bottom, and this continued for all the distance we ran the line.

I then went to Fisher Island, which is also completely covered with poplar bush, and went through it from south to north, about three quarters of a mile, without cutting a line, but had an Indian with a spade to dig small pits to enable us to judge the character of the soil. We found the soil so good that I decided to have two lines cut across and the long way of the Island, so that I could have the levels taken and determine if it was high enough above the water for the purpose required. Mr. Stewart, a Civil Engineer, and myself took the levels, and we found on this Island everything required, good soil, high level, excellent drainage, a good lime stone quarry on the northwest quarter of about twenty five acres,

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and as good water can be had, in wells all over this country, north of the Saskatchewan river, we can feel assured of that most important consideration for a site for such a building. Mr Fischer after looking over all the reserve, came to the same conclusion that in this whole north country, it would be hard to find another spot of the same size as good. I had test pits put down every three hundred feet on the lines cut and the soil was uniformly good.

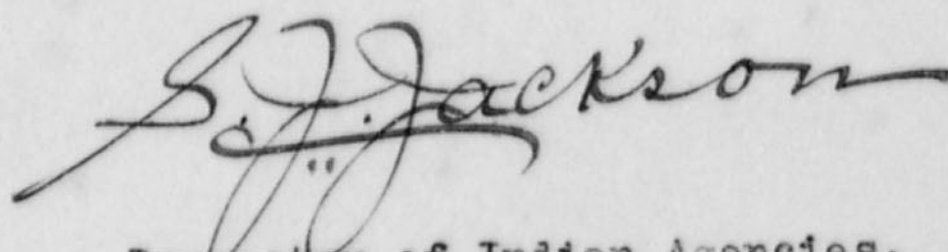
I send you a tracing made by the Engineer showing the Island on a large scale, and also on a small scale, with the alternate eighty acres on the main land, and the levels of the island are also shown. There is a plateau on Fisher Island 2200 feet by 3400 feet, which lies from 20 to 28 feet above the present water level. You will notice by the profile a spot twenty^{eight} feet above water level, and this is the proper location for the school, perfect drainage, as in 500 feet there is eighteen feet of a drop in the island, a great place for pits, if you wish to purify the sewage. Within one quarter of a mile of this site is situated the limestone quarry with enough good rubble stone to build all the buildings required.

I also ran a line, from a point on the main line nearest the Island, east for about a ^{half} quarter of a mile, and found that the land for about nine hundred ^{feet} yards is fairly good, then for 900 feet it is muskeg nearly to the bottom of the ridge. There is then a sudden rise of hill too steep for teams in the next 350 feet, or in all 2150 feet from the water to the ridge road. This line is just ninety yards north of the last house. All this high ridge is solid gravel fourteen feet deep to blue clay as shown by two wells at the Indian houses. There is from six to twelve inches of fair soil on the top of this gravel, and potatoes grow very well in a wet season, but are not a success in a dry one. This eighty acres alternate mentioned would be

a good site for the buildings, if nothing more was required, but in view of all the requirements I would strongly recommend the Island as the building site.

I enclose you surrender of the Island, and attached thereto a resolution re the alternate eighty acres, passed unanimously by the band, which speaks for itself. I also send you my office copy of the reserve showing where we ran the lines, and would like same returned. If the Department decide to take the Island, it will be necessary at once to clear off bush say twenty acres, and I would suggest that while I am at Le Pas, I be authorized to get the Indians to clear this land. To connect this Island with the main land by a pile bridge sixteen feet wide will cost about \$ 2500.00, three hundred and fifty feet with at present four feet of water. I got a rough estimate of cost from the Finger Lumber Company.

Yours truly,



J.D. McLean, Esq.,

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Asst. Deputy and Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ontario



Ottawa, Sept. 3, 1912.

Mr. Pedley,-

Mr. Inspector Jackson, acting under instructions given him in April, last, to select a site for the proposed new boarding school at The Pas, reports that after going into the question of a suitable site with the Chief and Councillors and a careful examination of the different places suggested by himself and Mr. Stewart, a Civil Engineer, he is satisfied that Fisher Island is admirably adapted for the school. It contains about 350 acres, good soil, high level, excellent drainage and a good limestone quarry of about 25 acres and good water can be had. Mr. Fischer, our Agent, came to the same conclusion. They also examined a suggested site on the Big Eddy part of the reserve, about four miles from the town, and came to the conclusion that the quantity of land required could not be *on the Reserve any closer to the Pas than that point* had and that the soil was unsuitable. Mr. Jackson obtained a surrender of the Island site and attached thereto a resolution re. the alternate eighty acres, agreeing to exchange this site for an equal quantity ~~on the~~ of land on Fisher Island should the Department wish to place the school on the mainland.

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In view of Mr. Jackson's report Fisher Island is the most suitable site for a boarding school and the Department would do well to accept the surrender and have it put through Council in the usual way.

I may mention that there were no tenders received for the erection of the school at The Pas, which were called for sometime ago, and it is too late to do anything this fall, but the surrender could be accepted and tenders called for next spring.

Mark Benson

REF. NO. 858.

373371



OFFICE OF THE

INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES,

LAKE MANITOBA INSPECTORATE,

STONEWALL, MAN., September, 3rd. 1912.

419214

Sir,

I enclose you a copy of Mr. Fischer's letter to me re,
the site for the Boarding school at Le Pas, which speaks for itself.

Yours truly,

S. J. Jackson
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

J.D. McLean, Esq.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ontario.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL.

OTTAWA. September 19, 1912.

The Lands Branch, -

Please let me have a
report as to surrender.


D. S. G. I. A.

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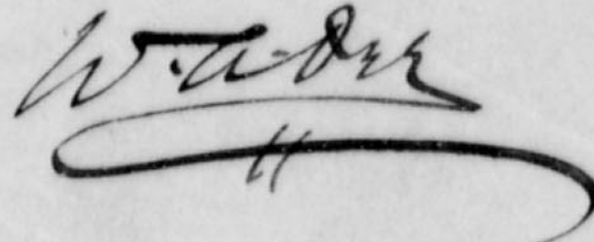
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M E M O R A N D U M.

Ottawa, September 20, 1912.

To the Deputy Minister-

In regard to the question of surrender of land for the Boarding School at The Pas, I beg to say that in letter addressed Inspector Jackson of the 25th of April last, he was only instructed to obtain a resolution in writing signed by the Chief and Councillors. The Inspector has obtained this consent in the form of a surrender, but as a surrender is not essential, a resolution being sufficient, the consent given may be taken as the consent of the Indians to the use of this portion of land on their reserve for school purposes, and submission of same to Council would not be necessary.



In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

REF. NO. 866.

373371



OFFICE OF THE

INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES,

LAKE MANITOBA INSPECTORATE,

The Pas,
~~EXETER~~ MAN., September, 18th. 1912.

Sir,

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On the 16th. inst. Bishop Newnham being in town, I took Advantage of the occasion and gave him and the Anglican Clergyman here Rev. Mr. Fraser, a trip up to the site recommended by me for the location of the Indian Boarding, in my letter No 841 of date the 23rd. ult. We spent a long afternoon in the

viewing of the different possible positions on the reserve where 320 acres could be selected for the purpose of a boarding school.

The Bishop was very much pleased with Fisher Island, and said that he would have very much pleasure in agreeing with my recommendation as to that site, for the school.

I have in view two parties who will clear 20 acres on the Island, and put into cordwood what timber is fit for that purpose, and I would recommend that instructions be sent me at an early date to have the work done.

I would also recommend that authority be sent me to have a well put down on the clearing made, it will be required by the Contractor when building operations are on, but the main thing is, it will be a test, as to the water supply on the Island

Yours truly,

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

J. D. McLean, Esq.

Asst. Deputy, & Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ontario.

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EXD.

Ottawa, November 27, 1912.

Sir,-

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I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letters of September 18th and November 21st, last, in reference to the site and other matters in connection with the proposed Pas Boarding School.

In reply I beg to say that the matter of a site is under consideration and the Department hopes to be able to send further word in a very short time.

Your remarks with reference to the advertising, etc., are noted and will be kept in mind.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. J. Jackson, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
The Pas, Man.



OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL.

OTTAWA. November 29, 1912.

Handwritten: Immediate for action
Handwritten: Schuchman
Handwritten: L. M. Schuchman
The Secretary-

EXD

It has been decided to proceed with the work of clearing up the grounds for the Indian school to be established at the Pas. Will you please have instructions sent to have the work begun at once.

Handwritten signature
D. S. G. I. A.

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EX-111
Nov 30
Ottawa, ~~October 9~~, 1912.

Right Reverend Sir,-

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of Your Lordship's letter of the 27th ultimo in reference to the proposed site for the new boarding school on The Pas Reserve.

In reply I beg to say that the Department is glad to learn that you are pleased with the site selected by Mr. Inspector Jackson on Fisher Island, which is according to all reports received by the Department the most suitable location that could be chosen.

With regard to Your Lordship's suggestions that about twenty acres be cleared this fall and winter, that an examination be made of the limestone bed on the island and that a well be dug I beg to say that Mr. Inspector Jackson will be instructed to have these matters attended to as soon as possible.

I have the honour to be, Right Reverend Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Right Rev. J. A. Newnham, D.D.,
Bishop of Saskatchewan,
Box 39,
Prince Albert, Sask.

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hor 30
Ottawa, ~~October 9~~, 1912.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 18th ultimo and previous correspondence relative to the site for the proposed new boarding school on The Pas Reserve I beg to say that the Department approves of the selection of Fisher Island, which, from all accounts received, is the most suitable place for locating this school that could be found on the reserve.

Done
MS
OK

As suggested by yourself and the Bishop you may have twenty acres cleared around the spot where the new buildings will be erected and a well sunk. You may also engage a competent man to examine and report on the quality of the limestone on the island. If it is suitable for building purposes it would make a saving in the cost of material. The Department would like to have these matters attended to at your earliest convenience. The cutting and piling of the wood should be done by the Indians on the best possible terms.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. MOLEAN

John

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. J. Jackson, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
The Pas, Man.



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Ottawa, December 11, 1912.

S. J. Jackson,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
The Pas, Sask.

Department advised that Fisher Island might be
wholly or partly submerged in seasons of abnormal
Saskatchewan floods. Would like you to make full inquiries
and obtain reliable information regarding this and report
to Department before commencing clearing operations for
new school site.

J. D. McLean.

Charge to Dept. of I.A.

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Le Pas Man. 14 Dec. 1912

Sec'y. Dep't. Indian Affairs,

Ottawa—

In answering your wire of eleventh have finished taking evidence about elevation of Fisher Island everything shows that the site picked for Indian Boarding School is twenty three 23 feet above the highest known water for the past sixty years, am sending full report of evidence by next mail, have tenders in for clearing site and would like answer by wire as I want to let contracts before 1st Jan, out.
1035Pm— I. of I. A.

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Ottawa, December 16, 1912.

S. J. Jackson,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
The Pas, Man.

May proceed with clearing of twenty acres for
school site on Fisher Island, ie being understood that
the cutting and piling of the wood will be done by Indians.

J. D. McLean.

Charge to Dept. of I.A.

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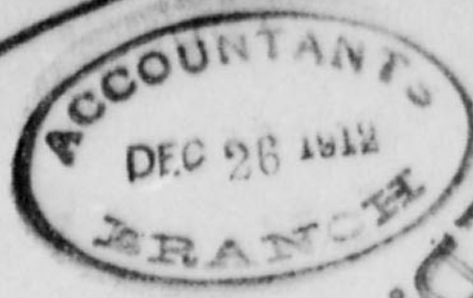
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES,

LAKE MANITOBA INSPECTORATE,

The Pas,
~~Manitoba~~, MAN., December, 16th. 1912.



[Handwritten signature]
Sir,



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With further reference to your wire of the 11th. instant, I am enclosing for your information, ^{four} ~~three~~ more interviews which I had to-day with the second oldest man of the Pas band first, then with a Non Treaty Indian who gave some valuable facts, and one interview with the oldest white settler in this vicinity, who has a wide knowledge of this country, having been a traveller in it for 35 years, doing business for the Hudson's Bay Co. for about 30 years.

Yours truly,



[Handwritten signature: B. J. Jackson]

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

J.D. McLean, Esq.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ontario.

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Gideon Halcrow J.P. late Manager of the Hudsons Bay Companies Post at The Pas, is over 65 years of age and has been at and ~~xx~~ around the Pas for over 35 years, and remembers all the high water for that length of time. The highest water known was about 10 or 11 years ago, at that time before the flood Fisher Island was only separated from the main land by a very small creek. The flood of that year opened up quite a big channel, as the Saskatchewan River came over a low place in its banks about 2 miles west of the island and filled up the lakes and the pressure of water opened up this channel. I have known Fisher Island for all of these 35 years, and never knew of its being flooded and I would have known of it if such a thing had happened. When the Indians selected their reserve in the first place they took only high lands, and among them Fisher Island, what low lands they took were for hay lands, and Fisher Island has always been covered with wood, which shows it was picked for its elevation above the water and the quality of its land.

Certified Correct,

B. J. Jackson
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Stephen Whitehead No 148 of the Pas Band is 70 yrs. of age, he lives on the opposite side of the river from The Pas. He has done a lot of hunting when he was a young man. He knows Fisher Island well, and has been there nearly every year since he was a boy, till the last 10 yrs. when he has not seen it so often. In the summer time he used to live on the island, and his Father before him and have their gardens there. He remembers the big flood of 11 years ago, and the island was not flooded at that or any other time. He remembers this Island for over 60 years, and it was always above the water very high.

B. J. Jackson

further evidence as to liability of the flooding of Fisher Island, during floods, or in times of abnormal water. December, 16th. 1912.

Joseph McGillivray Sr. No 104 of the Pas Band is 85 years old. He knows Fisher Island well, he has been up there since he was a boy 18 years of age, or every year for 67 years, and never knew or heard of this Island being flooded. He has seen 3 big floods about 28 years ago was the biggest flood he has ever seen, and the next biggest was about 10 or 11 years ago, and the only land up there not flooded was Fisher Island, and the Big Eddy. All of the country across from where he lived south and west was under water. He was living where The Pas Town now is at that time and it was not flooded.

Simon Cook a Non Treaty Indian, lives up at the Big Eddy back of the reserve. He knows Fisher Island since he was a child, his Grandfather picked ~~picked~~ out the Island as high land to live on, and they lived on this place for over 30 years, and then they came back to the main land. At the time they were on the island they were Pagan Indians, but Chief Constant got them to join the English Church, and then they moved back on the main reserve. He says that ever since the world was made this island was dry land, except when Noah made the Ark, and all the world was flooded, he knows the site on the island where the school is going to be built, having seen the lines cleared within the last few days, and he says that the land there is good for farming. He remembers that there were a number of big floods but the biggest of all was the one about 27 years ago, at the time of this flood he had a house on the Island and lived there, the water came to the willows on the north west side of the island about 5 feet of a rise. When the flood was on, the island was as big as ever, you would not know the difference. They had a garden on the island for about 30 years, and grew the best of potatoes, corn, turnips, onions, and all the other smaller vegetables, they also ripened barley and wheat in their garden. There could not be found as good a place as this island, on the whole of the Pas Reserve.

REF. No. 912.

OFFICE OF THE

INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES,

LAKE MANITOBA INSPECTORATE,

The Pas,
~~Manitoba~~, MAN., December, 14th.



726556

Sir,

Your Wire of the 11th. instant re Fisher Island being submerged, and abnormal floods, received and in reply.

I secured Ralph Young an ex-pupil of one of the Boarding Schools, with his train of dogs and interviewed all of the older Indians, who were at home and available, and I enclose you the result of the interviews which speak for themselves.

I may say shortly that if this Island is ever flooded the people of this town will have the water in their second stories.

If not already sent, send me the authority to let the contract for clearing the 20 acres as I had asked for tenders and they are in my hands now.

Yours truly,

A. G. Jackson
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

J.D. McLean, Esq.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ontario.

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Interviews with Pas Indians.

Pas Reserve, December, 15th, 1912.

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Chief Constant No. 54 of the Pas Band is 75 years of age, he knows and has been at Fisher Island every year for about 65 yrs. He never knew this Island to be flooded, about 10 years ago when they had the biggest flood known to the oldest Indian and when the water came up nearly to his door, Fisher Island was high out of the water. The Chiefs house is on a high bank on the opposite bank from the Pas Townsite, and the water came up to within 20 feet of his house, or about 3 feet below the level of his floor. At that time he was at the Fisher Island on a hunting trip, and it was away above the water level, high and dry, ~~it might~~ The water might have been up on the Island say 100 feet all round. He remembers all the high waters for over 60 years and the flood of ten years ago was the highest in all that time. The Pas Townsite, and where Finger's Mill is never flooded, and never was in all that time.

John Young No 154 Pas Band is about 64 years of age, he knows Fisher Island well, he remembers the big flood about 10 years ago, he was at the Island the time of the flood and was up on it and it was high and dry above the water. He never knew of the water being up anywhere near the high part of the island. For over 40 years this island has always been away above all the floods, both his Father and himself were born at the Pas Reserve, and he would know if this island had ever been under the water

Adam Whitehead No 147 of the Pas Band is 70 years of age, he knows Fisher Island well. He was born here and has seen that island every year since he was a boy, and has gone up there every year visiting and hunting. The first time there was very high water 9 or 10 years ago, when the water went right around his house on the reserve right opposite the present Town, the island I am telling you about was not flooded at all.

Fred Ross No. 125 Pas Band knows Fisher Island, he has been there nearly every year since he was a small boy, and he is

now 74 years of age and he has never known of this island being flooded, it has never been under water since he can remember which is 60 years. Where he lives the water was all around his house, he lives opposite the Pas Town. In 60 years there has been only one big flood, and that was about 10 years ago in August, there is never much of a flood in the spring the water soon goes away, it is in the summer that we expect high water.

James Cook No 44 of the Pas Band is 70 years of age, he has lived at the Big Eddy, and Fisher Island ever since he was a very small boy, he knows the island well. They had a house on the island when he was a boy, and he lived there for years long before the first Treaty. His grandfather and father lived there and the island was never known to be flooded, if that island was flooded the whole of the Pas Town would be under water. The high water mark at the island is marked on the land and visible.

Simon Bell No 191 the Pas band, is 55 years old, he has seen two big floods, when all the low land was flooded, and the Fisher island was never flooded, the water went up a little on the island but never was up to the high land. He remembers the island for over 40 years, and has been up there nearly every year.

Norman Lathlin No 92 Councillor of the Pas band is about 60 years old, he knows Fisher island well, he has seen it every year as he was born here. I remember the big flood, I live $\frac{1}{2}$ way between the Pas and the Big Eddy, the water never flooded the Island and I have seen it ever since I was a boy about 50 years ago. The biggest flood I have ever seen was about 10 years ago, I was up at the island then and there was lots of high land on it. Where I live the water came up within 6 yards of the door and the land on the other side of the Saskatchewan River was all covered with water. Where the Indians live opposite Fisher Island has never been flooded for over 40 years and the Island is higher than where these people live.

Samuel L

at 1111

Samuel Lathlin No 91 of the Pas Band is about 70 years of age, he knows Fisher Island he has been up there lots of times, he has seen it all his life ever since he was a boy, and he was born at the Pas reserve. ~~He~~ I never knew of this island being flooded, and I remember the big flood of ten years ago. the water came near my house, and the land across the river from where I live was flooded, he lives near the mouth of the Carrott River, the year of the flood I was at the Island, and it was away high above the flood, and for 55 years it is just the same.

Alfred McGillivray No. 106 of the Pas Band, is 65 years old he was born at the Big Eddy, since he can remember when he was a little kid he never saw the Island known as Fisher Island in a flooded condition, he has seen it every year, and saw it the year of the big flood ~~affairs of the~~ he has seen 2 big floods in the past 40 years, and he has never seen the water anywhere near flooding the island, and he lives near it and always has seen it, he is only about a mile from the island, and it is in full view of his house. His Father also lived at the Big Eddy for a number of years, and he said I cannot find anyone who has seen that island flooded.

David Cook No. 186 of the Pas Band Councillor, lives at the Big Eddy just opposite Fisher Island, he has been on the island ever since he was a small boy and never knew about any water getting anywhere near over it. If that island is ever flooded the whole of The Pas town, and lower part of the reserve will be covered with water several feet deep. He has seen only one big flood, it was about 10 years ago and the island was not anywhere near being flooded. The drift wood and big logs he showed me last August when we were picking the site for the new Indian Boarding School, were put there by the big flood and have never moved from there since. Before the Treaty some halfbreeds were on the island, had houses and gardens, and were never flooded out but were moved off when the treaty was made, and it became part of the Pas Reserve.

Charles Cook No.190 of the Pas band age 45 lives just across the lake from the Fisher Island about One $\frac{1}{2}$ mile away, and it is in full view of his house. There are six Indians living just at this point, and he speaks for all of them, their names are Charles Partridge age 34, No.283, Jacob Lathlin age 44, No.213, John Harris age 55, No.73, Pierre Highway age 35, No.208, and Joseph Jebb age about 60, No.78, all of the Pas Band. They all remember the biggest flood known to the oldest inhabitant of the Pas reserve, which was about 10 years ago, the water at that time was just five feet higher than it was last August when we picked the Island as the site for the Boarding School. He showed us on the bank of the lake the marks of the two waters, and we had the difference measured by David Cook Councillor, and he made it just 5 feet. He was at Fisher island often the year of the high water, and you would not notice any difference to amount to anything in the island, he has lived there opposite the island all his life.

James Lathlin No 89 of the Pas Band is 65 years of age, he has lived at the Pas reserve for all his lifetime, and has been living $\frac{1}{2}$ way up to the Big Eddy for the last seven years. He knows Fisher island, has been there lots of times and never heard of its being flooded, he has seen the highest water mark on the island, it is about 100 feet in from the ordinary high water mark which they get each year usually in July or August. He remembers the big flood about 10 years ago, and the island was not flooded at that time and never has been to my knowledge, and I would know if such a thing had happened, as we had gardens on the island at one time and they were never destroyed.

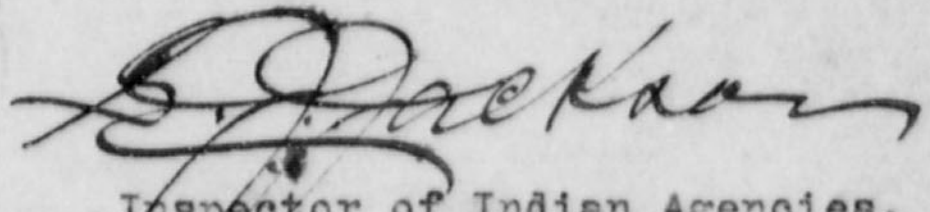
Ben McGillivray No 105 of the Pas Band is 70 years old, he knows Fisher Island, it never was known to be flooded, and his old people told him that it was never flooded. He remembers the big flood and knows that the island was not flooded at that time, he lives near the Big Eddy and would know of such a thing. ~~He can~~ He can see island from front of his house, about a mile away.

Jonah Bignell No 172 of the Pas Band is 55 years of age he knows Fisher island and never knew or heard of its being under water. If that island was ever under water the whole of this country would be under water. He remembers the big flood the one about 10 years ago, he was up at the island the time of the flood and it was high and dry.

Patrick Constant (son of the Chief) No 232 of the Pas Band and one of the Councillors of the band is 45 years old. He says I know Fisher Island near the Big Eddy, this island is not on the banks of the Saskatchewan River but lays about half a mile away between two lakes, and is not subject to flood the same as if it lay on the banks of the river, the water that comes there during flood has a large area to scatter over. He remembers the big flood he was up near the island that year when the flood was on and it was not flooded. He knows the Island since he was a boy and he never knew or heard of its being flooded.

Ralph Young son of William Young No 235 of the Pas Band, and himself now a member of the band was Interpreter for the Inspector during the whole of Friday the 13th. day of December while he was making an investigation for the Department re wire of the 11th. of December. All the members of the band interviewed were certain of what they claim is a fact that Fisher Island was never near being overflowed, and they all laughed at the idea of this Island ever being under water.

Certified Correct,


Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Ottawa, December 27, 1912.

Sir,-

915

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th instant enclosing statements of interviews had by you with some of the older Indians and white settlers in the vicinity of The Pas in regard to the Fisher Island site for the proposed boarding school.

In reply I beg to say that there would appear to be no doubt that it will be quite safe to build on this site. You have already been authorized by wire to proceed with the clearing.

*Ed
from
A.M.*

Your obedient servant,

Ed J. Jackson

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. J. Jackson, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
The Pas, Man.

D. BENZIE. C.E.
TOWN ENGINEER



THE PAS,
MANITOBA

Dec 17th 1912

BOX 18

WORKS DEPARTMENT

D. Benzie C.E.

in account with

Department of Indian Affairs.

426558

setting out lines for School site on Fisher Island	\$20,00
to examining quarry and reporting on same	15,00
	\$35.00

SMH

Material supplied, work performed,

Charges fair and just,

*B. Jackson
S. G. I. A.*

Authority of your letter of
date Nov. 30/12, No. 373371/1.

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D. BENZIE. C.E.
TOWN ENGINEER



THE PAS, Dec 17th 1912 191...
MANITOBA

BOX 18

WORKS DEPARTMENT

The Honorable
S.J. Jackson
Superintendent of Indian Agencies
The Pas, Man.

426008

Sir;

I have the honor to state that in accordance with your instructions of the 7th, inst; to examine a quarry discovered by you on Fisher Island at Big Eddy I visited the island on Monday December 9th and examined the location of the quarry.

I found limestone rock extending to over one quarter of a mile along the shore of the island, the face of rock showing an average of six feet high.

I directed the men employed by you to put in two shots and on Tuesday December 10th I again visited the island and saw one of the shots exploded, the result of which was very satisfactory and I have no hesitation in recommending the stone to be used in the ~~erection~~ of buildings proposed to be erected on the island.

I consider the limestone to be of a quality quite suitable for building purposes and there is evidence of a large quantity of this stone on the island.

Yours truly

D. Benzie
Civil Engineer

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REF. No. 919.

373 371-1

OFFICE OF THE

INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES,

LAKE MANITOBA INSPECTORATE,

The Pas,

~~Manitoba~~ MAN., December, 17th.

1912.



Sir,

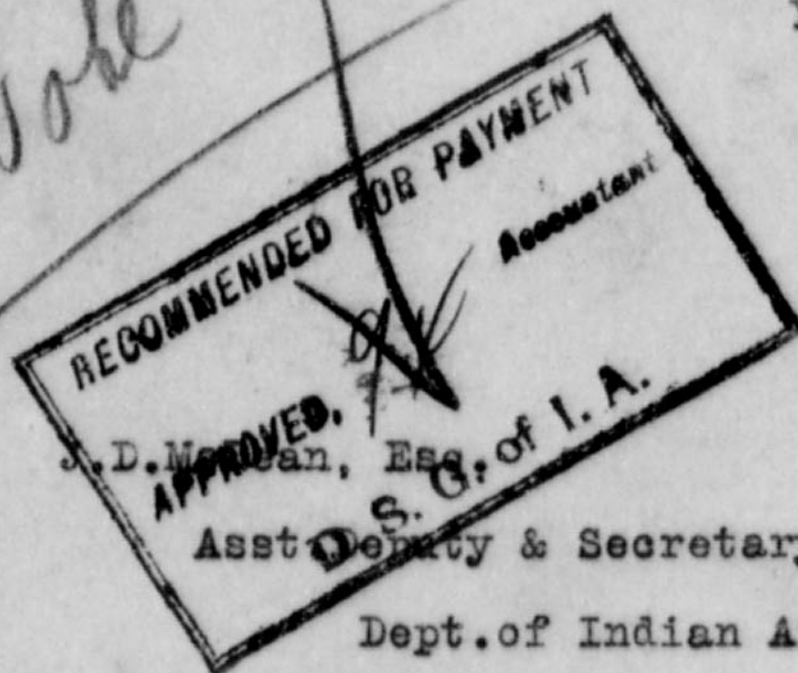
726558

Enclosed find voucher in duplicate in favour of D. Benzie, Civil Engineer The Pas, Manitoba. Mr. Benzie spent two full days on the Island in connection with running the lines around the 20 acres which are to be cleared for the purposes of the Boarding School, and in examining the quarry and in putting the men at work to blast in two places.

You will also find enclosed Mr. Benzie's report on the quality and quantity of the stone, as requested in your letter of November the 30th. No. 373571/1.

Yours truly,

Schubert



B. J. Jackson

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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The Pas, Dec, 9th. 1912.

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Per Mr. Jackson, Inspector.

Bought of The Hudson's Bay Co.

426554

$\frac{1}{2}$ lb. Tea	25	2 lb. sugar	20	5 lb. bacon	1.25	1.70
4 loaves bread	40	2 cans peaches	50			90
						\$ 2.60

Recd Payment, Dec. 10th.

(Sgndd) H.S. Johnson,

per C. Hall.

Material supplied work performed,
Charges fair and just.

S. J. Jackson
I. of I. A.

Sub Voucher No 1

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No.35.

\$ 5.00

The Pas Dec. 10th.1912.

Received from S.J.Jackson five dollars for 2 days use
of his dog team, and helping with cutting the lines on ~~the~~
Fisher Island.

(Sgnd) Roderick McGillivary.

Material supplied, work performed
Charges fair and just.

S.J. Jackson
I of I.A

Ind. Voucher No 2

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No. 34.

\$ 3.25

The Pas Dec. 10th. 1912.

Received from S.J. Jackson three dollars and twenty five cents, for use of dog train and help cutting lines on Fisher Island, from 8 A.M. to 5 P.M.

Witness, (Sgnd.) Gilbert ^{his}xCook
mark
John Hayes,

Material supplied, work performed,
Charges fair and just.

S. J. Jackson
J. of I.A.

Arch. Vancouver No 3.

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No 36.

\$ 2.50

The Pas, Dec. 11th. 1912.

Received from S.J.Jackson, two dollars for work cutting
lines at Fisher Island on the 10th.inst.and use of dogs.
Witness.

(Sgnd.) Robert Cook.

Fred Young.

Material supplied,work performed,
Charges fair and just.

S. J. Jackson
I. of I. A.

Check Voucher No 4.

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No.37.

\$ 2.00

The Pas, Dec. 11th. 1912.

Received from S.J.Jackson, two dollars for work cutting
lines on Fisher Island, on the 10th. inst.

Witness,

(Sgnd) John James Gavin.

Fred Young,

Material supplied, work performed,

Charges fair and just.

S. J. Jackson
I. of I. A.

Such Voucher No 5.

No.38.

\$ 2.00

The Pas, Dec. 11th. 1912.

Received from S.J.Jackson, two dollars for work cutting
lines on Fisher Island, on the 10th. inst.

Witness,

(Sgnd) Andrew X Partridge,
his mark

Fred Young,

Material supplied, work performed,

Charges fair and just.

S. J. Jackson
I. of I. A.

Such Voucher No 6.

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Le Pas Dec. 12th. 1912.

S.J. Jackson,

Indian Agent,

Bought of

The Armstrong Trading Co.

5 lb.ham	1.25	1 butter	40	apples	25	1.90
Coffee	40	bread	75	1 can milk	15	<u>1.30</u>
						\$ 3.20

Paid,

(Sgnd.) Armstrong Trading Co.

Per Chas Waitt.

Material supplied, work performed,
Charges fair and just.

S.J. Jackson
L. of L.A.

Arch Voucher No 7.

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Manitoba Hotel.

Le Pas, Dec. 12th. 1912.

Received from S.J. Jackson, the sum of six dollars, for
board of Bert Sherin M. Sherin, and Iver Olson for two
days board Dec. 9th. and 10th.

(Sgnd.) G.W. Primrose,

Per F. Ruickwald.

Material supplied, work performed,
Charges fair and just.

S. J. Jackson
S. of I. A.

Arch. Vancouver No 8,

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No 39.

\$ 14.00

The Pas, Dec. 12th. 1912.

Received from S.J. Jackson fourteen dollars for 4 days
work at Fisher Island, 9th. 10th. 11th. and 12th. Dec. at the
Pas testing the quarry and fixing sample of stone for
the Department,

(Sgnd) Ivor Olson,

Witness,

Fred Young.

Material supplied, work performed,

Charges fair and just.

S. J. Jackson
I. of I. A.

Arch Voucher No 9

No. 40.

\$ 10.50

The Pas, Dec. 12th. 1912.

Received from S.J. Jackson ten dollars and fifty cents
for 3 days work at Fisher Island, testing quarry, 9th. 10th.
and 11th. Dec. at \$ 3.50 per day.

Witness,

(Sgnd.) Bert Sherin.

Fred Young.

Material supplied, work performed,

Charges fair and just.

S. J. Jackson
I. of I. A.

Arch Voucher No 10

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No. 41.

\$ 10.50

The Pas, Dec. 12th. 1912.

Received from S.J. Jackson, ten dollars and fifty cents
for three days work at Fisher Island testing quarry,
9th. 10th. and 11th. of Dec.

Witness,

(Sgnd.) M. Sherin.

Fred Young.

Material supplied, work performed,

Charges fair and just.

S. J. Jackson
I. of D. A.

Sub Voucher No 11.

No. 42.

\$ 18.00

The Pas, Dec. 12th. 1912.

Received from S.J. Jackson, Eighteen dollars for hire of
Team and sleigh to take Quarrymen to Fisher Island on
the 9th. 10th. and 11th. of Dec.

Witness,

(Sgnd.) Jas. Hayes.

Fred Young.

Material supplied, work performed,

Charges fair and just.

S. J. Jackson
I. of D. A.

Sub Voucher No 12

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No. 43.

\$ 3.00

The Pas, Dec 13th. 1912.

Received from S.J. Jackson Three dollars for use Train of
Dogs from 8 A.M. to 2 P.M. and Interpreting on the reserve.

(Sgnd.) Ralph Young.

Material supplied, work performed,
Charges fair and just.

S. J. Jackson
I. of I. A.

Check Voucher No 13,

McMillan Brothers

Contractors.

Le Pas, Man. Dec. 14th. 1912.

Delivered to the Department of Indian Affairs

To blasting material and use of tools, \$ 5.00

Received payment in full,

(Sgnd.) McMillan Bros.

Per N.R. Mahaffy

Material supplied, work performed,
Charges fair and just.

S. J. Jackson
I. of I. A.

Check Voucher No 14,

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Vote No. 7.

Treaty No. _____

Department of Indian Affairs

To S.J. Jackson, Insp. of Indian Agencies,751 McMillan AvenueWinnipeg, Manitoba.

DATE	SERVICE.		AMOUNT.	
1912.				
Dec. 10.	To Hudson's Bay Co.	Sub Voucher No. 1.	2	60
" "	" Roderick McGillivray,	" " " 2.	5	00
" "	" Gilbert Cook,	" " " 3.	3	25
" 11.	" Robert Cook,	" " " 4.	2	50
" "	" John James Gavin,	" " " 5.	2	00
" "	" Andrew Partridge,	" " " 6.	2	00
" 12.	" Armstrong Trading Co.	" " " 7.	3	20
" "	" Geo. W. Primrose,	" " " 8.	6	00
" "	" Ivor Olson,	" " " 9.	14	00
" "	" Bert Sherwin,	" " " 10.	10	50
" "	" M. Sherwin,	" " " 11.	10	50
" "	" James Hayes,	" " " 12.	18	00
" 13.	" Ralph Young.	" " " 13.	5	00
" "	" Lunch for self and driver at Big Eddy.			60
" 14.	" McMillan Bros.	Sub Voucher No. 14.	5	00
Authority granted for this expenditure in your Letter No <u>373371/1</u> of date <u>Nov. 30th. 1912.</u>				
TOTAL,			\$	88 15

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed, and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Supd Jan 3/13

2017

S. J. Jackson
Insp. of Indian Agencies

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REF. No. 913.

OFFICE OF THE

INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES,

LAKE MANITOBA INSPECTORATE,

The Pas, MAN., December, 14th. 1912.



EXD

426554

Sir,

Enclosed find voucher in duplicate for disbursements made by authority of your letter dated November 30th. 1912, No. 373371/1, and wire of the 11th. instant. I engaged Mr. Benzie, the Pas Town Engineer to go up and lay out the lines around the 20 acres you ordered cleared on Fisher Island. He also set the men to work at the quarry, and examined the limestone, and extent of same, and will make a report on same ^{to} ~~by~~ you by the next mail.

I was fortunate enough to lay my hands on 3 good rock men here, and got tools and explosives from McMillan Bros. the Contractors, and for three days had these men at work in the quarry, so as to give you some idea of what the stone is like, and the quantity in sight suitable for the school building. For the information of the Department I may say that there is enough stone on the island to put up a great many buildings as large as the school will be.

The quality is about the same as we have at Stonewall, and we put up a Public School a few years ago costing \$18000.00 and this year are putting up a public building for Municipal and County Court purposes of this same stone, a rough rock face, which will cost us about \$30,000.00. I am sending you by express next train a sample of the stone to show the colour.

Kindly send cheque for this voucher to me at 751 McMillan Avenue, Winnipeg, and also my salary cheque to the same address.

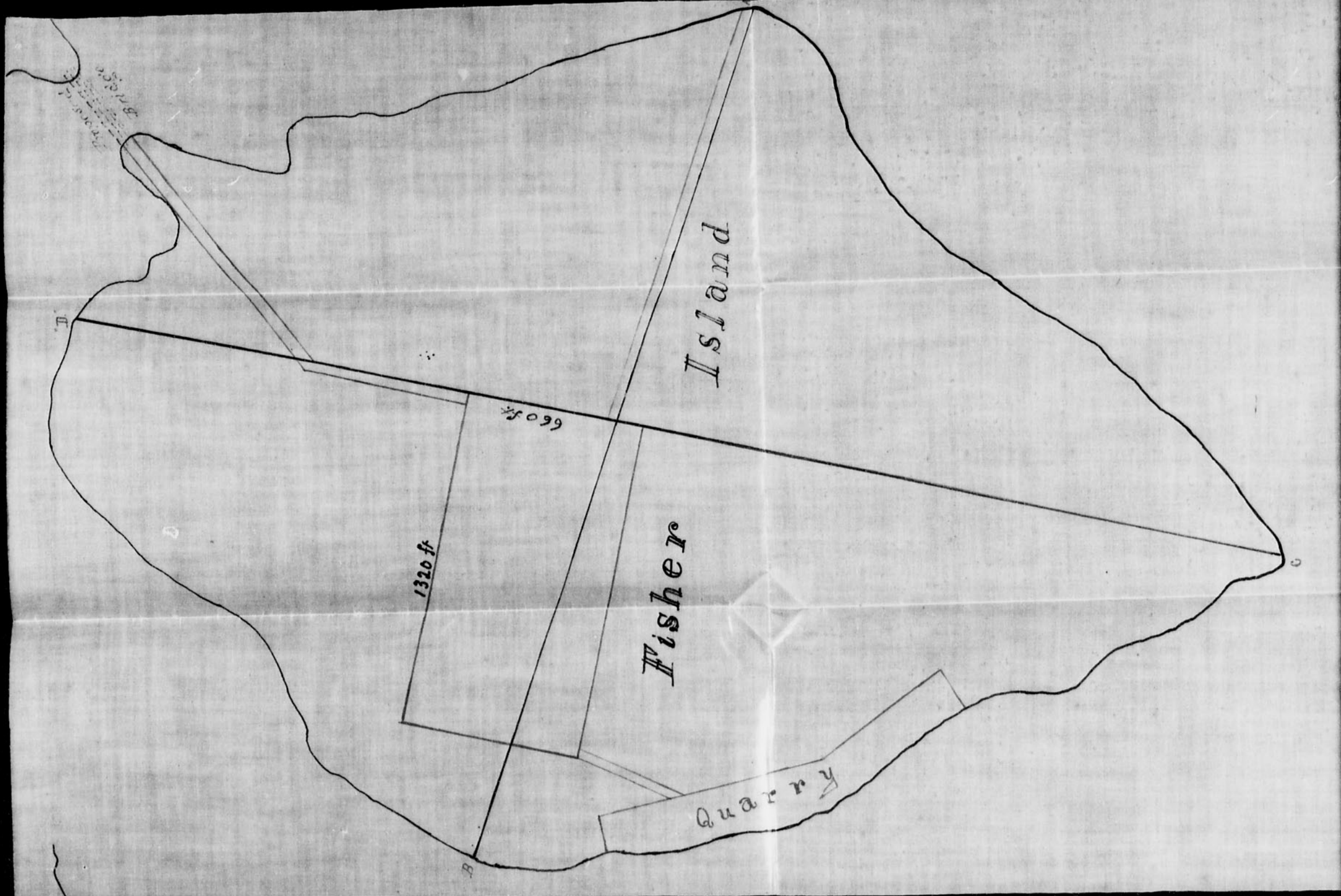
Yours truly,

B. J. Jackson
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

John
RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
APPROVED
J. B. McLean, Esq.
Asst. Deputy & Secretary
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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REF. No. 923.

373371



OFFICE OF THE

INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES,

LAKE MANITOBA INSPECTORATE,

The Pas,

~~THE PAS~~ MAN., January, 2nd. 1913.

EXD

428835

Sir,

Enclosed find Contract with David Cook, No 186. The Pas Band, Councillor, for clearing 20 acres on Fisher Island.

For the information of the Department I may say that the contract price the Firm of McArthur & Boyd are getting from The Minister of Railways, for clearing the right of way on the Hudson's Bay Railway, is \$40.00 an acre, and we get in addition, the making of the timber into cordwood, which is not done on the railway.

I am also enclosing you plan shewing the situation of the 20 acres and the roads which are being cut under this contract.

These roads 30 feet wide take off the block about 2½ acres leaving 17½ acres in the school block.

Please send to W.R. Taylor, Indian Agent Pas Agency at your earliest convenience, an accountable cheque for \$500.00, to be paid Cook as each acre is done, he has already done over an acre and of course would like his money.

I am leaving for Grand Rapids this afternoon and expect to be back here on the 13th. or 14th.

Dr. Smyth, partner of Dr. Orok, is going along, and is taking medicine along in case it is required.

Yours truly,

B. J. Jackson
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

J.D. McLean, Esq.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ontario.

2081
Sent Jan. 10th.
See
advance
\$500



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THIS AGREEMENT?, made (in triplicate) the second day of January,
in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred & Thirteen.
BETWEEN

Samuel J. Jackson, Inspector of Indian Agencies, representing
The Department of Indian Affairs, The Party of the First Part.

And

David Cook, Councillor, Number 186 of The Pas Band, The Party of
the Second Part.

428835

WITNESSETH AS FOLLOWS.

The party of the Second Part in and for the consideration of the
sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars, (\$750.00) of lawfull money
of Canada, to be paid as follows, agrees with the Party of the
first part, that he will clear Twenty (20) acres on Fisher Island,
in the location laid down on the attached map, to the satisfaction
of The Party of The First Part, and as follows.

ALL the trees and brush on the said 20 acres to be cut down,
all the brush, and tops and limbs of the trees, to be put in piles
and burned. No stumps of trees or brush to be left higher than
six (6) inches above the level of the ground.

ALL the trees on the said 20 acres are to be cut into four
foot cordwood, and left in piles where most convenient for the party
of the second part, and for the use of The Party of the First Part.

NO pile shall contain less than one cord of wood, and further
it is understood and agreed that no timber suitable for firewood
is to be burned.

The work above mentioned is to be completed and finished by
the Second day of March, 1913.

As the work progresses the party of the first part shall pay
to the party of the second part, the sum of twenty five dollars, on
the completion of the work on each acre, and the balance, being the
sum of \$250.00 will be paid upon the completion of the work, and
the passing of the job by the party of the first part.

AND it is hereby laid down and understood, that the party of the First Part, shall be the final judge as to the work being done as this Contract calls for.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have hereunto set their hands and seals on the Day and Year above written.

Signed, Sealed, and Delivered,

In the Presence of

W. R. Taylor
Indian Agent

L. J. Jackson
his
David Cook
mark

426835

E.D.

Ottawa, January 10., 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to advise you that the Department is sending you, under separate cover, an accountable cheque for \$500.00 to be used in paying advances to Mr. David Cook, who has the contract for clearing the site of the new Pas Boarding School. In accordance with the terms of the contract Mr. Cook is to be paid \$25.00 on the completion of the clearance of each acre and the balance of the contract price, \$250.00, will be withheld until the work is satisfactorily completed. You should obtain from Mr. Cook a receipt for each payment made.

Handwritten signature and initials
J.M.B.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. MCLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S: J. Jackson, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
The Pas, Man.

REF. No. 927.

OFFICE OF THE

INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES,

LAKE MANITOBA INSPECTORATE,

STONEWALL, MAN., January 18th. 19 13.

Sir,

When leaving ~~The Pass~~ on the 15th. instant I gave a Requisition for Transport for a return ticket, as it will be necessary for me to return there sometime after the 2nd of March to pass contract made with David Cook for the clearing of the twenty acres on Fischer Island and to arrange for locating the best site on this twenty acres, and to let contract for the well adjacent to the main school building. It will be necessary to have a second well at or near the stables, and I would recommend that I be given authority to put down the two wells as the ^{cost of the} second will be small compared with the first owing to the fact that we will be bringing in a well boring outfit from Melfort, and the more wells put down the cheaper we can get them. The conditions at the Island are just the same as in the Stonewall district, there we bore a six inch hole to the rock put in piping from the ground to rock, anywhere from 6 to 25 feet, and then bore a five inch hole in the rock till we find a good supply of water, always under a hundred feet.

Yours truly,

J.D. McLean, Esq.

Asst. Deputy and Secretary,

Ottawa, Ontario.

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Le Pas, Man.

Mar. 22nd

1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. **976.**
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

[Handwritten signature]

433292

Sir,

The contract made with Councillor Cook, for clearing on Fisher Island, is completed, with the exception of burning part of the brush, and piling a part of the wood. I inspected the work yesterday, but cannot make the final ~~pay~~ inspection till the snow goes, as it is still very deep on the Island.

There is nearly 18 acres cleared in the block where the school will be; and in addition the three roads I estimate will be about 4 acres of clearing which would make in all 22 acres. I would recommend that an accountable cheque for \$250.00, amt. of contract, be sent to Agent Taylor, and the balance for extra acreage be left till final measurement and settlement.

I would also recommend that \$100.00 ~~be~~ this cheque be held by the Agent, till we make the final measurement and inspection.

Yours truly.

[Handwritten signature: E. Jackson]
I. of I. Agencies.

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.
Dept of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa. Can.

[Handwritten notes:]
Sch
1912-13
Send
advance
\$250.00

paid book to receive \$750
clearing 20 acres - to
get 25⁰⁰ after each acre cleared
& balance \$250⁰⁰ on completion

Accountable cheque for
\$500.⁰⁰ sent to H. R. Taylor
Indian Agent on Jan. 10th.

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373371/1

Ottawa, April 3, 1913.

Sir,-

The Department is in receipt of a communication from Mr. Inspector Jackson in which he says that he has made an examination of the clearing for the proposed boarding school on Fisher Island. He states that in all about twenty-two acres have been cleared.

You have already been sent an accountable cheque for \$500.00 for payment to Councillor Cook, who has the contract, and I am now sending you an accountable cheque for \$250.00, the balance of his contract price. The sum of \$100.00 should be withheld until such time as the final measurement and inspection is made by yourself and Mr. Jackson. Including the roads there will be some extra acreage to be paid for. When accounting for these cheques it will be necessary for you to attach to the vouchers receipts for all payments made to Mr. Cook.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. R. Taylor, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

The Diocese of Saskatchewan

REV. JAMES TAYLOR,
SECRETARY-TREASURER

Bishopsthorpe

PRINCE ALBERT, SASK.

April 7th, 1914

Dear Mr Scott,

There are still one or two matters I wish to bring before you re, the Pas Boarding School.

For the greater economy of the management of the School, & that is, for the benefit of the I.D., certain things should be done now & during the summer to prepare for occupation.

The people at the school, whether pupils, or staff, will want fuel & food from the start, & the cost of these may be much lessened by fore-thought.

(1) 400 cords of wood should be cut & piled from the school property, & (2) a few acres should be broken & planted with potatoes. As to (1), I reminded

the I.D. of this a year ago, & suggested that as the ground was cleared for building the wood should be piled, & the

I.D. approved the suggestion - I thought. But I am informed at that time who cleared the land were allowed to pile &

burn the timber - a shocking waste. But the fuel will be ready, & should be ready, & the ground has been cleared - I can

undertake to start with this big initial expenditure. (2) this also is necessary & will fit in with (1).

I would ask the I.D. to advance \$1,000 to be expended on fuel preparation & (2) potato-planting: as much as possible

this \$1,000 to be a grant, the balance to be an advance to be repaid.

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by degrees, by the School in the first year or two. The Church in Saskatchewan has no money to advance for such purpose, & it seems to me to be fairly referable to the I. D.

We are then prepared to get the work done. I have appointed a young man to that Mission for the summer whose experience should enable him to look after the potato planting & cultivating. I am trying to get tenders for (a) cutting & picking in Cords 400 Cords of wood & (b) breaking 5 Acres for potatoes. I hope you will be able to meet me in this matter, as it will simplify matters. There is no time to lose if this is to be done.

The well-water is very hard, the river water is hard, & drawing it means much labour. There will be a great body of rain-water from the roof of all that building which should be saved. I hear there is no tank built in. There should be a tank or cistern, to hold 6,000 gallons, cement or galvanized in such a position in basement as is safe from frost, & connected with eaves troughs from all the roof, & with a pump in the kitchen, or in the upper floor. I hope have this also done.

I don't know the plans in full, but there should be a ~~and~~ Principal's residence, & stable & wood shed, &c. I commend this all to your consideration & favour, & with kind regards, I remain

Yours truly

J. A. Saskatchewan

VERY
POOR
COPY

Ottawa, April 14th, 1914.

Sir,-

In the contract made with Mr. David Cook, for the clearing of the site for the Pas Boarding School, it was provided that, "- All the trees on the said 20 acres are to be cut into four foot cordwood, and left in piles where most convenient for the party of the second part, (David Cook), and for the use of the party of the First part, (The Department of Indian Affairs). All the trees and brush on the said 20 acres to be cut down, all the brush and tops and limbs of the trees to be put in piles and burned."

The Department has, recently, heard from a reliable source that all the cordwood as well as the brush etc. has been burned.

Kindly inform the Department at your earliest convenience whether this report is true, and if so, forward the name of the party or parties who burned this wood.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W.R. Taylor, Esq.
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

C O P Y.

April 14th, 1914.

Dear Bishop Newnham -

I received this morning your letter of the 7th instant in reference to the Pas Boarding School and have given it consideration. I am surprised to learn about the destruction of the wood as it was distinctly provided for in the contract that all wood suitable for fuel should be piled separately and our object in doing this was that the school should have a supply available when ready. I am to-day writing to the Indian Agent and asking him for a report. In view of the circumstances I am prepared to offer a grant not exceeding \$1,000.00 for the purchase of fuel and for the clearing of a portion of the land for gardening purposes. When Your Lordship receives the tenders, if they are reasonable, you may accept them upon this understanding, and vouchers with the tenders attached can be submitted to the Department for payment in due course.

In connection with the boilers in the school our attention has been drawn to the quality of the water and arrangements are being made for the installation of a cistern.

Provision is made in the main building for a residence for the teacher and we shall provide some out-buildings in the way of a stable, wood-shed, etc.

I have the honour to be

Your Lordship's obedient servant,

W. C. Scott
Deputy Superintendent General.

Right Rev. J. A. Newnham, D.D.,
Bishop of Saskatchewan,
Prince Albert, Sask.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

The Pas, Man.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 862/135
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

April 22nd 1914



[Signature]
Sir,—



400269

Referring to Department letter
No. 373371-1 dated 14th, inst., I beg to say
that I was about to report the burning of the
wood mentioned on Fisher Island which was cut and
piled on the 20 acres cleared. I was only recently
aware that this wood was used, upon my visit with
Dr. Orok to see the hospital building there.

The wood was burnt by the con-
tractors building the school, Snyder Bros. I do
not know how many cords were used. Some of it I
know, was accidentally burned when David Cook was
burning the underbrush last summer. The brush was
burned when the Indians were clearing the site.

Mr. Turner will know how much
wood was taken.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Can.

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Notice
29/5
1914

Ottawa April 30th, 1914.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd, inst, with reference to the burning of the wood, which was cut on the site of the Pas Boarding School.

The Department wishes you to investigate this matter and to find out definitely how much wood was burned by Snyder Bros.

Kindly advise the Department with regard to this as soon as possible,

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W.R. Taylor, Esq.
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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BISHOPSTHORPE
PRINCE ALBERT, SASK.

Duncan Scott Esq.
Depy. Supt. Genl.
Indian Affairs
Ottawa

May 29th
1914

Dear Mr. Scott,

I beg to enclose the first
acct. in the matter of breaking & planting
Garden for the Pas School, in accordance
with your kind letter of April 16th.

This is for seed potatoes, of very good
quality, & reasonable price.

My man there, Mr. Hives, reports
that the breaking is being done, though
he had a little trouble in securing
a responsible party to undertake it.
He is negotiating with reliable In-

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olians who desire to take the con-
tract for fire-wood. He also noti-
fies me that there is needed - for the
sake of economy & success in carrying
on the work of the scholars in the
field, &c.

1. A root-house - there is none provided
2. An ice-house - to keep meat, milk, &c.
3. A stable for horses & cows. There
is lovely pasture for cows which should
be a profitable outfit - In your last
you said you would order the stables.
Let them be roomy enough for horses
& cows. These things should be at-
tended to while the contractors are
on the spot.

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I thank you for your last reply to
my letter - I may write again very
shortly.

Yours Sincerely,

J. A. Saskatchewan

You can send the \$49⁷⁵ to

Mr. C. F. Stives

The Pas
Man.

by cheque, as there is a Bank here,
or to me if you prefer it -

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June 8th, 1914.

Dear Sir -

I beg to inform you that the Department has agreed to make a grant not exceeding \$1,000.00 for the purchase of fuel and for the cleaning of a portion of the land in connection with the Pas School for gardening purposes. His Lordship Bishop Neenham is calling for tenders for the wood and he has been informed that he may accept any reasonable tender or tenders that he receives; he is also being asked to have the accounts forwarded to the Department through you.

I am enclosing herewith the first account received for seed potatoes, which you will be good enough to attach to a voucher and certify to in the usual way and return to the Department for payment.

Yours very truly,

J. L. A.
Deputy Superintendent General.

W. R. Taylor, Esqr.,
Indian Agent,
Le Pas, Man.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,



The Pas, Man.

June 2nd, 1914.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 912/135
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,—

462870

Replying to Department letter
No. 373371-1 dated April 30th, 1914. regarding
wood used by Snyder Bros. on Fisher Island, I
would say that after interviewing Mr. Snyder, who
is in charge of the work, he assures me they used
about 12 cords. I think this is right, as I know
when David Cook was burning the underbrush, on the
clearing, the fire got away from him, and a large
quantity of the wood was burnt then.

Your obedient servant.



H. R. Taylor

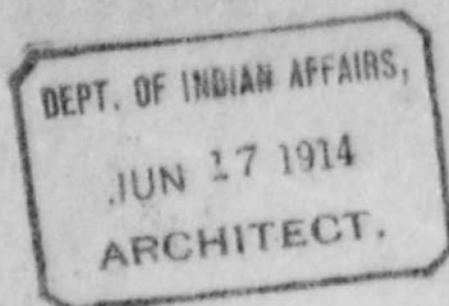
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Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Can.

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Ottawa, June 11, 1914.

Sir,-

912/135

In reply to your letter of the 2nd instant I have to ask you to be good enough to let the Department know the value of the twelve cords of wood burned by Snyder Bros., the contractors for the Pas Boarding School.

Raw
AS
Your obedient servant,

STEWART

fa
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. R. Taylor, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 927/135
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

[Handwritten signature]

The Pas, Man.

June 17th, 1914.



463499

Sir,—

Replying to Department letter
No. 373371/1 dated 11th inst., I beg to say that
the wood used by Snyder Brothers, is worth \$1.50
per cord. This is the usual price paid for wood
in the woods where it is cut; and as this wood was
taken from where it was cut, I would judge the
value to be the same.

Your obedient servant.



H. R. Taylor
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Can.

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Ottawa, July 18, 1914.

Gentlemen,-

It has been reported to the Department that some of the wood which was cut and piled on Fisherm Island on the twenty acres of land which were cleared for the site of the Pas Boarding School has been used by your firm. The Department made inquiry as to the quantity and value of the wood so used and is now in receipt of a communication from Mr. Agent Taylor, who states that there were about twelve cords used, which are valued at \$1.50 per cord or \$18.00 altogether.

I should be glad if you would forward a cheque for this amount, as it would not be well to complicate matters by charging you with this sum.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Messrs. Snyder Bros.,
Portage la Prairie, Man.

Handwritten: 373371-
RECEIPT No. 3025
Amt. \$18.00 chq. *[Signature]*
G. M. M. *[Signature]*
Date 31-8-1914
Entered Journal No. 18 *[Signature]* Folio 93
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Dept. Receipt No. 34994

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

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ALSO TO THE DATE OF THIS LETTER.

PLEASE WRITE ON ONLY ONE SUBJECT
IN EACH LETTER.

ADDRESS REPLY TO THE
SECRETARY, DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
OTTAWA.



467074

Ottawa, July 18, 1914.

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Your obedient servant,

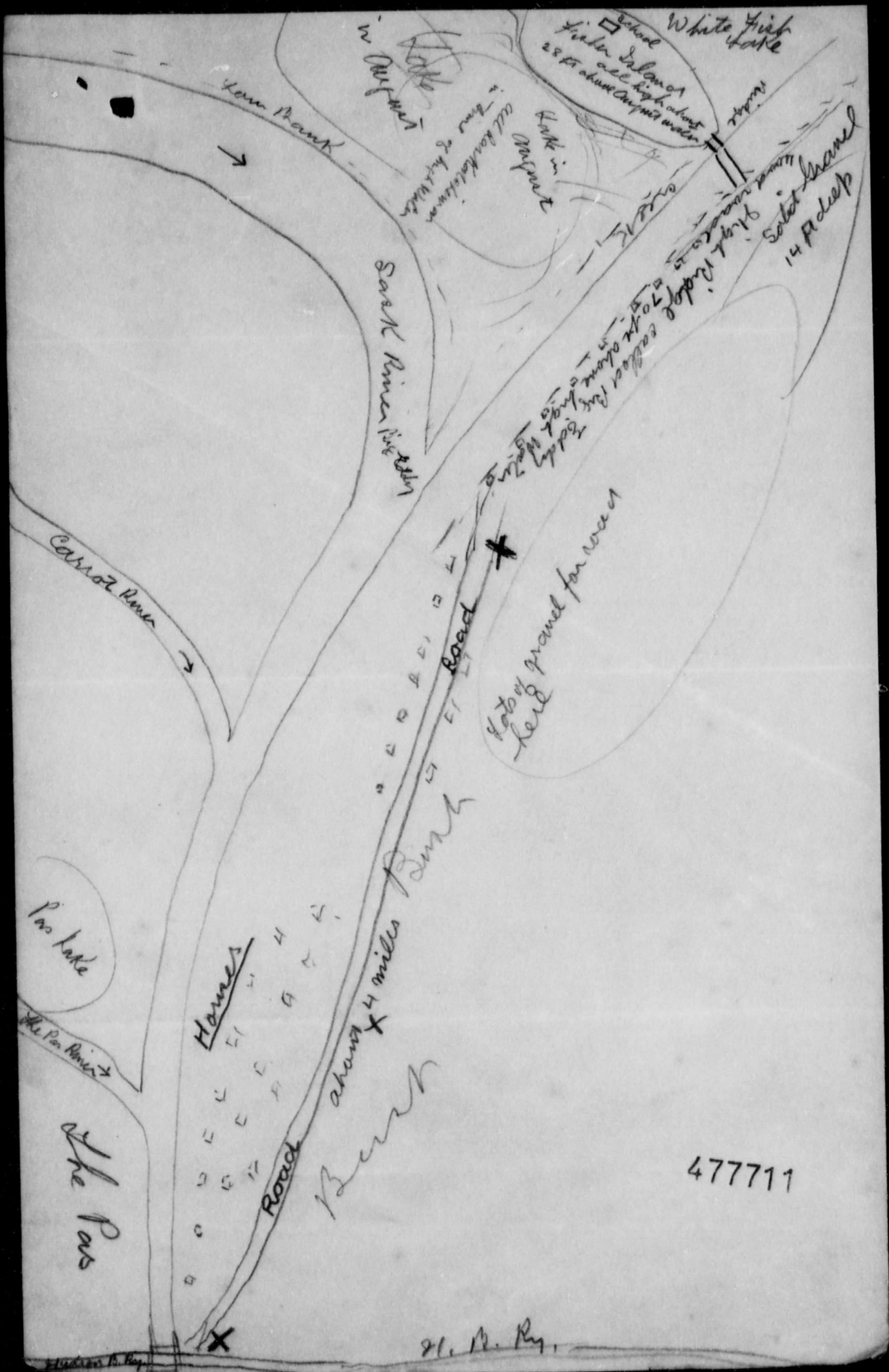
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Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Messrs. Snyder Bros.,
Portage la Prairie, Man.

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Re No. 1485



Office of the
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES.
Lake Manitoba Inspectorate.

1 Schools
2 Survey
78 River Avenue, Winnipeg, Man.

April 1st 1915. 777711

Dear Mr. Scott,

I desire to call the attention of the Department to the fact that it is very important that the pile bridge to connect Fisher Island with the Main Reserve at a point near the Big Eddy of the Saskatchewan River, should be built at as early a date as possible. When my report was sent in on the School Site, the necessity for this bridge was mentioned, and a rough estimate of the cost given at \$2,000.00. This estimate was arrived at, by consulting the Finger Lumber Company, as to the cost of piles and lumber, and practical men in The Pas, as to cost of labor in putting up the bridge.

Your Mr. Ogilvie informed me last fall that the cost of the bridge was in the estimates for the coming year.

As no doubt the Department are aware that at The Pas where the Saskatchewan River is bridged, that bridge has on both sides a place for ordinary vehicle traffic, though the approaches are not yet in.

At a meeting of The Pas Band, it was carried unanimously that the Band would clear a 66 foot road through the Reserve about four miles, if the Department would furnish provisions and grade and gravel same.

There is a number one road for six or seven miles on the Big Eddy Ridge, fit for automobiles now, and if these four miles were fixed, you can see what a boon it would be to The Pas Town (where for years there will be no other road) as well as to the Indians, and remove the objection that some of the

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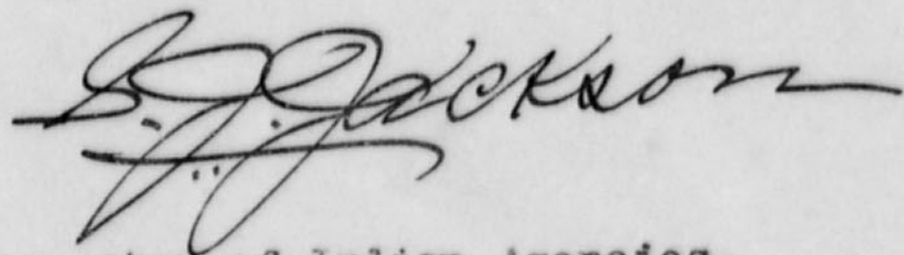
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people there have to the site of the Indian School.

If you will grant permission, I will undertake the putting in of this road, after the Treaty Payments in July.

If you could spare Mr. Ogilvie for a trip to see the situation of this road, I feel sure you would allow the building, and it will only cost, say, \$2500.00 with the Indians working as they have promised.

Yours truly,



Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Duncan C. Scott, Esq.,

Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

P.S. I am attaching a rough plan showing where the road to be built is situated.



REF. No. 1625

OFFICE OF THE

INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES,

LAKE MANITOBA INSPECTORATE,

STONEWALL, MAN., May 31st 1915.

[Handwritten signature]
SKM,

Dear Mr. Scott:-

Re. my letter No. 1485 of date the 1st of April 1915. I will be in The Pas on July 5th and will likely have a Band Meeting shortly after that date. The Indians no doubt will desire to know about the road and bridge to Fisher Island.

Please address letter in reply to The Pas, up to the 24th of July.

Yours truly,

[Handwritten signature: S. J. Jackson]
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

D. C. Scott, Esq.,

Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ontario.



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J D MacLean.

Secty Dept Indian Affairs.

Ottawa Ont.

Am sending you by todays mail surrender and plan of
the site selected for the lepas boarding school.

S J Jackson.

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The Pas Boarding School,
The Pas, Man.

April 9, 1915.

Recd
478243
Sir,

I beg to make application for a grant of eighteen (18) barrels of Portland Cement for the construction of cement sidewalks around the School and hospital, leading out for some 15 feet from each door of the School, except the girl's door, which requires a sidewalk to the closet, a distance of 175ft., and a sidewalk from the School front door to the Hospital front door, a distance of 350ft.

The soil about the School is excavated clay which easily adheres to boots and is taken into the building in large quantities in wet weather, and when it dries up it gives rise to a suffocating dust which must be detrimental to health.

The cement sidewalks alone will prevent this difficulty, with the addition of gravel. Gravel alone will not answer the purpose, and is destructive to floors.

The cement sidewalks will prove an economy in the long run, as they will save the floors and clothes, and will be conducive to health.

I am, Sir,

Yours Obediently,

Rev. L. Laronde.
Principal.

The Secretary,
Dept/ of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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REF. No. 1607

OFFICE OF THE

INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES,

LAKE MANITOBA INSPECTORATE,

STONEWALL, MAN., May 27th 1915.

Sir,

Enclosed find Voucher in duplicate in favor of Tudhope, Anderson & Co. Limited, of Winnipeg, Manitoba for the sum of \$44.00. The purchase of this Stump Puller was authorized by your letter No. 373,371/5 of date the 12th ultimo.

This Stump Puller was shipped to the Rev. Louis Laronde, The Pas, on the 10th instant, and freight paid.

Yours truly,

B. J. Jackson
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,

Assistant Deputy & Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ontario.

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~~SECRET~~

Ottawa, May 10, 1915.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 31st ultimo calling attention to your previous letter of the 1st of April, last, in which you recommend the building of a pile bridge to connect Fisher Island with the main reserve and also about four miles of road through the reserve to connect with the road now completed on the Big Eddy Ridge.

In reply I beg to say that the Department regrets that the funds at its disposal this year will not permit of its undertaking this work.

Handwritten signature/initials

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. J. Jackson, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Stonewall, Man.



Address to
Birkbathorpe
Prince Albert
 Sask.

The 1st
Man.
29. 7. 15
481862

Dear Mr Scott,

I am visiting the "McKay Boarding School". I wish you or some one from Ottawa interested in the Indians could be here between now & September & see the progress, almost wonderful, in the garden & surroundings. A large clearing, constantly growing, stumping & cleaning up going on, & a really fine potato & vegetable garden. It has meant much work & care, & the doing it has been a good farming lesson to the boys. Everything seems in good order, & I think Mr Larned is showing good capacity. Now, I wish to mention three things requiring the consideration & action of the I. D.

1. The n^o of pupils authorized for capitulation grant should be increased from 80 to 100. Inspector Jack. -son is strongly in favour of it, & has privately written. At present there are 47 boys in the two dormitories, but each dormitory could take 26 to 28 beds without undue crowding, say 53 or 56 boys in all. There are now 35 girls in their two dormitories, & these could be likewise increased to 53 or 56.

There are many applications now before us for children

from Red Earth, Moore Lake, & Cumberland, but
 I speak of them from the Pas Reserve, &c.

The staff also is large enough for this increase,
 so that the school would pay better returns
 for the larger number. Discipline, health, &
 conduct, are good, & I hope the I.D. will
 sanction the increase.

2. I believe Inspector Jackson asked for a Sup-
 plementary grant of \$250 towards the ex-
 pense of clearing. I do not think he has yet heard
 the reply of the I.D. I most earnestly back his
 request. The Clearing is very difficult & costly
 work. The amount of stumps & rocks not only
 makes the work hard, but also uses up a great
 number of tools. The work already done is mar-
 vellous. The Church in Saskatoon is already in
 difficulties with the Bank & can not possibly
 grant a dollar towards this work, which belongs
 rather to the I.D. than to the Church.
 A farm in entirely new land, & that bush & rock,
 can not hope to break any profit for two years.
 It is all expenditure at first. But I can confidently
 prophesy that in that time this farm will be
 probably paying its way, & partly supporting the school.
3. I wish to speak in good time for a possible
 further request presently for financial help. It
 may not come to you, but it may do so, & you may

not wait for the actual request, but may prefer to offer, on my information. The Saskatchewan river has been high & the lands flooded as has not happened for years. Mr Larnie got to work early in anticipation & began cutting hay in the usual hay-grounds. He cut a great deal in three different places: but the flood rose rapidly, & covered all of them, washing away all the cut grass. He only saved 5 or 6 loads, with every possible effort, & there he had to haul white green, & dry them here. There is now no possible hay-cutting all round the place. The nearest he can get is up the Carrot River, some 40 miles away, & he is sending up the first load of workers, horses, & machinery, today. This means hiring a steam-boat & barge to carry them up, & bring them down when all is cut. He will then haul the hay in winter, though he may have to fetch home some of it before that, when his hay runs out. This will mean great expense for a young and half-grown school-farm, & will cripple us greatly unless you help us.

Com mending all these matters to your interest
I remain

Yours faithfully,

J. A. McArthur

Bishop of Saskatchewan

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also another on another
subject

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4th August, 1915.

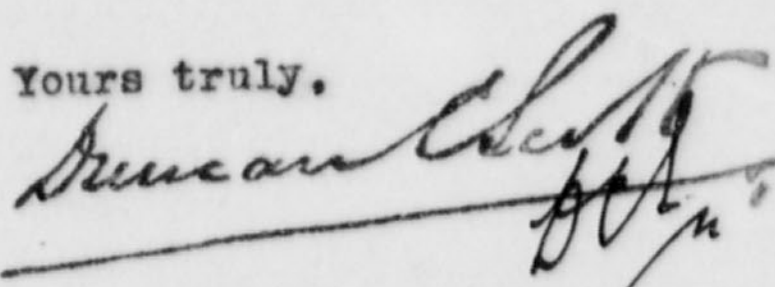
*Schools
re clearing*

Dear Bishop Newnham,

I have your communication of the 29th ultimo in reference to the Pas school. I regret that no increase can be made in the pupilage this year, but I shall be pleased to bear this school in mind for an increase next fiscal year. I shall look further into the question of assistance to help clearing some of the land in connection with the school.

I note the regrettable circumstances in connection with the hay crop. I doubt if we will have funds which will be available for this purpose. If you find it necessary to do so you might submit a statement showing the expenditure for the consideration of the Department.

Yours truly,



Deputy Superintendent General.



The Right Rev. J. A. Newnham,

Bishop of Saskatchewan,

Bishopsthorpe,

Prince Albert, Sask.

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Ottawa, August 11, 1915.

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MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott,-

With reference to that portion of Bishop Newnham's letter of the 29th ultimo in which he asks that a grant be made to assist in clearing of stumps and brush the twenty-five acres of land which was cut over sometime ago so that it might be ready for cultivation, I beg to say that Mr. Inspector Jackson estimated that it would cost at least \$250.00 in addition to the boy's labour to get this land into condition to crop.

As the school will depend to a large extent on what can be raised on the soil to help out the finances I would recommend that, if money can be found, a grant of \$250.00 for this purpose be made.

Wm. Bensen

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Adams

Ottawa, August 16, 1915.

Right Reverend Sir,-

JMB

In further reference to Your Lordship's letter of the 29th ultimo, I beg to say that the Department will make a grant of \$250.00 to assist in clearing of stumps and brush the twenty-five acres of land (McKay Boarding School) which was cut over some time ago, this being the amount which Mr. Inspector Jackson estimated it would cost to do this work in addition to the labour.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

The Right Rev. J. A. Newnham,
Bishop of Saskatchewan,
Bishopsthorpe,
Prince Albert,
Sask.

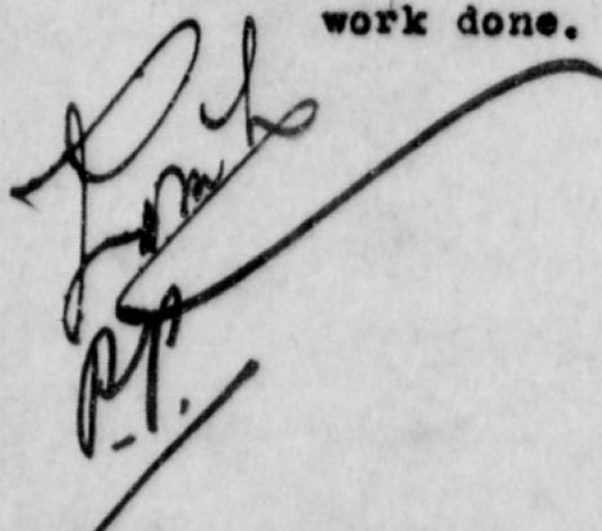
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Ottawa, August 17, 1915.

Sir,-

With reference to that portion of your letter of March 18th, last, in which you estimate that it would cost \$250.00 in addition to the boys labour in order to clear another 25 acres of land and get it ready for crop at McKay Boarding School, I beg to say that the Department has decided to allow the school authorities the above grant for that purpose and the principal is being informed accordingly. Agent Taylor will also be informed and will be requested to certify to the accounts for the work done.



Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

S. J. Jackson, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Stonewall, Man.

Ottawa, August 17, 1915.

Rev. Sir,-

The Department understands, that of the thirty acres cleared of trees, only five acres are cleared of stumps. It has been decided to allow the grant of \$250.00 in order to clear the other 25 acres and get it ready for crop. It is understood that the boys at the school will assist in this work .

Kindly forward accounts in duplicate for this expenditure through Mr. Indian Agent W. R. Taylor.

[Handwritten signature]

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

[Handwritten signature]

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Rev. Louis Laronde,
Principal,
McKay Boarding School,
The Pas, Man.

3 letters

Ottawa, August 17, 1915.

Sir,-

Of the thirty acres of land at the McKay Boarding School, which is cleared of trees, only five acres have been cleared of stumps and the Department has decided to allow a grant of \$250.00 in order to clear the other twenty-five acres and get it ready for crop next year.

The principal has been informed accordingly and instructed to forward duplicate accounts through your office.

[Handwritten signature]

You will be good enough to confer with the principal and see that this work is done promptly so that the land may be ready for next season.

[Handwritten initials]

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

[Handwritten mark]

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

W. R. Taylor, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas,
Man.

Folio.....

Nov. 31st

1915

Mr. Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

In Account with INDIAN BOARDING SCHOOL

Lo Pas, Man.

Terms.....

Balance, \$250.⁰⁰ Grant for Clearing.

Nov 31 Robt. McGillivray, 18 days' work @ 1⁷⁵/₁₀₀

" " Fred. " 21 " " @ 1⁷⁵/₁₀₀

31 50

36 25

68 25

1 45

Balance due \$66.⁸⁰

Overdrawn

\$ 66 80

L. Laronde
Principal

Vote 7.
Treaty 5.

Balance of 250.⁰⁰ Grant to school for
clearing land.

3582
sent Jan. 20/16.

Rel. Dept's. Letter.

373371-1

AUG 17 1915

INDIAN EDUCATION

Work performed
wages allowed fair & just.

W. R. Taylor

Indian Agent.

No. 575.

\$36 ⁷⁵/₁₀₀

Dec. 1st

1915

Received from Rev. L. Laronde

the sum of Thirty-six — ⁷⁵/₁₀₀ Dollars

for 21 days' clearing and hauling
stone from the School farm.

Witness:-

H. J. Turner

Fred Mc Gillivray

\$31 ⁵⁰/₁₀₀

Dec. 1st

1915

Received from Rev. L. Laronde
Robt. McGillivray

the sum of Thirty-one ⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars

for 18 days' clearing and hauling
stone from the School farm.

Witness:-

H. J. Turner

Robert McGillivray

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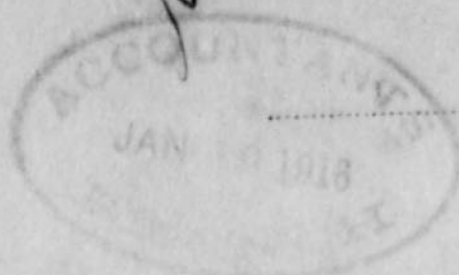
Letter No.



373371-5



Office of the *Ras* Indian Agency,



Jan 6th 1916.

R

Sir,

I have the honour to inclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 575, amounting to \$ 66 $\frac{86}{100}$

for Bal. of grant to school for cleaning grounds.

This Expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 373371-1 dated Aug. 17th 1915.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Saks

INDIAN EDUCATION

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W. R. Taylor

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

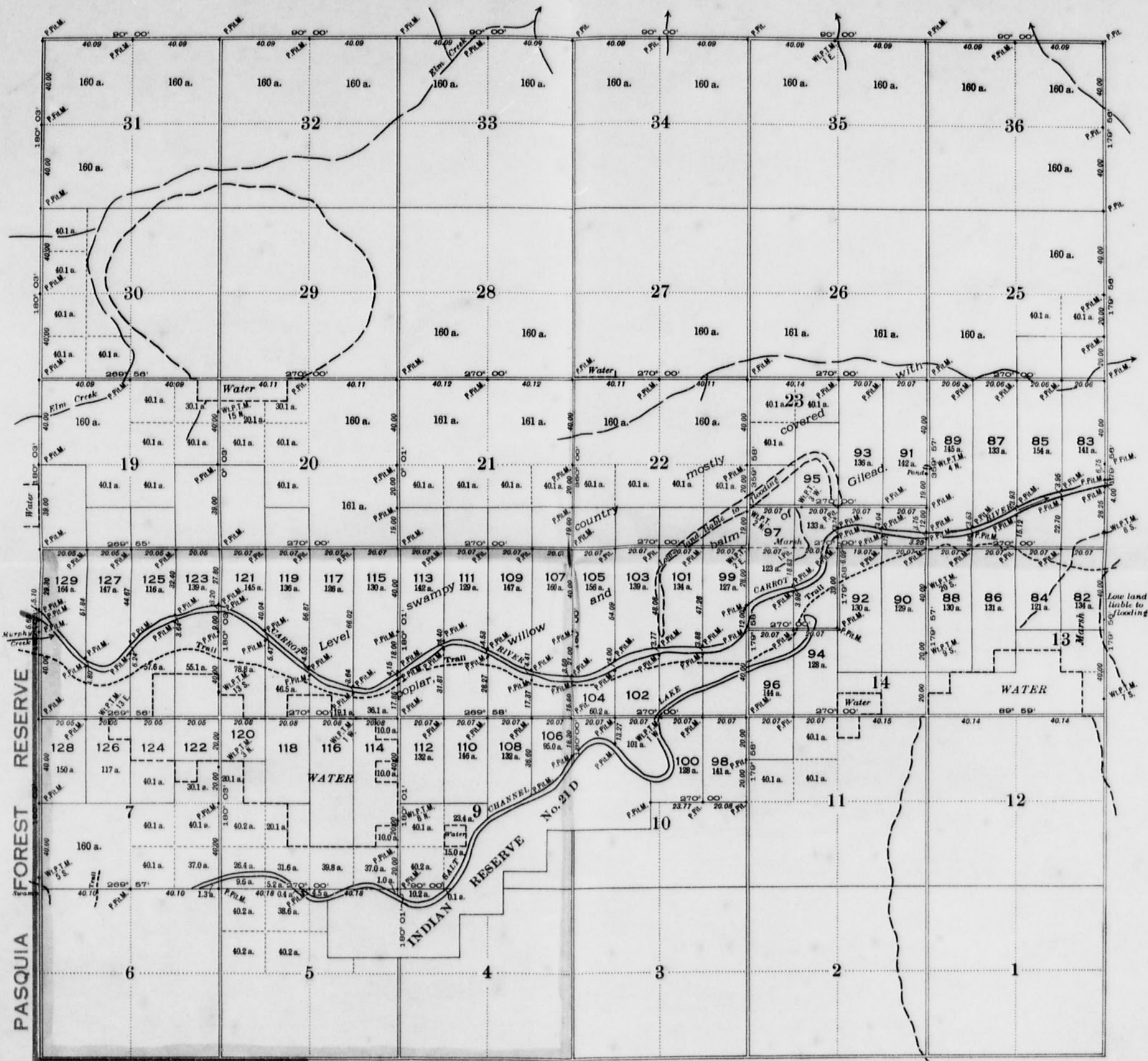
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MANITOBA

Plan of Township 55, Range 29, West of the Principal Meridian

FIRST EDITION

SCALE 40 CHAINS TO AN INCH



Compiled from official surveys by

S. Bray, D.L.S., 19th November, 1894
J. S. Galletly, D.L.S., 23rd January, 1917

NOTE: The subdivisions of quarter-sections shown upon this plan are legal subdivisions and quarters of legal subdivisions. Distances are in chains. Bearings are reckoned from the astronomical meridian through the centre of the township. Areas in acres are marked on all lands surveyed. Areas are taken to the banks of Carrot river and Salt Channel lake. Carrot river is the boundary between lots on opposite sides of the river. Lot numbers are shown thus...82 All monuments were erected by J. S. Galletly
P. stands for standard post; P.M. for four pits;
M. for mound; Wt. for witness; T. for trench.

13	14	15	16
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Legal Subdivisions
in a Section

Department of the Interior, Ottawa, 8th April, 1918

Approved and Confirmed

E. Deville

Surveyor General.

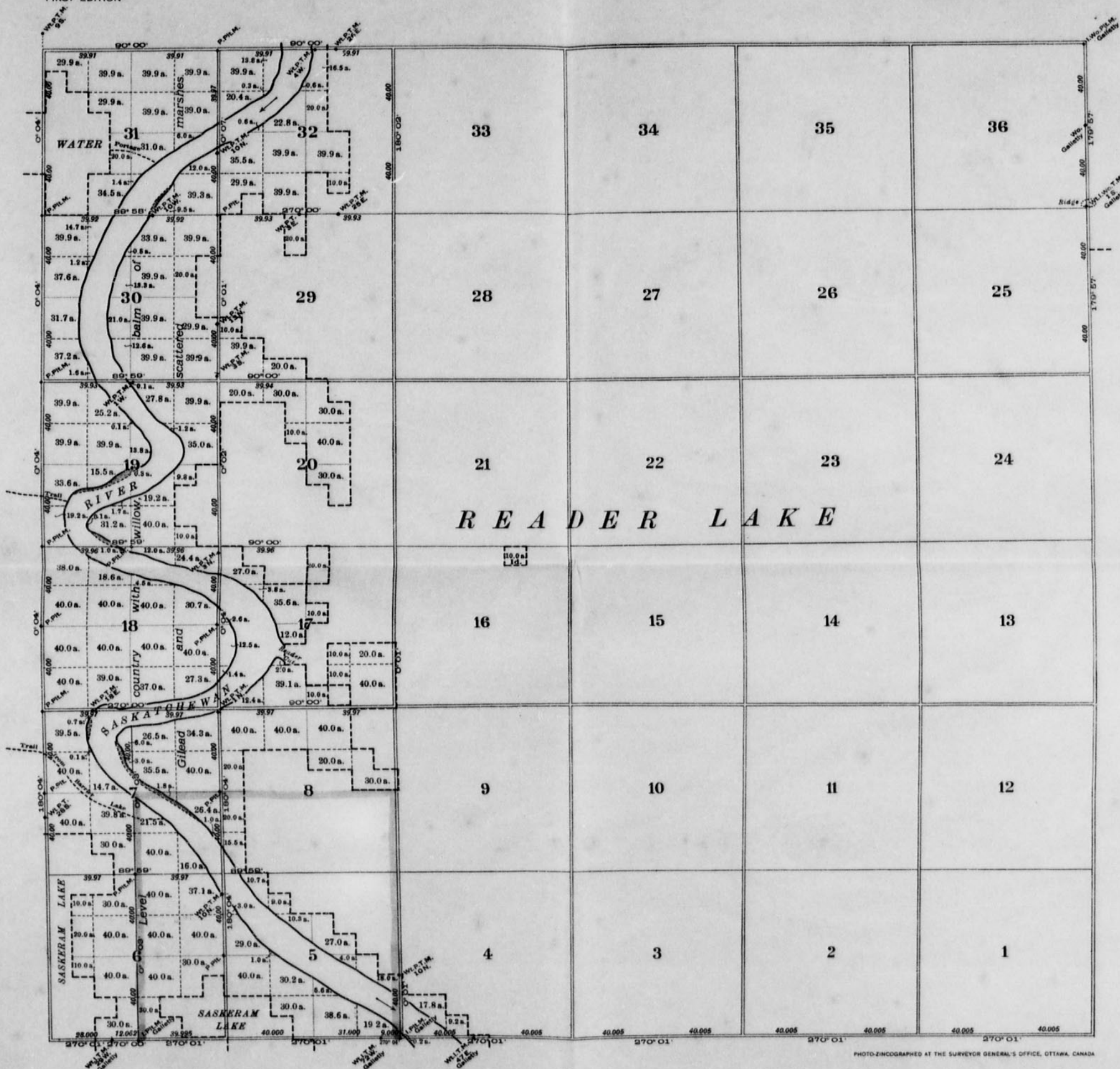
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MANITOBA

Plan of Township 57, Range 27, West of the Principal Meridian

FIRST EDITION

SCALE 40 CHAINS TO AN INCH



Compiled from official surveys by

E. W. Berry.....D.L.S.....31st December.....1912
J. S. Galletly.....D.L.S.....14th October.....1914
G. H. Herriot.....D.L.S.....14th March.....1916
P. M. H. LeBlanc.....D.L.S.....2nd December.....1916

NOTE: The subdivisions of quarter-sections shown upon this plan are legal subdivisions and quarters of legal subdivisions. Distances are in chains. Bearings are reckoned from the astronomical meridian through the centre of the township. Areas in acres are marked on all lands surveyed. Areas are taken to the banks of Saskatchewan river. Sand bars are shown thus..... The name at a monument is that of the surveyor who erected or restored the monument. All monuments not so designated were erected by P. M. H. LeBlanc.

P. stands for standard post; I. for old pattern iron post; Wo. for wooden post; Pit. for four pits; M. for mound; Wt. for witness; T. for trench.

Department of the Interior, Ottawa, 2nd June, 1919

Approved and Confirmed,

E. Deville
Surveyor General.

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in a Section

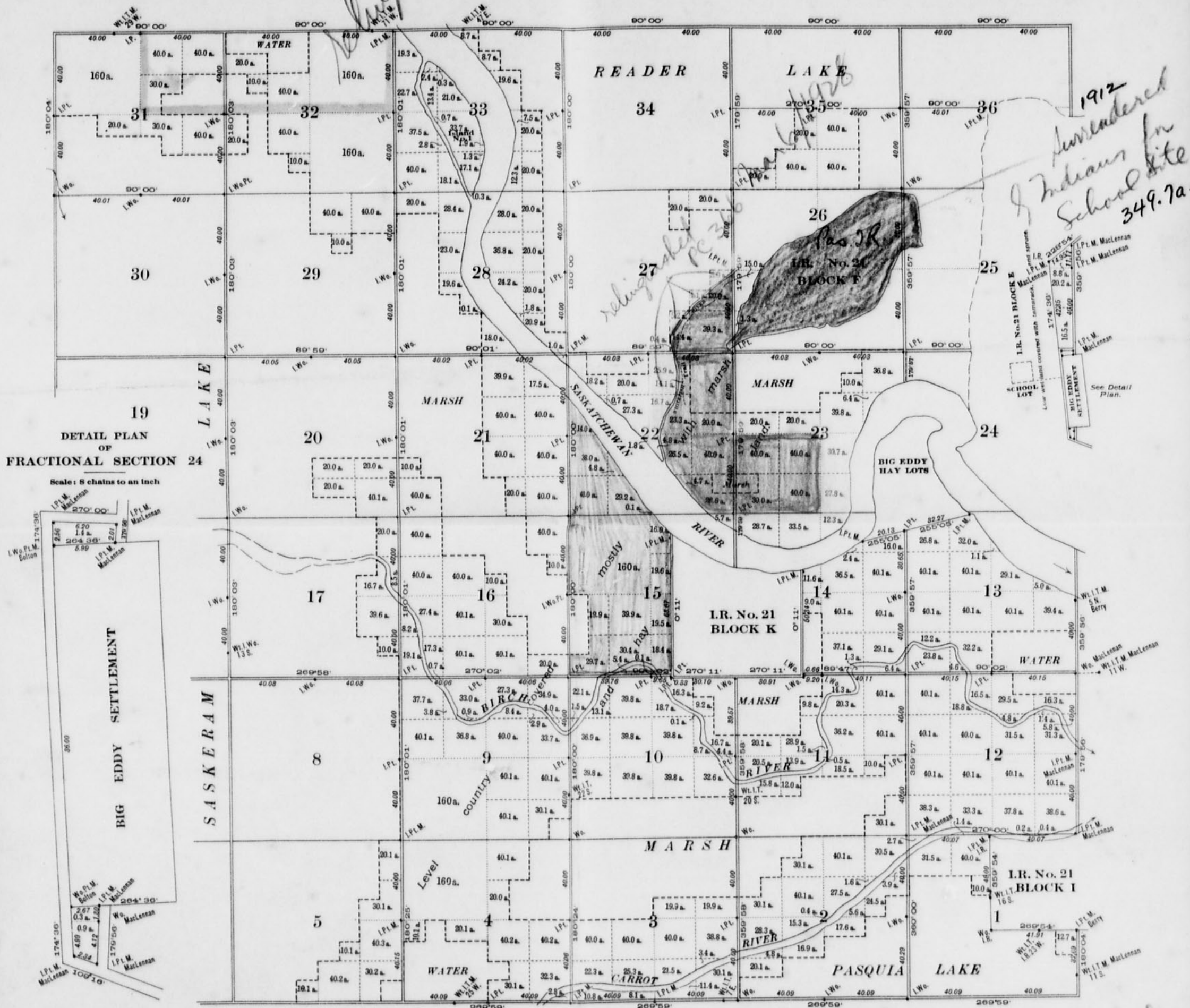
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MANITOBA

Plan of Township 56, Range 27, West of the Principal Meridian

SECOND EDITION, CORRECTED

SCALE 40 CHAINS TO AN INCH



Compiled from official surveys by

L. Bolton.....D.L.S.....17th August.....1907
E. W. Robinson.....D.L.S.....30th January.....1911
A. L. MacLennan.....D.L.S.....1st November.....1911
E. W. Berry.....D.L.S.....30th November.....1912
J. S. Galletly.....D.L.S.....13th March.....1915

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Department of the Interior, Ottawa, 24th March, 1916.

Approved and Confirmed.

E. Deville
Surveyor General.

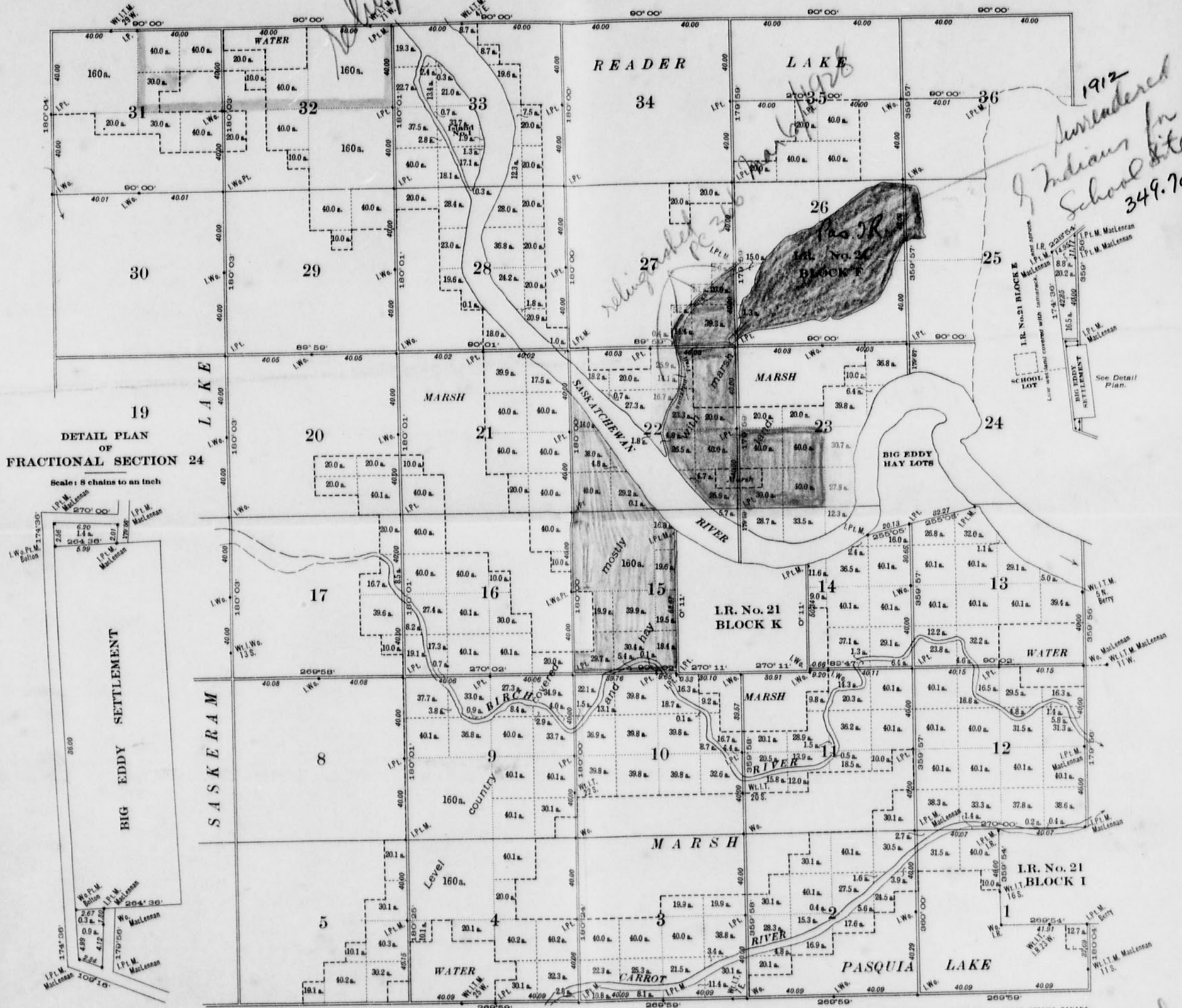
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MANITOBA

Plan of Township 56, Range 27, West of the Principal Meridian

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LEGAL SUB-DIVISIONS IN A SECTION

Department of the Interior, Ottawa, 24th March, 1916.

Approved and Confirmed.

E. Deville
 Surveyor General.

CEDAR LAKE SHEET

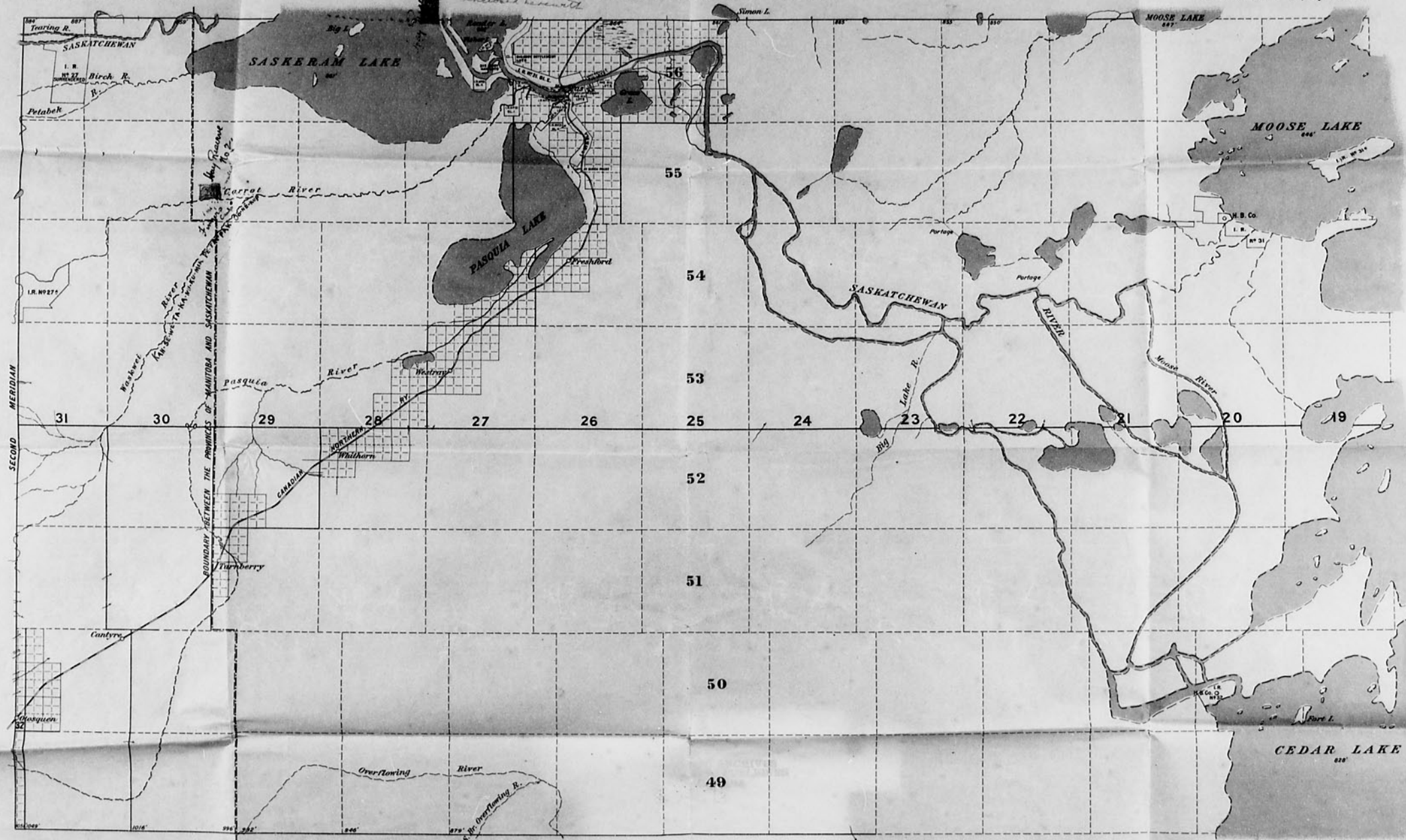
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Sectional Map

Three miles to one inch 1:100,000

WEST OF PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN

Revised to the 1st April, 1914



DIAGRAM

Showing Subdivision of Township

PHOTO-ENLARGED AT THE SURVEYOR GENERAL'S OFFICE OTTAWA, CANADA

Extracts from letter of Rev.L.Laronde, Principal
of The Mackay School, The Pas.

I have come to the conclusion that it will be to the best interests of the school, to divide the amount of land the department would be willing to grant into two lots: that instead of one hay-reserve to set aside two for the school, one close at hand on the Saskatchewan and the other as a last resort, further away on the Carrot River. I have ventured to mark the suggested hay-lands on the map you sent me, marked hay-reserve Nos. 1 & 2.

Hay Reserve No.1 would be seven miles up the Saskatchewan from the school, and would be at a convenient distance from the school, as compared with Hay-reserve No. 2 on the Carrot River which is about thirty miles from the School. A well defined ridge runs at right angles to the River and another ridge runs parallel for quite a distance. A line drawn East and West from a point half a mile from North end of Big Island would mark the South boundary.

An interval of about three weeks elapses between the word of a flood at Edmonton and it's arrival on the School here, and there is a further interval of over two weeks before a particular hay-field marked Hay-Reserve No.1 is flooded; as lands are flooded not by the overflow of the banks of the river but by the coming up of the water from the rear. In this case say the month of July, by ignoring our own flats, and going to this hay-field, on receipt of word of a flood, we could get the hay and have it all stacked on the River-bank in good time.

Hay Reserve No.2 would be located on the Carrot River, on twenty-three miles from The Pas, on the West side of the river, about a mile above the Creek named Waskwei on the Map. The hay-field is further up on the North bank. This hay-field is very good, and it's only drawback is its distance from the school, but it would be dependable.

EXTRACT FROM ditto FOR DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT
GENERAL.

To insure the successful harvest of our hay in the future, we would require a scow for the transport of our hay, as with it we could be independent of the transportation and not be depended upon in emergencies. The Department ought to provide us with a barge for freighting purposes, suitable for carrying horses.

If granted us the necessary lumber for a scow, we could say that it would be justified, not only by the expense of the hay, but also in vexatious delays.

The sep^l Sup^r G^l
Dep^t of Indian Affairs

DM

Prince Albert,

April 5th



489318

Dear Mr. Scott,

I beg to thank you for your last letter re, Onion Lake School. I can not rest satisfied with the decision of the I.D. as to our school buildings there and the land on which they stand. But I will look in to that matter before I write further. I am writing now about the hay-reserve requested for the McKay Boarding School, The Pas. I find that the letter to me on this subject was written from Mr. McLean, your Assistant Deputy. It was headed 373371/1, dated Feb. 14th. But as I have begun this letter to you I will so continue it. It would probably have to come to you in any case. In reply to that letter then, I am sending you by the same mail the map Mr. McLean sent me, with the Hay-Reserves^{ed} which we ask^{ed} for marked on it, as requested by Mr. McLean. I enclose with this letter Extracts from the letter of Rev. L. Laronde, explaining the map and the reasons for his choice. Mr. McLean promised to make application to The Department of the Interior on receipt of Map. Will you be kind enough to see that this is done and to speak a word on our behalf.

attention to the re-

for letter at the

subject from letter,

for favorable consideration -

can build the school, & it is

the hay- & -

I beg to remain,

Yours faithfully,

J. A. Saskatchewan
Bishop



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as to Hay
Reserves

Return to
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The Mackay Boarding School.
The Pas, Man., Mar. 31st '16

to R. Taylor, Esq.
Indian Agent, The Pas.
Sir.

I beg to make application for
a grant of the following lumber:-

(1) 10 pc 2" x 10" - 16

6 pc 2" x 10" - 12

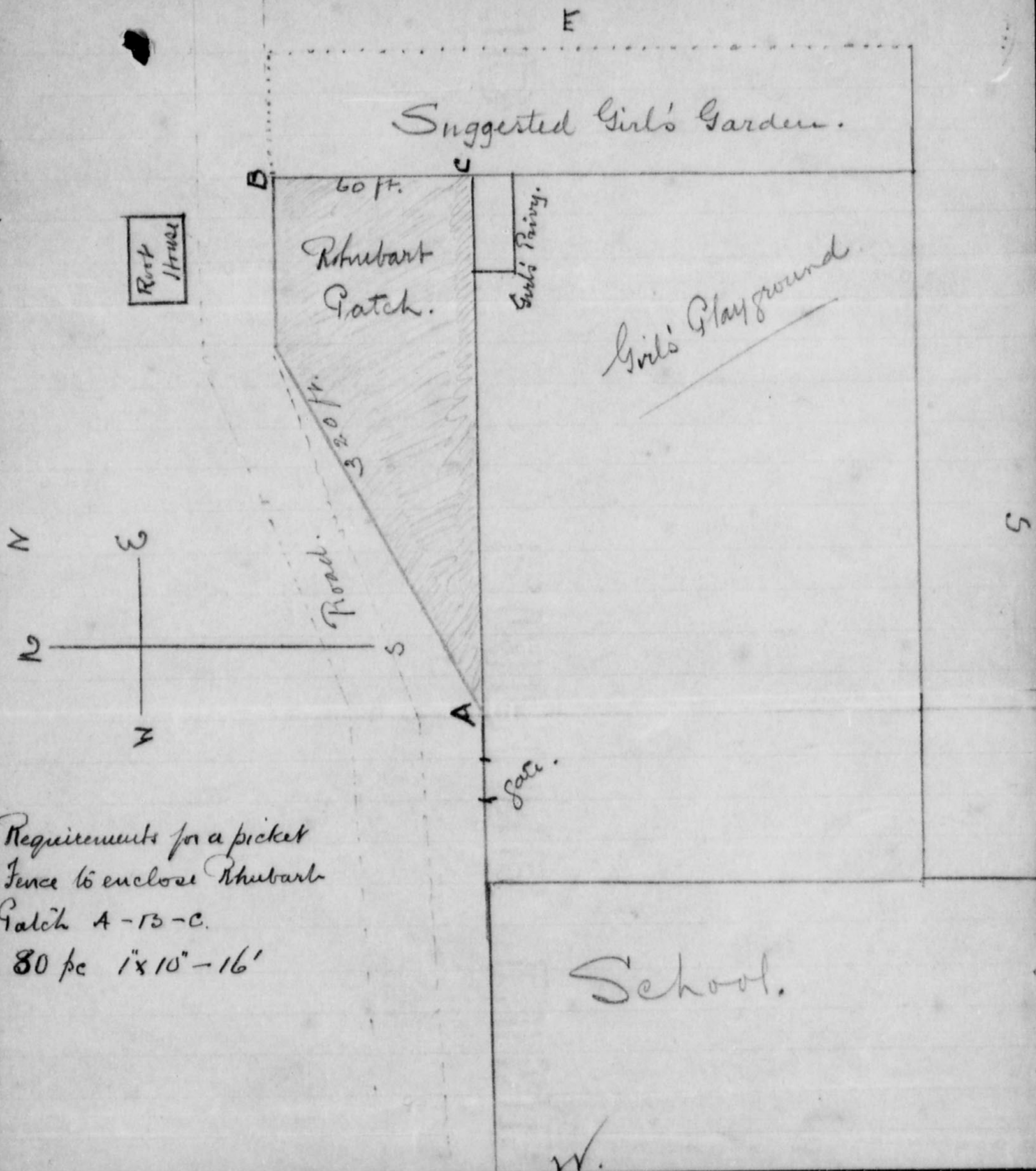
(2) 80 pc 1" x 10" - 16. 1/2 S.

In explanation of the above I beg
to say that (1) is for hot-beds and
cold-frames; (2) is to enclosed a
rhubarb patch which will isolated
from dogs, pigs, and interference of
plows &c, and for further privacy for the girls.

I am Sir,

Yours Obediently
Louis Laronde

THE MCKAY BOARDING SCHOOL
THE PAS, MAN.



Requirements for a picket
Fence to enclose Rhubarb
Patch A-B-C.
80 pc 1"x10"-16'

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,



The Pas, Man.

April 5th. 1916.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 2509/135
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

489288

Sir,-

The Principal of the McKay
Boarding School is applying for the following
lumber for a fence around rhubarb patch and girls
garden, also for cold frames and hot beds.

10 pcs. 2x10 - 16.
6 " 2x10 - 12
80 " 1x10 - 16.

I have got the price of this
lumber from the Lake Lumber Co., and will cost
\$45.05. As this appears to be necessary, I would
recommend the purchase.

Principal's letter, ^{and plan} attached.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Obedient servant.

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Can.

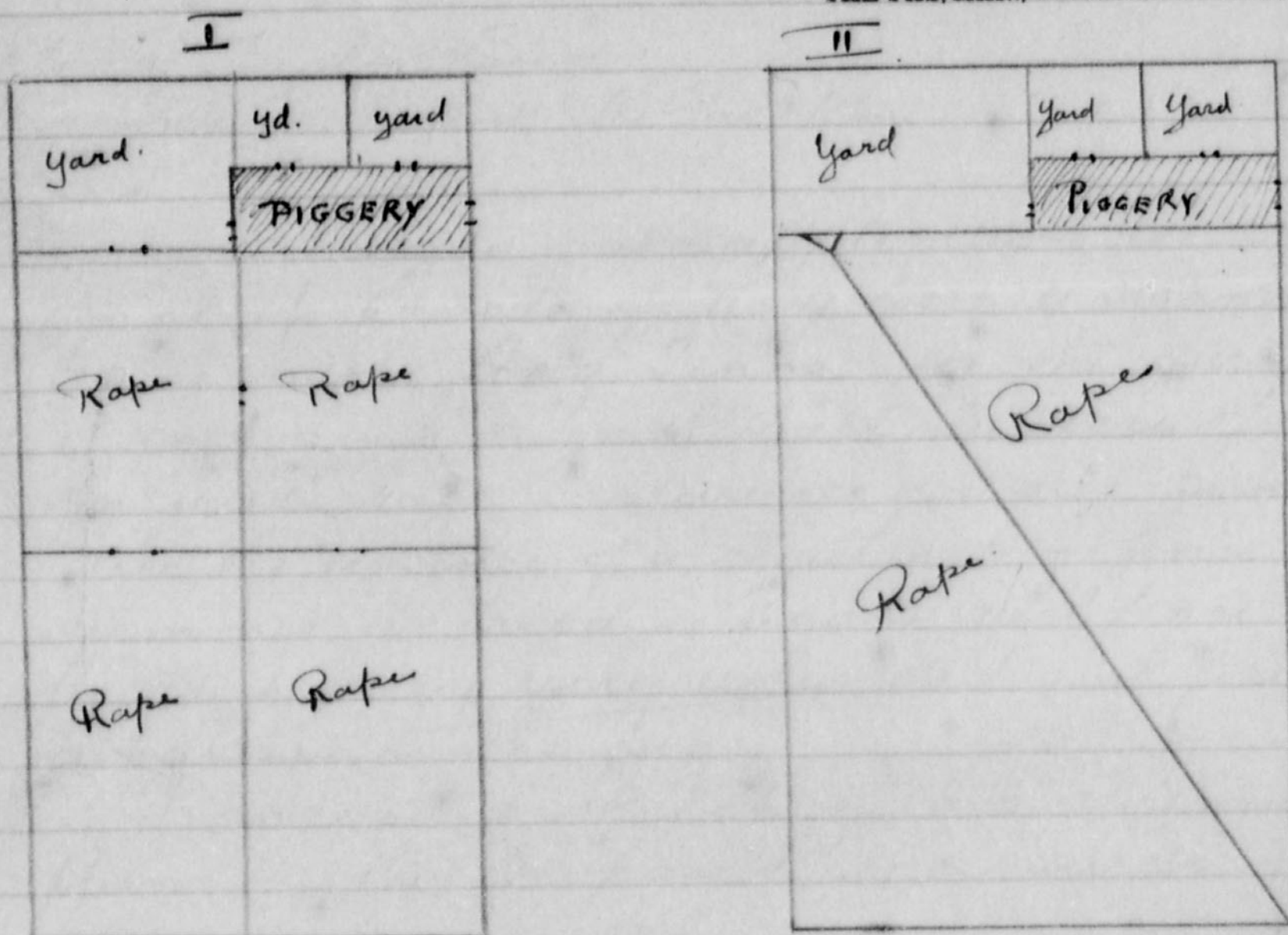
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PAS AGENCY.

THE MACKAY BOARDING SCHOOL,

THE PAS, MAN., 191



Suggested plans of enclosures for Hog yards and Pastures.

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THE MACKAY BOARDING SCHOOL,

THE PAS, MAN., *Apr. 1st* 1916

W. R. Taylor, Esq.
Indian Agent, The Pas, Man.

Sir.

I beg to make application for the grant of 60 rods of No. 9 wire, 9 strands, 52 in. high, Hog Fence, for the purpose of enclosing about half an acre of ground for yards, rape pasture &c for our pigs.

In the absence of a regular Hog-fence last summer, we tried a snake rail-fence which, besides being very ugly, did not prove a barrier to the pigs.

I enclose a sketch of two alternative plans of the proposed enclosures.

I am, Sir,

Yours Obediently
Louis Laronde.

373371-5

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

PASSENGER AGENCY.

The Pas, Man.

April 4th.



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 2505/135
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

489290

Sir,-

I beg to enclose herewith a letter from Principal Laronde of the McKay Boarding School, asking for 60 (sixty) rods of No. 9 wire 9 strands 52 inches high for a hog fence. Attached to the Principal's letter is a plan of the grounds to be enclosed by the wire. As the snake fence spoken of in the Principal's letter was far from being a success, I would recommend the purchase of the wire. The wire can be furnished by Mr. E. Carroll here, at a price of 60¢ per rod.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Obedient servant.

Indian Agent.



Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Can.

60¢
\$36.00
45.04
81.04

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DUPLICATE, FOR DEPARTMENT.

No. 6539

Bank of Montreal,

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Ottawa, April 8th, 1916

RECEIVED from W. R. Taylor

on account Indian Funds

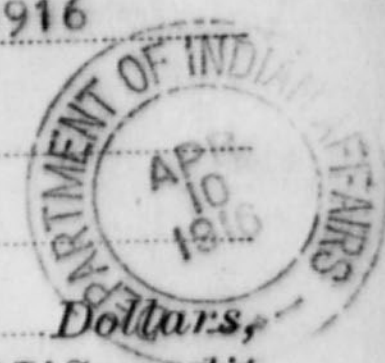
the sum of Forty cents ----- Dollars,

which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

Ent'd.

Pro. Manager.



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373371-1

1 by Minister
2 sectors

Ottawa, 13th April 1916.

Sir,-

It is desired to provide hay lands for the McKay Indian Boarding School at The Pas. The positions of two tracts are indicated approximately on the map enclosed; I shall be obliged if your Department will be good enough not to include these tracts in any sale or other disposition of lands in the locality until surveys can be made of the actual lands required.

Your obedient servant,

S.B. *LMH*
for *sga J D McLean*

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

The Secretary,
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, April 20, 1916.

Sir,-

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I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th instant in reference to purchase of 60 rods of wire as described for fencing hog-field, also the purchase of lumber for enclosing of a rhubarb garden, at Le Pas School, and in reply to inform you that 60 rods of wire @ 60¢ per rod and lumber as specified at a cost of \$45.05, making a total of \$81.05, may be purchased and delivered for the purpose; the work in connection with erection of the fences to be done by and at the expense of the school.

for

The accounts are to be sent to the Department for payment certified by you on the usual forms.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MCLEAM

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. B. Taylor, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas,
Man.

REF. No. 2046

373371/1

OFFICE OF THE

INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES.

LAKE MANITOBA INSPECTORATE.

Stonewall, Man.

August 22nd

Sir,—



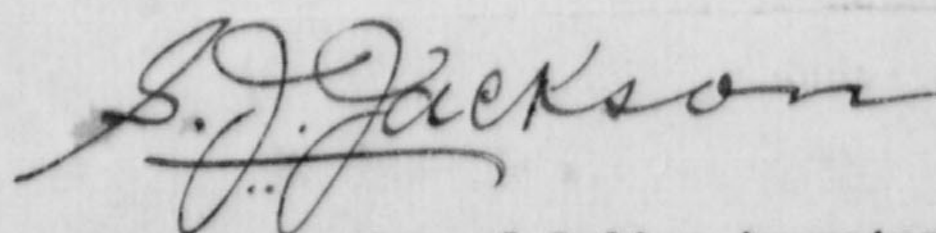
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Your letter No. 373371/1, of date the 16th instant received giving me authority to buy one hundred tons of hay, and in regard to the latter clause of same re clearing the twenty acres of stumps and stones. I went into this matter fully with the Principal on the 26th of July, and the estimate of the cost of clearing the 20 acres of stones and stumps, which is already cleared of ~~stones and~~ ~~stumps~~ the bush, was \$ 400.00. This is one of the jobs that can not be very closely figured on, and it would be almost impossible at the present time to get anyone to figure on a job of this kind. Mr Laronde can do this work cheaper than anyone else on account of the boys cheap labour.

I would recommend that the sum of \$ 400.00 be granted for this work, the account for the expenditure to be certified to by the Agent I have instructed the Principal to haul all the stone to the point on the Island where the bridge to the mainland will be erected at a later date. There is a low bank on the Island side which requires filling and the large quantities of stone to be removed can be used for making an embankment at that point.

Yours truly,



Inspector of Indian Agencies.

J.D. McLean, Esq.,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ontario.

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Ottawa, August 29, 1916.

Sir,-

2046

In reply to your letter of the 22nd instant I beg to say that, in view of your recommendation, a sum not exceeding \$400.00 may be expended in clearing of stumps and stones the twenty acres of land in connection with the Mackay Boarding School which have already been cleared of bush. The services of the boys in the school should be utilized as much as possible in having this work done and the accounts for the expenditure incurred should be in detail and certified by the Agent.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. J. Jackson, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Stonewall, Man.

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THE MACKAY BOARDING SCHOOL

THE PAS, MAN., Sept 1916



John
The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

403818

Sir.

In reference to your letter to Inspector S. J. Jackson, authorizing the expenditure of the sum of \$400⁰⁰ in clearing the land at this School of stumps and stones, I beg to say that it is a little difficult for us to finance this amount of work without some advance from the grant. I beg, therefore, to make application for an advance of \$175⁰⁰ on the grant, assuring the Department that the money will be used to the best advantage.

I beg to thank the Department for their generous assistance in our difficulties. I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,
Louis Laronde.

INDIAN EDUCATION
sent

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sent Sept. 29/16.

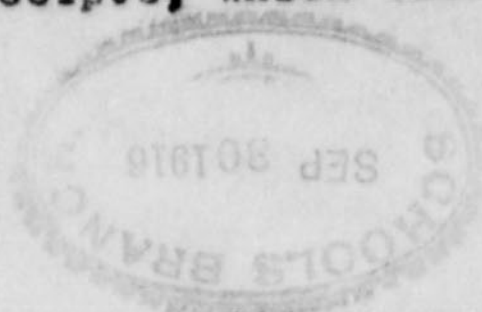
To Schools

Ottawa, September 28th., 1916.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that upon the recommendation of Mr. Inspector Jackson, the Department has decided to grant the sum of \$400.00 for the purpose of clearing 20 acres of stumps and stone in connection with the Mackay Boarding School which have already been cleared of bush. The services of the boys in the school should be utilized as much as possible in having the work done.

An advance of \$175.00 is being sent to the Principal of the school on account of this work and you should see that the expenditure is properly accounted for by detailed vouchers and receipts, which should be certified by you.



Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. R. Taylor
W. R. Taylor Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Le Pas, Man.

YOUR REPLY:
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LAND PATENTS BRANCH.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

R.B.



IN YOUR REPLY PLEASE QUOTE THIS
FILE NO 3703846



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
CANADA

Land Patents Branch

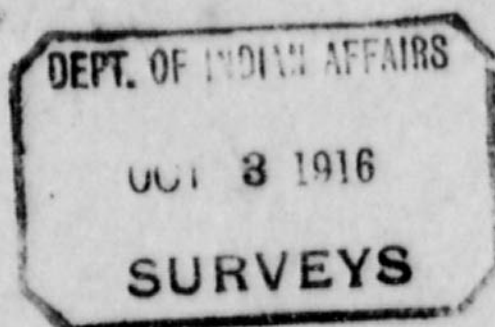
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Asst. Deputy and Secretary, *Ottawa* 28th September, 1916.
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
His file 373371-1 OTTAWA.

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Sir,-

I beg to enclose, for your information,
township plan forms on which have been laid down
certain lands applied for by the Department of Indian
Affairs, in townships 55-27 W. Pr. M. and 55-29 W. Pr. M.
Kindly note the application in your records, pending the final
decision as to the disposition of these lands.

Encl.



Your obedient servant,

N. O. GOTE

Controller.

The Agent of Dominion Lands,
Dauphin,
Manitoba.

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Vote No. 7
Treaty No 5

Department of Indian Affairs



To The MacKay Boarding School,

The Pas, Manitoba.

Dec. 30th. 1916.

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
Dec. 30	To paid men for stumping and clearing on the school grounds as per receipts enclosed.	74 10
Ref. Dept. letter No. 373,371-5 Dated Sept. 28th. 1916.		
3216 (77.80) sent Jan. 17/17.		
NO. 789 .		
Bal		77 80
TOTAL		74 10

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct. that the material has been supplied, the work performed, and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Ruth Taylor.
Acting Agent.

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PLEASE KEEP THIS BILL FOR REFERENCE

Date, 191

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Address

Bought of

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PLEASE KEEP THIS BILL FOR REFERENCE

Date, 191

M

Address

Bought of

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 \$40⁰⁰ Dec. 15th 1916
Received from THE MCKAY BOARDING SCHOOL
THE PAS, MAN. $\frac{x}{100}$ Dollars
the sum of Forty
for hauling away stone from the school
farm - Team of horses - 1 man - for 10 days.
Peter Luthien

 \$12⁷⁵ Oct. 20th 1916
Received from THE MCKAY BOARDING SCHOOL
THE PAS, MAN. $\frac{75}{100}$ Dollars
the sum of Eight Twelve
for clearing + stumping on the school
farm. 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ days @ $\frac{\$1.50}{\text{day}}$ and Meal. ✓
Samuel Cook.

 \$8⁷⁵ Oct. 5th 1916
Received from THE MCKAY BOARDING SCHOOL
THE PAS, MAN. $\frac{75}{100}$ Dollars
the sum of Eight
for clearing + stumping on school farm
3 days @ 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ Lazurus Partridge ✓
x Catherine Partridge



\$10⁰⁰/₁₀₀

Received from

THE MCKAY BOARDING SCHOOL
THE PAS, MAN.

1916

the sum of Ten

for hauling away stone from School farm

to 1 team of horses - 1 man - 3 1/2 days

* Alfred McMillivary

AP



\$45⁰⁰/₁₀₀

Received from

THE MCKAY BOARDING SCHOOL
THE PAS, MAN.

Oct. 12th

1916

the sum of Forty-five

Dollars

for stumping & clearing School farm.

25 + days @ \$1 75/100 as foreman

Robert McMillivary

AP



\$35⁰⁰/₁₀₀

Received from

McKay Boarding School

The Pas, Man. Dec. 12th 1916

the sum of Thirty-five

Dollars

for clearing on school farm

20 days @ 1⁷⁵/₁₀₀ & meal

Joseph M. Gillivary

Witness John Whitbread

AP



\$16⁰⁰

Dec. 20th

1916

Received from

THE MCKAY BOARDING SCHOOL
THE PAS, MAN.

the sum of Sixteen $\frac{x}{100}$ Dollars

for hauling away stone from School farm

4 days — man & Team

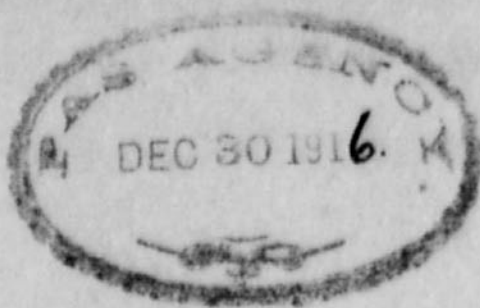
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David & Cook

Mrs. L. Laronde

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ter No.

Office of the Pas Indian Agency.

Dec. 30th 1916.

Sir,

I have the honour to inclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 789, amounting to \$74.¹⁰/₁₀₀

for Paying men for work on school grounds.

This Expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 373.371-5 Dated September 28th 1916.

*Yah Accepted for \$38 m.
\$252.80 balance
74.80
Pay*

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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File
W. J. [unclear]

Grackay Bd. School
The Pas, Man.

July 21st 1913.

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I desire to place before you two of the needs of this school towards which I would respectfully ask the kind assistance of the Department.

1. The need to bring more land into cultivation. The land is good, but it is wood land and very stony, and there is first of all stumping to do and then the stones to remove. If it were prairie land, where there is simply breaking to do, there would be no need for extra assistance, but breaking forest-land involves a great deal of labour that is purely manual and necessarily expensive. We have now about 25 acres under cultivation, and, if we could have even twenty-five more, we should have a fair start. What we have under cultivation has helped greatly. Last season we raised over seven hundred bushels of potatoes and a fair crop of oats, besides over ten tons of roots and various vegetables. We were able to reduce our consumption of flour by at least sixty sacks, and we had no occasion to buy oats for our horses. From present appearances we shall have this year a larger crop of potatoes and oats, besides barley for our pigs, wheat for our poultry and

The Deputy Sup^t General of
Indian Affairs
Ottawa

under corn for our cows. Our root crop will not be as good as last year, but that is owing to destruction by cut worms. There is sufficient encouragement in farming to make one feel that it would be a great help to have more land under cultivation.

2. It would be a great advantage if the road to the Reserve between this and the Big Eddy were improved. Most of the time, during the season of open water, the only practicable way that we have of getting to the Bar is by boat between the Big Eddy and the Bar, and by wagon between the school and Big Eddy. Starting from the school, the road on the school island is good enough, and also on the gravel bed between the island and the mainland, for about a mile there is no improvement needed, then we come to a slough which should be corduroyed for about 100 yards, then a distance of about 200 yards which is very and stony, and then a steep hill which should be graded. The hill is mostly gravel. The work would be to grade the hill and draw the gravel to the lower part of the road.

In submitting these matters to your kind consideration, I am not losing sight of the fact that we should not ask for any extra expenditure in this time of need, but I would draw your attention to the fact that, owing to the attendance in the school being a good deal below the number allowed, our per capita grant is very much reduced.

For the last quarter we drew only \$1806.75 instead of \$2200 which we should have drawn if the school had been full. For the current quarter it will be about the same. Thus in two quarters we shall draw very nearly \$800 below what we should have drawn with a full attendance.

Could the Department allow us \$200 for improving the road and \$400 for bringing more land under cultivation? Such help would be thankfully received and carefully applied. If it is taken into consideration, it may be considered advisable to refer the matter of improving the road to your agent here.

I am, Sir,

Yours obediently & sincerely
J. A. MacKay

July 29th, 1918.

Dear Sir -

Venerable Archdeacon MacKay has asked for assistance to the extent of \$400.00 to enable him to clear an additional 25 acres of land on Fisher Island for use in connection with the Pas Boarding School.

In view of the very satisfactory reports recently received from the Inspector and the excellent work that has been accomplished at this school, the Department has decided to assist him to that extent.

We shall honour accounts for labour to the extent of \$400.00, upon receipt of vouchers certified to by the Archdeacon, under whose supervision the work will be conducted, and also by yourself.

today.

I am writing the Archdeacon to this effect

Yours very truly,

ASM
BCJ
S. L. Macdonald, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas,
Man.

Deputy Superintendent General.

Accepted
Office note
July 27th, 1918.

Dear Archdeacon MacKay -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of the 21st inst., in which you ask for some assistance towards granting an additional 25 acres of land on Fisher Island, and also for a grant towards the repair of the road leading to the Big Eddy Reserve.

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ASM
While the funds at the disposal of the Department are very limited, and it is almost impossible to undertake work of any magnitude this year, I feel that owing to the excellent work you have accomplished at this boarding school during the past year under abnormal conditions, that I would like to help you at least with the clearing of the land.

The Department will, therefore, honour accounts from you for labour, certified

Ven. Archdeacon J. A. MacKay,
The MacKay Boarding School,
The Pas, Man.

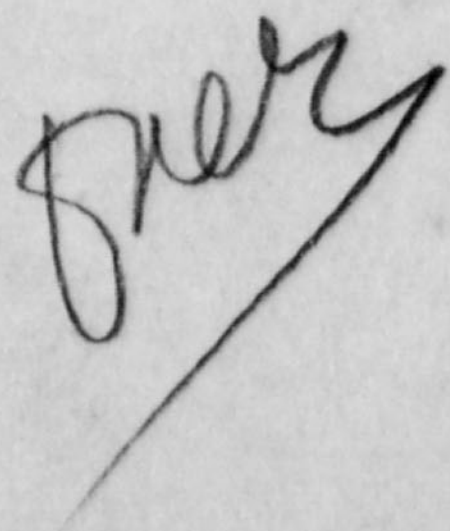
by yourself and the Indian Agent, who is being advised, to the extent of \$400.00, but on no account must this amount be exceeded.

I shall give further consideration to the matter of improving the road referred to.

Yours very truly,



Deputy Superintendent General.



August 1st., 1918.

Dear Sir -

Venerable Archdeacon MacKay when writing the Department asking for assistance to clear more land in connection with the MacKay Boarding School stated also that it **would** be a great advantage to them if the road between the school and the Big Eddy Reserve were improved, as during the season of open water in going to the Pas they use this road, going by water the rest of the way. He states that there is a slough some distance from the school which should be corduroyed for about 100 yards, then a distance of 200 yards which is miry and stony, and also there is a steep hill which should be graded.

He asks for a grant of \$200.00 to effect these improvements.

I should be glad if you would let me have a report.

S. L. Macdonald, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Yours very truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

373371-1

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



The Pas, Man.

Aug. 7th. 1918

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 6051-135
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

514088

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter No. 373371-1 July 29th. re clearing land, at Mackay School. The Ven. Archdeacon Mackay, was in the Office, about this, wanting to know how these labor vouchers would be paid, and he requests, that the Department, send an advance check for \$400.00, as all this labor, will be done by Indians, of the Pas Band, who are never able to wait for their money, to come from Ottawa, and in this way, the accounts could be paid here, by Agency check, and certified vouchers sent down in the usual way, covering same.

I have the honor to be,

Sir.

your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

SLM/M

Mr. Duncan C. Scott,

Deputy Superintendent General,

Ottawa, Ontario

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



The Pas?Man.

Aug. 7th. 1918

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 052-135
ALSO
TO DATE OF THE LETTER

Sir,

514035



In reply to your letter Aug 1st. 1918, re request of the Ven. Archdeacon Mackay, for road improvements, I beg to report that the place he specifies for repairs, on this road, are certainly badly needed, but I am under the impression, that \$200.00 will not nearly cover the work required, on this section.

During the Summer months, and with the exceptions of when the water, is high, the Mackay ^{school} is almost inaccessible, on account of the Swamp, which surrounds the Island.

The specifications, given by the Ven. Archdeacon Mackay, merely covers the approaches, on the main land, and in order to fix the road, properly, it would require a four ft. Rock fill, over three hundred ft. long, and a thirty foot bridge, to connect the Island, with the main land, there is any quantity of stone, piled on the Mackay School grounds, that would eventually have to be hauled away, and could be used for this purpose, and at the same time clean the fields, of rock.

I intended to report on this before, but was informed by Mr. Inspector Jackson, that he had reported fully on the condition of this road, but that nothing could be done to it, until after the war.

I would recommend that the \$ 200.00 be granted the Arch deacon, as this would certainly help to im-

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No.

ALSO

TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

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Sir,—

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improve the present conditions.

The bridge and rock fill could wait a while longer, or The Department could allow the school a certain amount per Cubic yard, to haul the rock from the fields, which is about a half a mile distant from where it is required, it would necessitate supplying the school with a low farm truck, which is badly needed there in any case.

I have reported as fully as possible on conditions as they are at present and trust that this information is what is required.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

S. L. Macdonald

Indian Agent.

SLM/M

Mr. Duncan. C. Scott.

Deputy Superintendent General

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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Indian Boarding School
The Pas, Man.

Aug. 10th 1918.

file My dear Sir,

I have the pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th ult. authorizing the expenditure of \$400.00 towards bringing more land under cultivation on Fisher Island and to thank you for the same. Your instructions in connection with this expenditure will have careful attention.

It is also encouraging to note that my work at this school, during the past year, has earned your approval.

I hope and trust that the Department will be able to grant also the help that I have asked to improve the road.

Yours very sincerely

J. A. Mackay

The Deputy Superintendent General of
Indian Affairs
Ottawa

August 22, 1918.

373,371-1A

Dear Archdeacon Mackay.-

I have your letter of the 10th instant, with further reference to your request for a grant to improve the road between the Mackay boarding school and the Big Eddy reserve. As the cost of this work would, from reports received, be quite extensive if any considerable improvement was to be effected, I regret that I cannot see my way clear to authorize any expenditure this year.

Yours sincerely,

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William C. C. H.

Deputy Superintendent General.

Ven. Archdeacon J. A. Mackay,

The Mackay Boarding School,

The Pas, Man.

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373.371-1A

August 22, 1918.

Dear Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the 7th instant, in which you report on Ven. Archdeacon Mackay's request for a grant to improve the road between the Mackay boarding school and the Big Eddy reserve, I would state that, in view of the ~~money~~^{grant} allotted for the purpose of clearing further land for the school this year, the Department is not prepared to authorize any expenditure on the road.

Yours truly,

Wbm
SCL
Macdonald
Deputy Superintendent General.

S. L. Macdonald, Esq.,

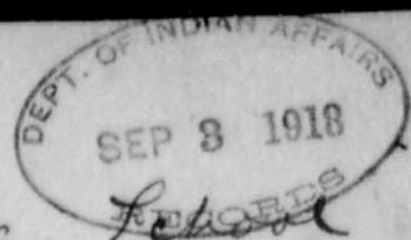
Indian Agent,

The Pas, Man.

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MacKay Bdp. ~~Records~~

The Pas, Man.

Aug. 29th 1918.

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Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 22nd inst. informing me that you cannot authorize any expenditure this year on the road between this school and the Big Eddy Reserve, on accounts of the reports received indicating that the cost would be extensive before any considerable improvement could be made, I beg to say that your Agent Mr. Macdonald informed me that he was recommending much more extensive improvements than I asked for. Certainly much more extensive improvements would be very desirable, but knowing the need for economy in the present condition of things, I

The Supt General of
Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

did not expect the Department to go into
 any heavy expenditure, and I only asked for
 a little necessary improvement. No one who
 is not living here can realise the inconve-
 nience of this unfortunate site for the school.
 When the country is flooded, we have plenty
 of water to use our boat between the bar
 and the school, but, as soon as the water
 subsides, we use the boat for over three
 miles from the bar to the Big Eddy, and
 then have to use a team and wagon for
 the other three miles. This summer the water
 has been high enough for our boat to come
 up to the school for only about two weeks.
 The rest of the time we have to use the road,
 and even a little improvement would be
 better than none.

Yours very respectfully

J. A. Mackay

~~My Page 1000 can
Please let me know
if you could provide funds
to the extent of \$200 for
the road repairs referred to
by Archdeacon Mackay.~~
A. J. N.

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Oct. 11th
Please send cheque

September 11th, 1918.

Dear Sir -

In further reference to your letter of August 7th, regarding Ven. Archdeacon MacKay's request for a grant to improve the road between the MacKay Boarding School and the Big Eddy Reserve, I beg to say that upon further consideration and in view of your recommendation, it has been decided to make a grant of \$200.00, this sum to be spent to the best advantage possible, as decided upon by yourself and Ven. Archdeacon MacKay.

A cheque will go forward under separate cover in a day or two.

Will you, therefore, kindly consult at once with Archdeacon MacKay, and have the work undertaken and carried out without delay. When forwarding your receipts for the expenditure, kindly report fully.

ALM

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Yours very truly,

Drummond
Deputy Superintendent General.

S. L. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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373,371-1A.

September 11th, 1918.

Handwritten: needed in sending cheque

Dear Archdeacon MacKay -

I have given further consideration to your request for a grant to repair the road between the MacKay Boarding School and the Big Eddy Reserve, and I have decided to authorize an expenditure not exceeding \$200.00, this money to be expended in such a manner as the Indian Agent, in consultation with yourself, decides to be to the best advantage.

I am writing to Mr. Macdonald informing him of this action.

We shall send him an accountable cheque.

Handwritten: J.A.M.

Handwritten: J.A.M.

Yours very truly,

Handwritten: Duncan Chisholm

Deputy Superintendent General.

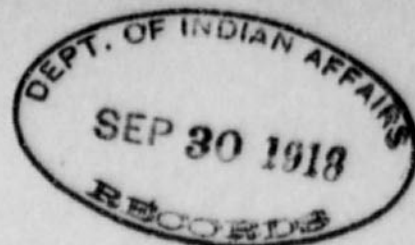
Ven. Archdeacon J. A. MacKay,
The MacKay Boarding School,
The Pas, Man.

*Handwritten: Sent by Duncan
radio
1292-200
sent 13/9/18.*

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The Pas, Man.

Sept. 24th 1918 515481

Noted
W. J. Mackay

I have received your letter of the 11th inst. informing me that you have decided to authorize an expenditure not exceeding \$200.00 on repairing the road between the Mackay Boarding School and the Big Eddy. I desire to express my sincere thanks for the same and after consultation with the agent will endeavor to make the best use possible of the money.

Yours very sincerely
J. A. Mackay

The Deputy Sup^t General of
Indian Affairs
Ottawa

PAS AGENCY.

Vote No. 7

Treaty No. 5

Department of Indian Affairs

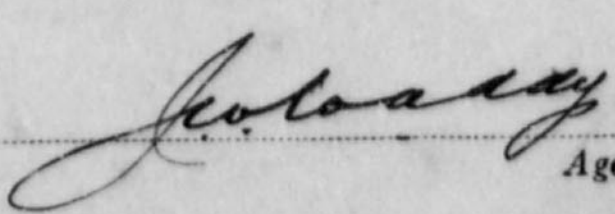
To Accountable Department Cheque

1292.

Repairs to Mackay School road.

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
January 10th.	Cutting road to School	25.00
Feb. 1st.	Repairs to road, cutting timber.	25.00
March 15th.	Unexpended balance returned to Rec. Gen.	150.00
	Cheque 1292 for amount of \$200.00	
	voucher 1413 accounting for 200.00	
	balance at Agency nil	
TOTAL,		200.00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.


Agent.

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Letter No. **1413**

Office of the **The Pas,** Indian Agency,

Acet
March 15th. 1919 191

Sir,

I have the honour to inclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. **1413**, amounting to \$**200.00**

for **repairs to road at Mackay school**

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

dept cheque 1292- Sept 1918

Letter No. dated

for acceptance
[Signature]
John M.
I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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MEMORANDUM, -

Mr. Mackenzie.

RE SITE FOR MACKAY BOARDING SCHOOL

521817

November 15th, 1911..Letter from Bishop of Saskatchewan recommending site on Big Eddy Reserve.

December 7th, 1911.,-Agent Fischer recommending Big Eddy Reserve.

January 5th, 1912....Agent Jackson wrote stating that Pas Band were willing to surrender 320 acres of land as site for proposed school.

On April 25th, 1912, Inspector Jackson was instructed to receive the written consent of the Indians to surrender the land required, at the annuity payments. He was also instructed to pick out a suitable site.

August 23rd, 1912,-.Inspector Jackson reported that in investigation he found land at Big Eddy Reserve, unsuitable, and recommended Fisher Island and enclosing surrender of same.

September 2nd, 1912,- Agent Fischer approves Fisher Island site

September 16th, 1912, Inspector Jackson reports that with the Bishop of Saskatchewan, he had again gone over the Fisher Island site and that the Bishop approved it.

September, 27th, 1912,-Letter from Bishop approving Fisher Island site.

December 14th and 16th, 1912, Inspector Jackson sent letters from various Indians and old settlers expressing favourable opinion of the Fisher Island site.

November 30th, 1912 Departmental letters addressed to Inspector Jackson and Bishop of Saskatchewan ~~referring~~ informing these gentlemen that Fisher Island site had been decided on.

P. Phelan

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JR REPLY
TO THE SECRETARY
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OTTAWA

A.S.



IN YOUR REPLY
PLEASE QUOTE
FILE No.

3703846

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Department of the Interior,
Canada.

Ottawa. 10th June, 1920.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

JUN 14 1920

SURVEYS

Sir,

General Check of Records
Twps. 56 & 57, Range 27, W. P. M.

With reference to your letters of the 24th of December and 7th of January last, your File 37269, in answer to letters sent you in connection with the General Check of Records being carried on by this Department, it would not appear that the North-East of Section 31, and the North half of 32 in Township 56, Range 27, W. P. M.; and Section 5, East half of 6, South-East of 7, and the South half of Section 8 in Township 57, Range 27, W P. M. are required for purposes of your Department.

I would, however, refer you to your letter of the 13th of April, 1916, your Reference 373371 - 1, and plan accompanying in which it would appear that these lands were at that time required by your Department. As your letter was written previous to the survey of the township which has now been carried out, I would ask if you would kindly inform me if these lands are not now required for the purposes of your Department.

Your obedient servant,

Wilson
Assistant Secretary.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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37269

Ottawa, 15th June 1920.

Sir,-

Tps. 56 & 57, R. 27, W.P.M.

With reference to your letter of the 10th instant
the
your file No. 3703846, I have to inform you that lands in
the above townships enumerated in your letter are still
required for hay lands for the McKay Boarding School at The
Pas.

Your obedient servant,

J. W. McLean
Assistant Deputy and Secretary

For M. 10
The Secretary,
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, Ont.

*See file 128-1-9 for the
subsequent correspondence
regarding certain lands
for the McKay School
S.B.*

*Please return this
to the Wm. Wilson
letter signed
AR*

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Original on File 37269

Department of Indian Affairs,

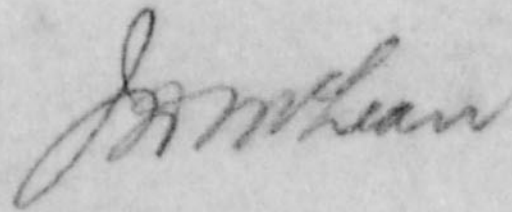
Ottawa June 15th 1920.

Sir,-

Tps. 56 & 57. R. 27. W. P. M.

With reference to your letter of the 10th instant your file No. 3703846, I have to inform you that the lands in the above townships enumerated in your letter are still required for hay lands for the McKay Boarding School at The Pas.

Your obedient servant,



Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The Secretary,

Department of the Interior,

Ottawa, Ont.

Miss B
Please return
this file to me
JR

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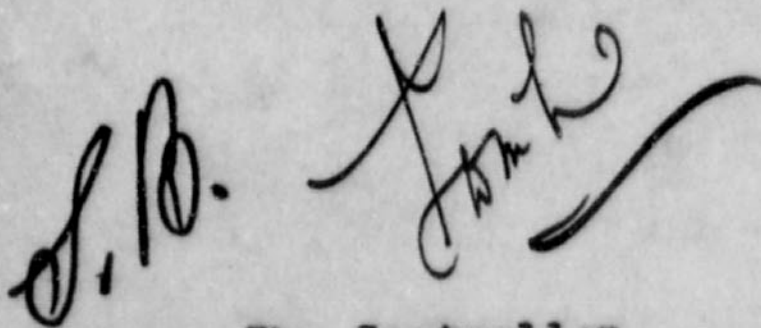
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Ottawa, 5th July 1920.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 28th September 1916 to the Agent of Dominion Lands, Dauphin, File No. 3703846, I have to request you to be good enough to have sent here a copy of the plan of Tp. 55, R. 29, W.P.M., showing the lands which have been temporarily reserved for the purposes of this Department.

Your obedient servant,

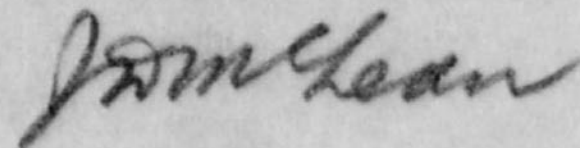


The Controller,

Land Patents Branch,

Department of the Interior,

Ottawa, Ont.



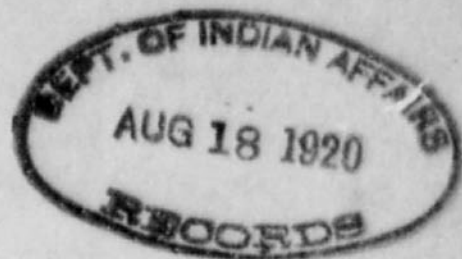
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Records for
file

373371-5

No. 6

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Extract from Inspector's Report on the MacKay Boarding
School, August 12, 1920. Original on 373371-6.
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They have also got two acres cleared of stumps and ready
for breaking and this will make a total of 40 acres. They
have, I should judge, about 60 acres more cleared of bush
but not the strength in money or horses to get it ready for
cultivation by taking off the stones and stumps. I would
recommend an annual grant of say \$500.00 to be made this
school for the next five years to enable them to get more
land under cultivation.

Improvements etc. required at the School.

Stones removed from the land. A grant by accountable cheque
of \$500.00 should be made this year leaving it to the prin-
cipal to supervise the expending of the money and send
voucher through the agent.

Binder. This was bought for me on the 20th of July.

S. J. Jackson,

Unsp.

Indian Affairs. (RG 10, Volume 6268, file 580-9, part 1)

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Ottawa, September 16, 1920.

Sir,-

With further reference to your letter of the 28th of September, 1916, to the Agent of Dominion Lands, Dauphin, Man., your file No. 3703846, right of way plan as requested in letter from this Department dated 5th of July last, be now forwarded.

Your obedient servant

W.R.W.
ASM
sgt A J MacKenzie

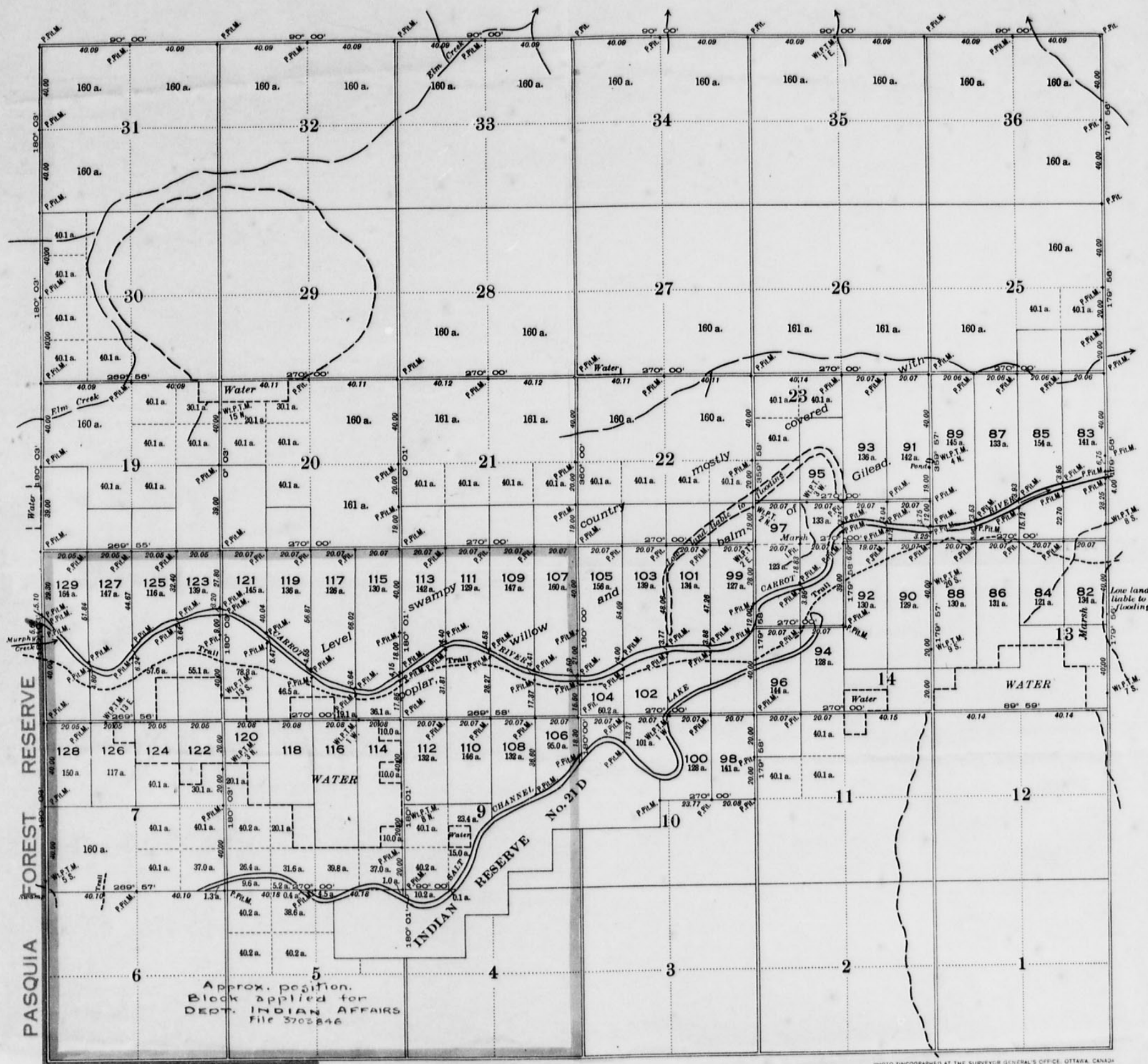
for Assistant Deputy and Secretary

The Controller,
Lands Patent Branch,
Department of Interior,
Ottawa.

Plan of Township 55, Range 29, West of the Principal Meridian

FIRST EDITION

SCALE 40 CHAINS TO AN INCH



Compiled from official surveys by

S. Bray, D.L.S., 19th November, 1894
J. S. Galletty, D.L.S., 23rd January, 1917

NOTE: The subdivisions of quarter-sections shown upon this plan are legal subdivisions and quarters of legal subdivisions. Distances are in chains. Bearings are reckoned from the astronomical meridian through the centre of the township. Areas in acres are marked on all lands surveyed. Areas are taken to the banks of Carrot river and Salt Channel lake. Carrot river is the boundary between lots on opposite sides of the river. Lot numbers are shown thus...82 All monuments were erected by J. S. Galletty
P. stands for standard post; Pit. for four pits;
M. for mound; Wt. for witness; T. for trench.

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Legal Subdivisions
in a Section

Department of the Interior, Ottawa, 8th April, 1918

Approved and Confirmed

E. Deville
Surveyor General.

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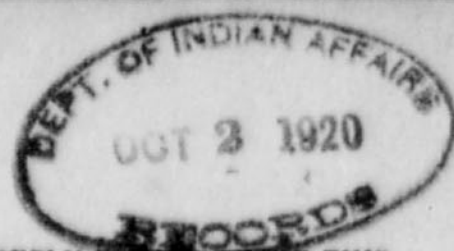
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ADDRESS YOUR REPLY:
THE CONTROLLER,
LAND PATENTS BRANCH,
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

J.M.



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY PLEASE QUOTE THIS
FILE NO. 3703846

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Land Patents Branch

Ottawa, 30th September, 1920.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

OCT 4 1920

SURVEYS

Re lands temporarily reserved
for Indians in Tp. 55, 29-W.P.M.
Your file 128-1-9.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of
your letter of the 16th instant, and to enclose
you a copy of the plan of the above mentioned
township showing outlined in RED the lands which
have been temporarily reserved therein for the
Indians.

Encl.

See your letter of the 5th July last,
your reference 373371-1A.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

J. S. Lyndon
acting Controller.

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Ottawa, 4th October 1920.

Sir,-

Enclosed herewith please find township plans of Tp.55,R.29,W.P.M. and Tps.56 and 57,R.27,W.P.M. Will you be good enough to indicate thereon those lands within the limits tinted red used for hay purposes by the McKay Boarding School authorities? You are also requested to report as to what land you think should be permanently reserved in these areas for the above purposes.

JP
WBM

Your obedient servant,

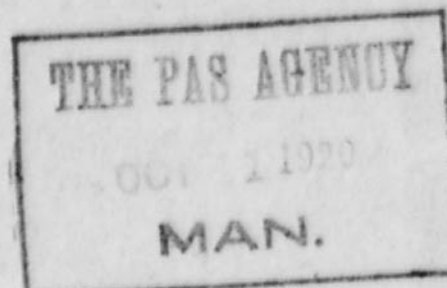
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Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

J.W.Waddy Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pee, Man.

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Dear Mr Minchin.-

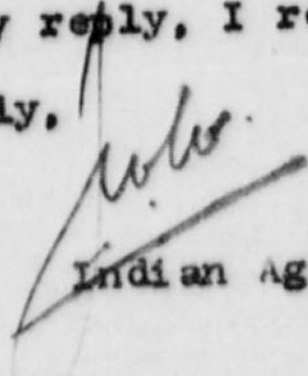
I have a letter from the Department in reference to hay lands for the Mackay Boarding School. Three maps were enclosed, and I forward same to you. You will notice an outline in red on each map, and the Department asks me to mark in these limits the land used for hay purposes by the school.

As far as I can ascertain the land used is that I have marked in black ink - viz the S.E. Sec 27.
E 1/4 2 22
S.W. " 23
all in Twp 56, Rge 27, West of Principal Meridian.

If you have any information in reference to the land marked in red please advise me, as I cannot find anything on file. However, the Department must have had some application for this land or they would not have referred to it.

Thanking you for an early reply, I remain,

Yours sincerely,


Indian Agent.

Rev. A. Minchin,

Principal, Mackay Boarding School,

The Pas, Man.

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Letter No 1



OCT. 17, 1920

Dear Mr. Waddy,

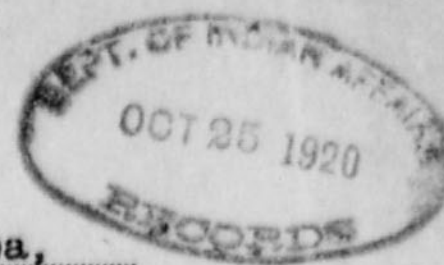
In answer to yours of the 11th inst.:
The part marked in black ink on the
plan of Township 56, Range 27, W. of P. M.
isiz - S.E. Sec. 27, E. $\frac{1}{2}$ of Sec. 22, S.W. Sec. 23
represents the land on which the school
has cut hay for some years and from which
we took at least 20 tons this year.
I think it might be well to round this
off by including the small portions of S.E.
of Sec. 23, N.E. of Sec. 15 and N.E. and N.W.
of Sec. 14 all enclosed by the bend of the
Saskatchewan River.

The only occasions on which the school has
cut hay further away have been in seasons
of high flood and I cannot say exactly
where this has been cut.

Yours very truly,
Arthur E. Minchin
Principal.

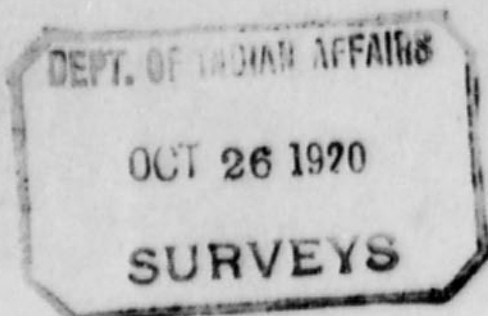
128-1-9
INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

The Pas, Manitoba,



October 20th, 1920.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 855/135
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER



543916

Reaney
Sir,—

In answer to letter 128/1-9 of the 4th inst. regards hay lands for the MacKay Boarding School and maps enclosed, I have the honour to state that none of the land marked in red on these maps has been used for hay grounds for some years.

I enclose a letter I received from the principal of the school describing the lands he used for hay purposes.

Mr. Inspector Jackson probably knows the land marked in red on the maps. I am not acquainted with it myself.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

W. L. L. L.
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, 27th October 1920.

Sir,-

With further reference to Departmental letter of the 4th instant and your reply thereto, I have to inform you that at the request of the authorities of the McKay Boarding School a temporary reservation for haying purposes was secured for those areas not already within reserves, shown red on the enclosed township plans. An extract from the letter of the Rev. L. Laronde, who was Principal at that time is enclosed.

The Department of the Interior is desirous that all area in excess of absolute requirements be released and this Department wishes to comply with that policy as far as possible. In view of the letter from the present Principal, forwarded by you, it is thought that a definite statement should be obtained from the school authorities as to the tracts that should be retained for their purposes and if they do not desire any part of those tracts indicated in red, they should so state.

Be good enough to request the Principal to go further into this matter in order that a release may be given for any lands not actually required. Plans enclosed should be returned with your reply. A copy of this letter is being sent to Inspector Jackson for his information and comment.

Your obedient servant,

A. Williams

For Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

J. W. Waddy Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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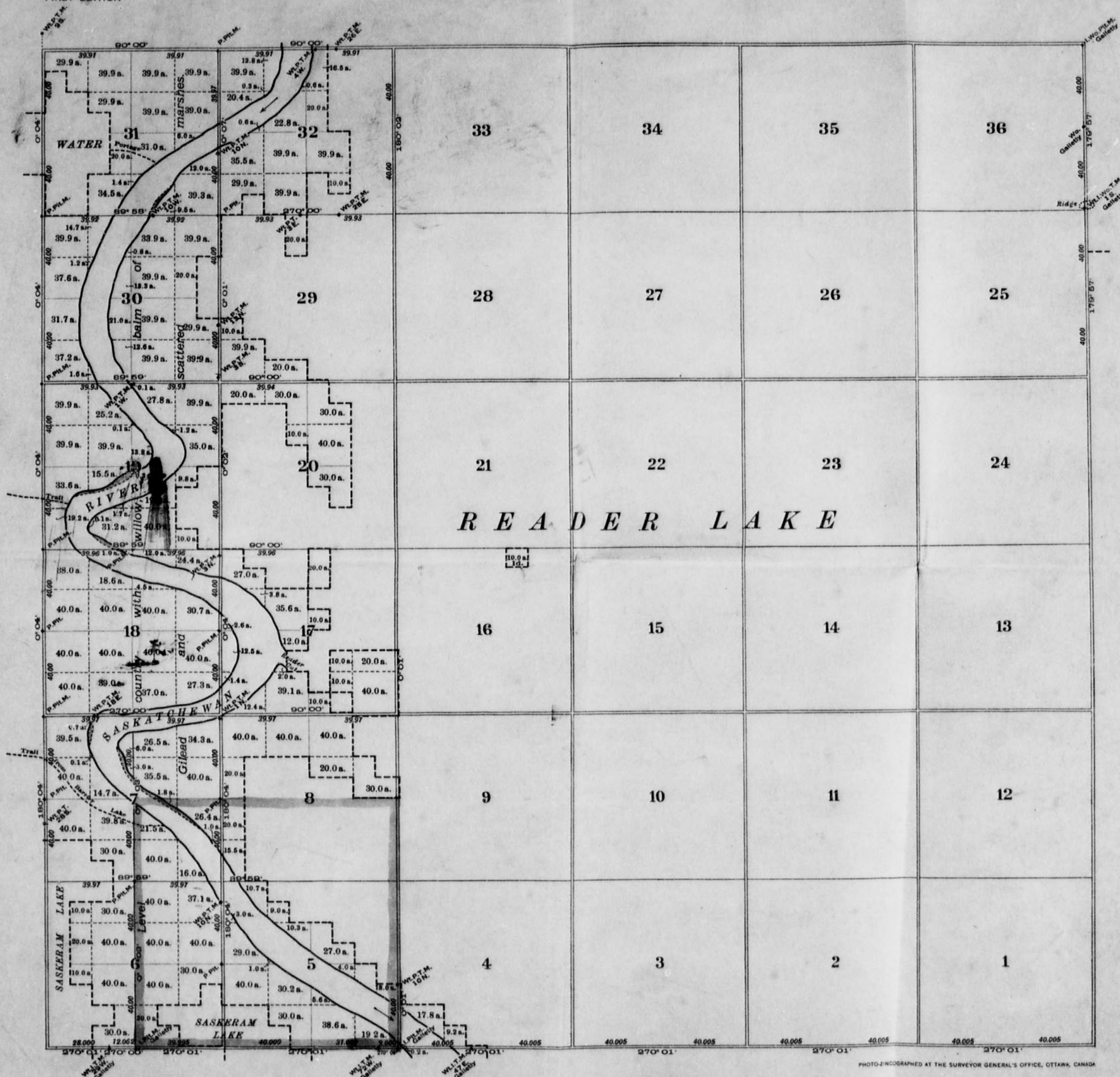
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Plan of Township 57, Range 27, West of the Principal Meridian

FIRST EDITION

SCALE 40 CHAINS TO AN INCH



Compiled from official surveys by

E. W. Berry.....D.L.S.....31st December1912
J. S. Galletly.....D.L.S.....14th October1914
G. H. Herriot.....D.L.S.....14th March1916
P. M. H. LeBlanc.....D.L.S.....2nd December1916

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P. stands for standard post; I. for old pattern iron post; Wo. for wooden post; Pit. for four pits; M. for mound; Wt. for witness; T. for trench.

Department of the Interior, Ottawa, 2nd June, 1919

Approved and Confirmed

E. Deville
Surveyor General.

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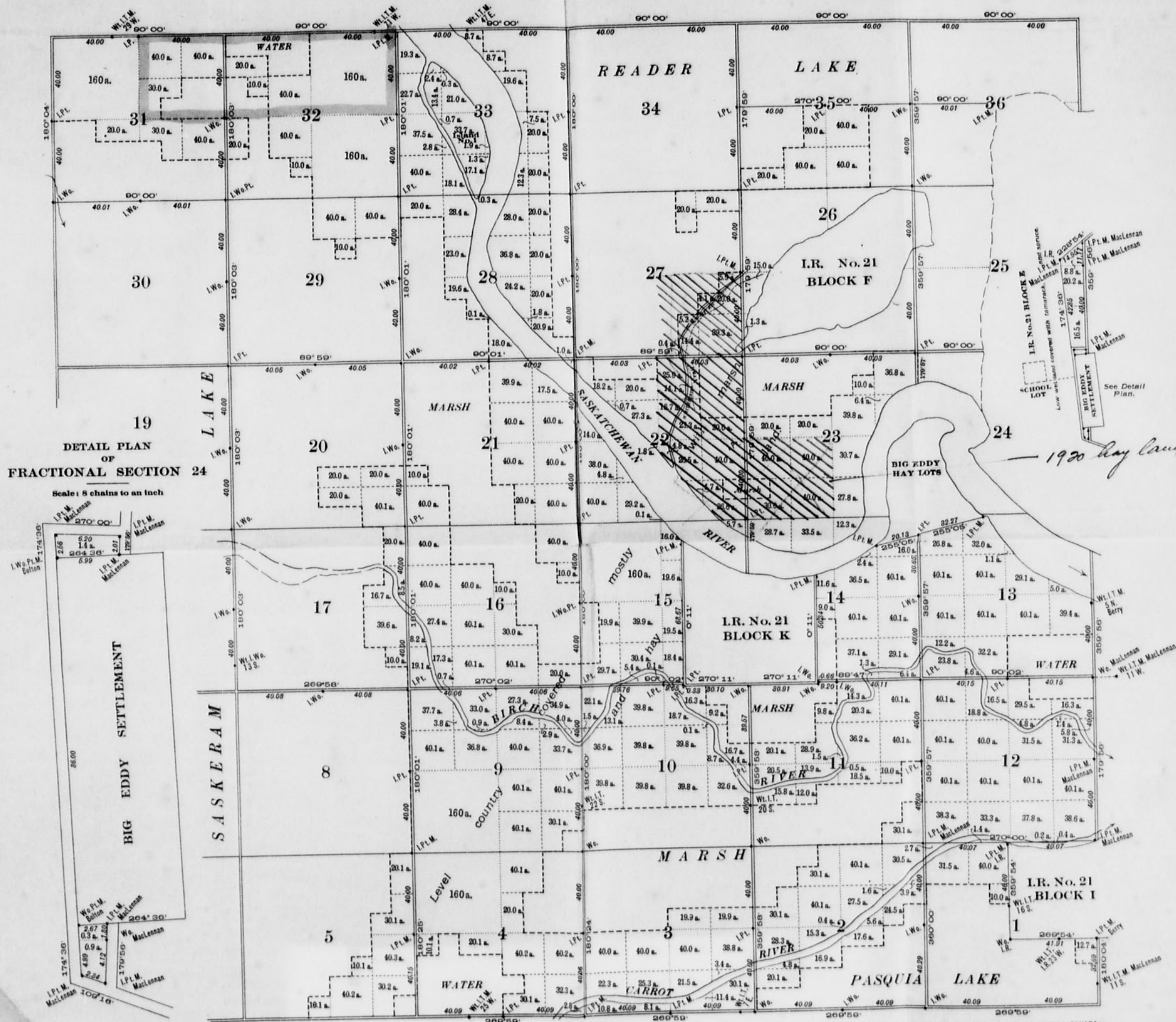
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Plan of Township 56, Range 27, West of the Principal Meridian

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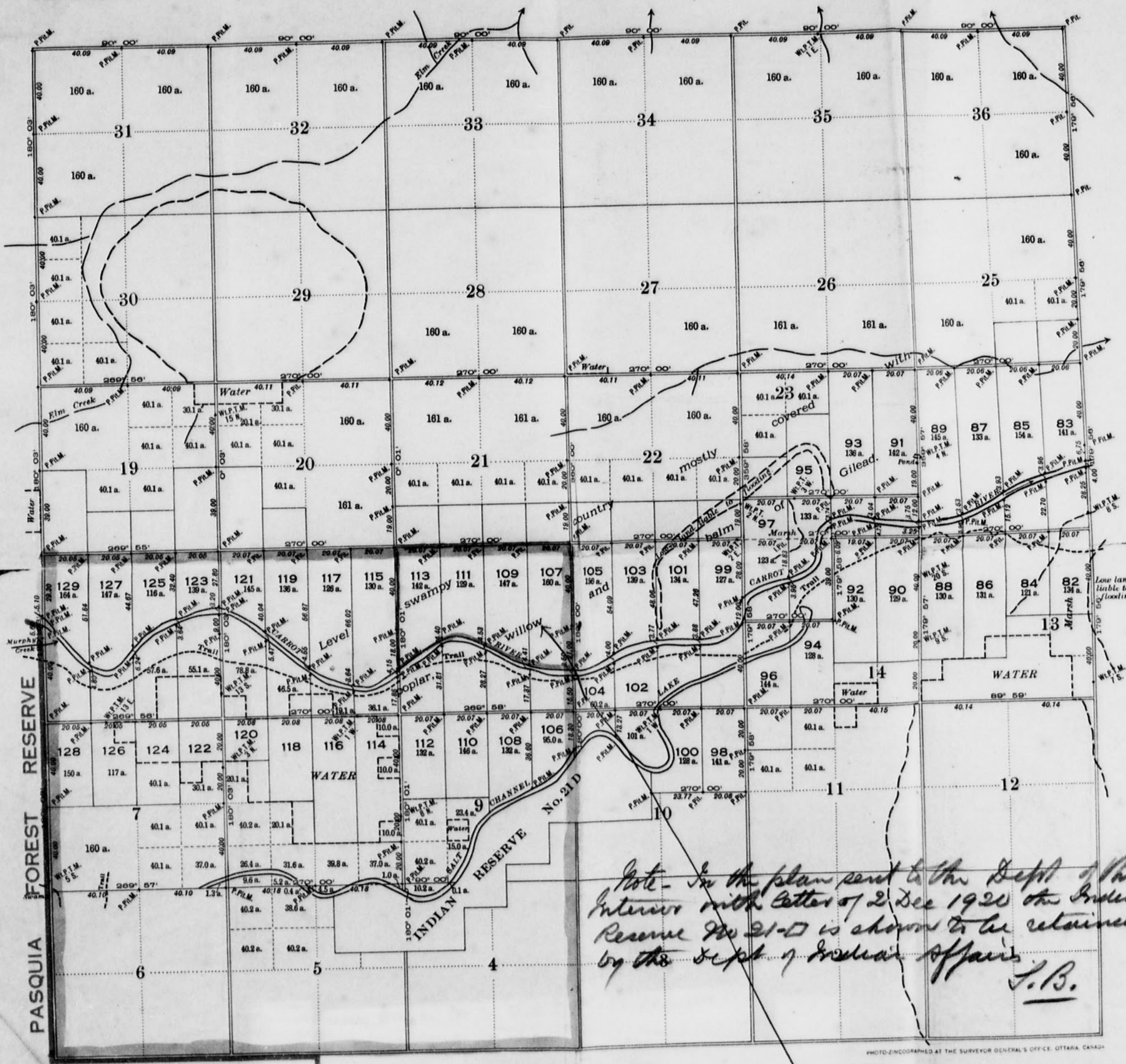


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Plan of Township 55, Range 29, West of the Principal Meridian

FIRST EDITION

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Note - In the plan sent to the Dept of the Interior with letter of 2 Dec 1920 the Indian Reserve No 21-D is shown to be retained by the Dept of Indian Affairs
 L.B.

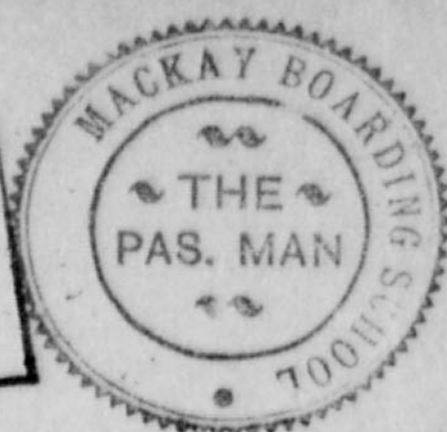
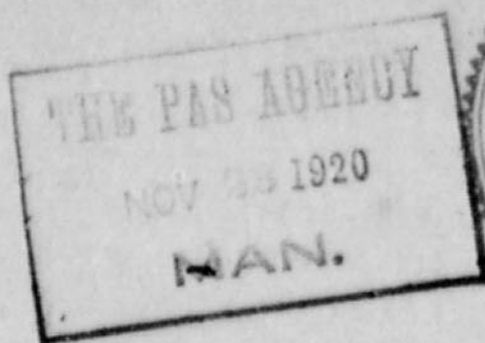
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Department of the Interior, Ottawa, 8th April, 1918

Compiled from official surveys by

Approved and Confirmed

J. W. Waddy Esq.
Indian Agent
The Pas Man.



NOV. 20, 1920

Dear Mr. Waddy,

With reference to the question of hay reservation for this school I beg to say that it is of the utmost importance that we should secure the land adjoining this island as outlined in my last letter.

Beyond this, it would be a safeguard, if some part of the tracts indicated in red were also retained as I understood that the flats adjoining this island are flooded in years of extremely high water.

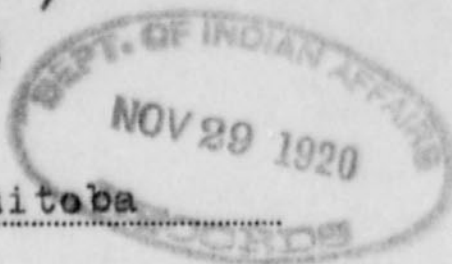
The land situated on the N. bank of the Carrot River would be the better and I should suggest some such portion as that I have enclosed with pencil marks. (113, 111, 109, 107)

Yours very truly
Arthur E. Munich
Principal

128-1-9

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The Pas, Manitoba

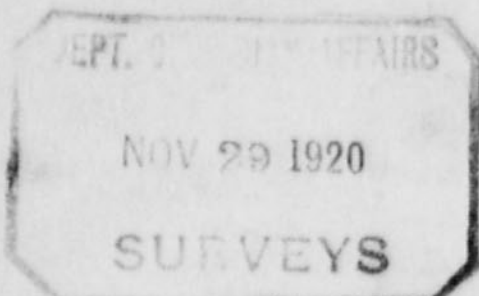


November, 24th 19 20

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 135/891
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—



In answer to your letter 128-1-9 of October 27th, last, I have the honour to state that all lands outlined in red on the three enclosed maps may be cancelled as far as the MacKay School is concerned, with the exception of River Lots 113, 111, 109 and 107, which Mr. Minchin applies for, to be used as hay lands.

Mr. Minchin also asks if the Department will get control of the lands sketched in black on Townsite 56, Range 27.

I beg to recommend that ~~this~~ be done.

I enclose original copy of letter received from Mr. Minchin, also the three maps.



I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

John Waddy
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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CANADA

Ottawa, 2nd December 1920.

Sir,-

With further reference to your letter of the 10th June last No.3703846 and our letter of the 5th July following, I have to inform you that further inquiry has been made with regard to the lands required for the McKay Indian boarding school and I have now to submit herewith maps of Tp.55,R.29; Tp.56,R.27 and Tp.57,R.27, all W.P.M., showing tinted in red thereon the lands which are no longer required for this Department.

Two plots of land are required for the purposes of this school and are shown tinted green on the plans herewith. They consist (1) Block containing river lots 107,109,111 and 113 in Tp.55,R.29,W.P.M., on the North side of the Carrot River. This is ~~the~~ portion of land at the N.E. corner of the block previously retained for the use of the school. (2) In Township 56,R.27,W.P.M., the S.W. 1/4 Sec.23; S.E. 1/4 Sec.27; N.E. 1/4 Sec.22 and the Frac. S.E. 1/4 of the said Sec.22.

I have to request that the said lands, if available be reserved for the use of this Department. The question as to whether these lands are to be finally confirmed by Order in Council will be a matter for future consideration.

S.B.
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Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

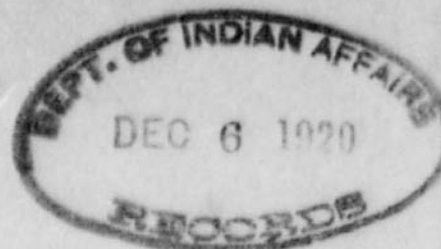
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Ottawa, Ont.

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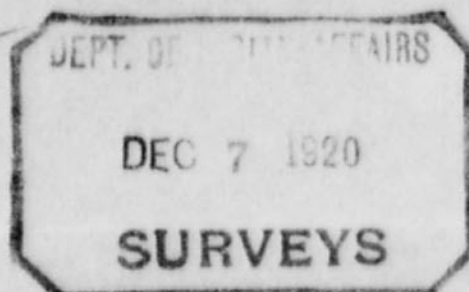
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES.

LAKE MANITOBA INSPECTORATE.



Stonewall, Man., December, 1st. 1920.

[Handwritten signature]



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Dear Sir:-

Your letter No 128-1-9 of date the 27th.ultimo, reached me in due course, with enclosures, copy of a letter to Agent Waddy, of date the 27th. of October, 1920, copy of some extracts from a letter of the Rev. L. Laronde, no date.

I have been awaiting the arrival of the map which was mentioned in your letter, and when this reaches me I will be able to point out the hay-land necessary for the use of the Mackay Indian Boarding School.

Any reservations made now for hay-land for the use of this school will be of a temporary nature, as I hope before many years, when they get some more land broken up, they will be able to raise fodder corn and straw, the same as other schools. Portage La Prairie I.B. School, for instance has 7 horses & 20 head of cattle, and not one ton of hay to feed them the coming winter.

Yours truly,

[Handwritten signature: S. Jackson]
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

J.D. McLean, Esq.,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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CANADA

Ottawa, 7th December 1920.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 1st instant and note that the maps referred to in our letter of the 27th October last were not received by you. The Indian Agent, Mr. J. W. Waddy, was also requested to report on the subject of lands for the MacKay Indian Boarding School. He reported very fully and in accordance with his report, the Department of the Interior has been requested to reserve for the use of this Department the lands mentioned in the copy of the letter of the 2nd ultimo enclosed herewith. You will note that all other lands that were temporarily reserved for this school have been relinquished.

Your obedient servant,

J. M. Lean
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.*L. B.*
S. J. Jackson Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Stonewall, Man.

ADDRESS YOUR REPLY:
THE CONTROLLER,
LAND PATENTS BRANCH,
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
CANADA

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Land Patents Branch

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SURVEYS

Ottawa

29th January, 1921.

Sir:-

Re Lands required for the McKay
Indian Boarding School at The Pas,
Your file No. 128-1-9.

Referring to your letter of the 2nd ultimo,
in which a request is made for the temporary reservation
of the S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of section 23, fractional S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of section
22, N.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of section 22 and the fractional S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of
section 27, in township 56, range 27, West of the
Principal Meridian, and those portions of river lots
107, 109, 111 and 113 in township 55, range 29, West
of the Principal Meridian, I beg to say that temporary
reservation of these lands has been made in the records
of this Department pending an investigation which is to
be made by an officer of this Department.

Your obedient servant,

N. O. Cote

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

N. O. Cote.
Controller.

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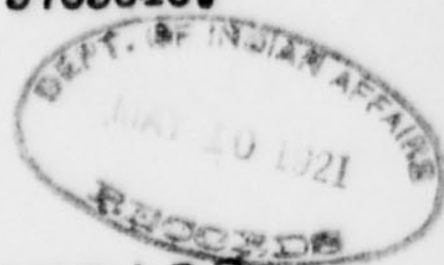


IN YOUR REPLY PLEASE QUOTE THIS
FILE NO. 3703846.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
CANADA

Land Patents Branch

Ottawa, 9th May, 1921.



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Re lands required for the McKay Indian
Boarding School at The Pas, your
file 128-1-9.

Sir:

With further reference to my letter of the 29th of January last, I beg to say that the report of the Homestead Inspector in this case has now been received and he has recommended that the lands immediately adjacent to the Boarding School, namely, the S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 23, the fractional S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 22, the fractional N.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 22 and the fractional S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 27 in Township 26, Range 27, West of the Principal Meridian, be turned over to your Department, providing it shows proof of having a larger number of stock in the near future and in respect of Lots 107, 109, 111 and 113, in Township 55, Range 29, West of the Principal Meridian, he states that these lots are over fifteen miles away from the school and that they should not be reserved for the Department of Indian Affairs. The above information is conveyed to you before any steps are taken towards setting apart for your Department the lands adjacent to the Boarding School in case you have any representations to make in connection therewith.

Your obedient servant,

N.O. Côté

(N.O. Côté),
Controller.

J.D. McLean, Esq.
Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.



Ottawa, May 16th, 1921.

Sir,-

With reference to your letter of the 24th of November last, No. 135-891, I have to inform you that a communication has been received from the Department of the Interior, stating to the effect that the lands immediately adjacent to the MacKay boarding school at The Pas, namely. the South-West quarter of section 23, the fractional South-East quarter of section 22, the fractional North-East quarter of section 22 and the fractional South-East quarter of section 27 in Township 26, range 27 W. P. M. will be transferred to this Department providing that it can show conclusively that the school has a larger number of stock to feed in the near future .

It is also stated in the said communication that as lots 107, 109, 111, and 113 in Township 55, Range 29, W. P. M. are over fifteen miles away from the school, it is considered that they should not be reserved for this Department.

Be good enough to examine this matter thoroughly and to send your report thereon in the near future.

Your obedient servant,

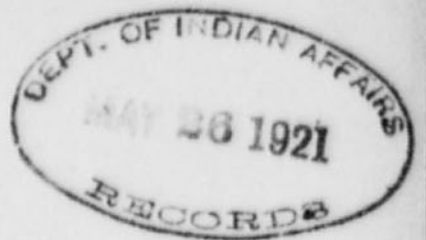
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Asst. Deputy and Secretary .

J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

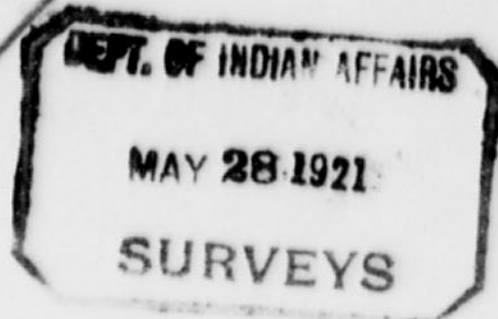
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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



The Pas, Manitoba.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 1187-135
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER



May 23, 1921. 19

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Sir,

In answer to letter 128-1-9 with reference to land asked for, for the MacKay Boarding School. I think the land allowed by the Department of the Interior is fair. I cannot see that this school will ever be able to support a large number of cattle. I think twenty-five or thirty head will be the limit for summer parturage on this island, and although I like to see lots of hay ground in Reserve, the land which is fifteen miles away from this school has not, up to the present, been used for hay land.



I understand that the reason the Department of the Interior wants to cancel lots 107, 109, 111 and 113 is that this land is contained in what is known as the Sipanock Triangle, which is being surveyed at the present time, with a view of having it drained, and no doubt the Department wishes to have control of all the lands in this section, to help pay for the drainage and development scheme.

If we had ever used this land for hay grounds, I would certainly ask that it be kept for Indian Department school purposes, but I cannot see that we have a very strong claim on it.

The S.W. quarter of Section 23 and Fr. S.E. quarter of Section 22, Fr. N.E. quarter of Section 22 and Fr. S.E. quarter of section 27, Twp. 26, Range 27, West P.M. should be transferred to the Department of Indian Affairs. The area of this land gives no idea as to the amount of hay we

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can cut on it. We can only cut hay in spots
on this land, and we need it all.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. Colvaddy
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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CANADA

Ottawa, May 28th, 1921.

Sir,-

With reference to your letter No. 3703846 of the 9th instant, I beg to inform you that we have received a report from our Indian Agent which is to the effect that the MacKay Boarding School has not made any use of lots 107, 109, 111, and 113 referred to in your letter and which are about 15 miles distant from the school. Our application for these lands is hereby withdrawn.

I shall be obliged if you will have transferred to the control of this Department, the other lands mentioned in our application and also referred to in your letter, namely: S.-W. Quarter Section 23, Fractional South-East Quarter Section 22, Fractional N-E. Quarter Section 22, and Fractional South-East Quarter Section 27, township 26, Range 27, W. P. M. which are adjacent to the lands now held by the school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
(J. D. McLean)
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

N. O. Cote
N. O. Cote, Esq.,
Controller, Land Patents Branch,
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa - Ont.

Ottawa, 7th September 1921

Sir,-

Your file No. 3703846

I shall be obliged if you will be good enough to inform me what action has been taken by your Department in connection with transferring to the control of this Department, the lands mentioned in our letter of the 28th May last, which are required for the MacKay Boarding School at The Pas.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
(A.F. MacKenzie)
For Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

N.O. Cote Esq.,

Controller,

Land Patents Branch,

Department of the Interior,

Ottawa, Ont.

*S.B.**ASM*

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LAND PATENTS BRANCH,
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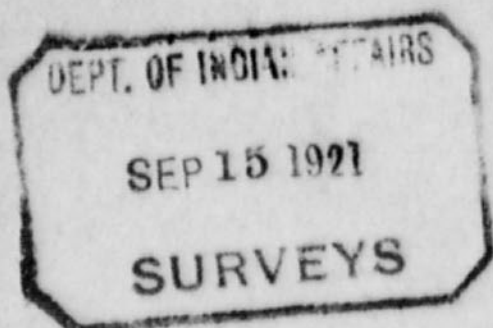
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Land Patents Branch



Ottawa 12th September, 1921.

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Sir:-

Re McKay Boarding School at The Pas
Your file 128-1-9.

Referring to your letter of the 7th instant, I beg to say that the matter of the transfer of the lands referred to therein is now receiving consideration and you will be further advised in the matter as soon as possible.

Your obedient servant,

N. O. Cote

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
The Department Of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

N. O. Cote.
Controller.

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Land Patents Branch



Ottawa, 26th September, 1921.

Survey

INDIAN AFFAIRS

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SURVEYS

Sir:

Re McKay Indian Boarding School at The
Pas, your file 128-1-9.

In further reference to my letter of the 12th instant, I beg to advise you that the lands required in connection with the McKay Indian Boarding School in township 56, range 27, west principal meridian, are reserved temporarily pending the filing in this Department by your Department of evidence or proof of your Department having a larger number of stock in the near future as set forth in my letter of the 9th of May last. On receipt of such proof the necessary steps will be taken to obtain the authority of Council for the transfer to your Department of these lands.

Your obedient servant,

N.O. Coté

(N.O. Coté),
Controller.

J.D. McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

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Ottawa, 30th September 1921

Sir,-

With reference to your letter of the 23rd May last, I have to inform you ~~that~~ in reply to our application to the Department of the Interior for the lands referred to for the use of the McKay boarding school ^{that} these lands are temporarily reserved pending the filing by this Department in the Department of the Interior, evidence or proof that the school has a larger number of stock than previously. You will note that in our letter of the 16th May last the fact is also stated therein that it is necessary that the school should show that it has a larger number of stock to feed in the near future.

S.B.
A.F.M.
Be good enough to keep this matter in view and when convenient go into the question thoroughly, as to what lands are actually necessary for the wants of the school. Kindly make a very full report.

Your obedient servant,

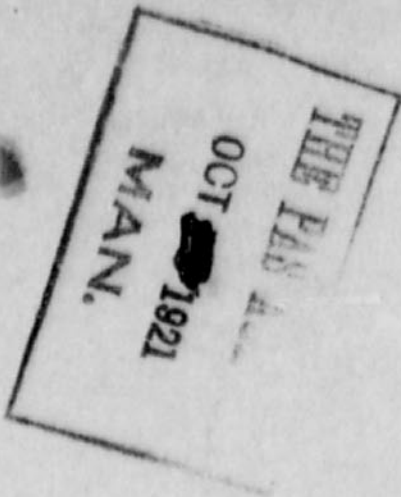
A.F. MacKenzie
(A.F. MacKenzie)

For Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

J.W. Waddy Esq.,

Indian Agent,

The Pas, Man.



Mackay Boarding School,

The Pas, Man.

October 7th 1921.

J. Waddy Esq.,

Indian Agent.

Dear Mr. Waddy,

With further reference to the hay-lands situated on the flats surrounding this island, I beg to report that owing to the unusually dry summer we were able to cut grass on portions of the land which are usually too wet. The whole of these flats is cut up by sloughs so that a large part of it is of no value as hayland. Even this year we have not cut more than 70 tons and have cut all the grass suitable for the making of hay. In an average year we could not cut many of the parts which we were able to use this season. Often the whole of these flats is under water during the early part of the year.

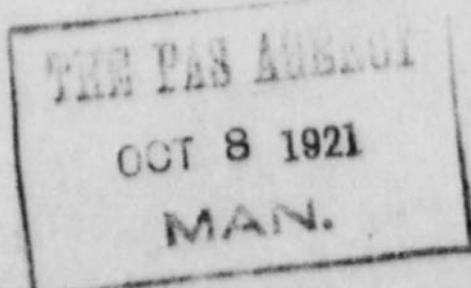
At the present time we have 23 head of stock and 5 horses to keep during the winter so that there will not be very much hay to spare. The number of stock is constantly increasing:- last year at this time we had only 18 head as against the 23 of this year.

I believe that a little more of the land can be made suitable for hay as stock increases by getting rid of some of the willow.

Yours truly,

Arthur T. Minchin

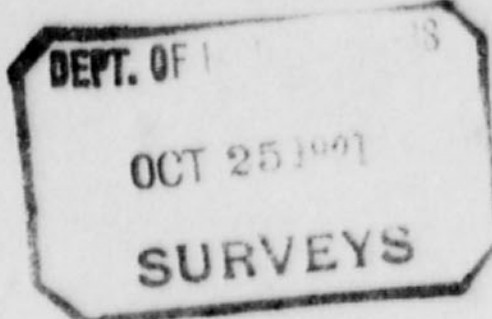
Principal.



128-1-9

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 1413/135
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER



The Pas, Manitoba,

October 19th 1921

558862

Sir,—

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of letter 128-1-9 of the 30. ulto., re hay lands for Mackey Boarding School.

I have gone into this matter with the Principal and herewith enclose his remarks on the question. He states that they have 5 more animals to feed this year than last, and there is no doubt that the numbers will increase.

It seems as if we were applying for more land than is necessary, but if the Department of the Interior will survey out the sloughs and useless land they will see we need every acre asked for, as this year every dry spot was cut over and just produced 70 tons. I explained all this to one of the Inspectors of the Dept. of the Interior so they know the land is very poor, but there is no other land available as it is all swamp land in this vicinity. There is a drainage project in this district and the Dept of the Interior is anxious to keep all the land they control in case it becomes more valuable after the country is drained, but the school land is across the river from this drainage plot.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, 26th October 1921

Sir,-

With reference to your letter of the 26th ultimo, No. 3703846, in which you request to the effect that evidence ~~of~~ proof should be filed by this Department of the necessity of obtaining more land for the use of the McKay Industrial school in Tp. 56, R. 27, W. 1. M., I beg to enclose herewith a copy of a letter dated the 7th instant from the Principal of the school addressed to Mr. J. W. Waddy, Indian Agent.

On account of only parts of the land being useful for the purposes of cutting hay, it is evident that the lands applied for are required for the school. I have therefore to ask that the said lands be placed under the control of this Department. These lands were enumerated in a previous communication.

I may repeat that they are the following, all situated in Tp. 56, R. 27, W. 1. M.:-

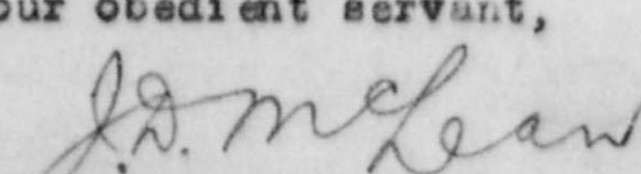
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All of the S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 22, East of the Saskatchewan River

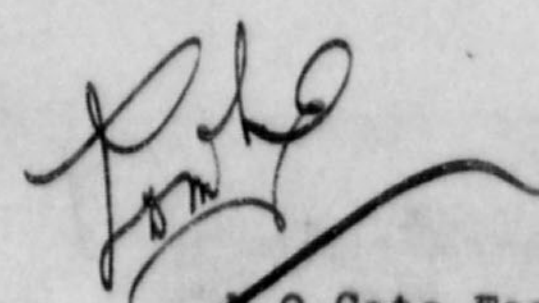
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S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 27

Your obedient servant,


(J.D. McLean)

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.


H.O. Cote Esq.,

Controller, Land Patents Branch,

Department of the Interior,

Ottawa, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

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IN YOUR REPLY PLEASE QUOTE THIS
FILE NO. 3703846

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
CANADA

Land Patents Branch

Ottawa 21st November, 1921.

560128

Sir: -

Re Lands required in connection
with the McKay Industrial School
Township 56, range 27, W.P.M.
Your file 128-1-9.

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your
letter of the 26th ultimo and to say that it has been
decided to set apart by Order in Council during pleasure
the lands referred to in your letter in connection with
the McKay Industrial School.

Your obedient servant,

N. O. Cote

J. D. McLean, Esq.,

Assistant Deputy & Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

OTTAWA.

N. O. Côté,

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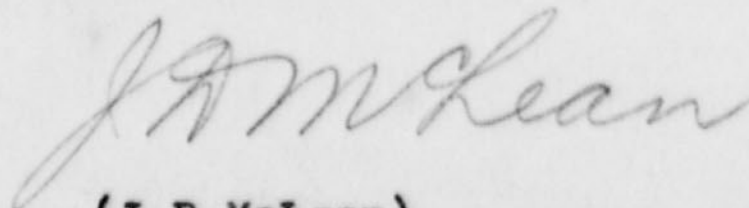
Ottawa, 6th June 1922

Sir,-

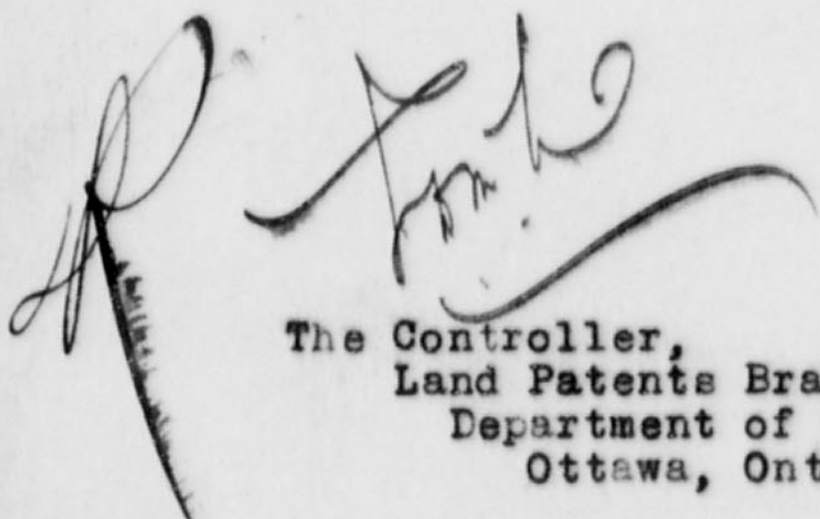
Your file No. 3703846
Re- McKay Industrial School lands

Would you be good enough to inform this Department if the Order in Council referred to in your letter of the 21st November last has been obtained?

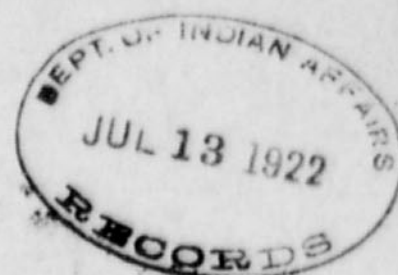
Your obedient servant,



(J.D. McLean)
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.



The Controller,
Land Patents Branch,
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, Ont.

PRIVY COUNCIL
CANADA

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AT THE GOVERNMENT HOUSE AT OTTAWA

Thursday, the 6th day of July, 1922.

PRESENT:

HIS EXCELLENCY

THE DEPUTY GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL:

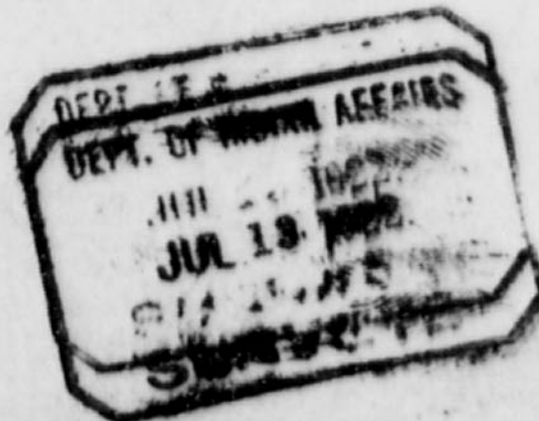
WHEREAS a request has been received from the Department of Indian Affairs for the setting apart for hay purposes in connection with the McKay Indian Industrial Boarding School at The Pas, Manitoba, of a certain tract of land hereinafter described, which adjoins the site of the said school;

AND WHEREAS the lands applied for are available according to the records of the Department of the Interior, and the Minister of the Interior is of opinion that this application should be given favourable consideration;

THEREFORE His Excellency the Deputy Governor General in Council, on the recommendation of the Minister of the Interior and under the provisions of Section 76 of the Dominion Lands Act, is pleased to order and doth hereby order that the lands applied for, namely, the south-west quarter of Section 23, that portion of the south-east quarter of Section 22 lying north of the Saskatchewan River, the north-east quarter of Section 22

The Honourable
The Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

and/



and that portion of the south-east quarter of Section 27 not covered by the waters of Reader Lake and not included within the limits of Indian Reserve No. 22, Block F, all in township 56, range 27, west principal meridian, comprising an aggregate area of 481.30 acres, more or less, as shown on a plan of survey of this township, approved and confirmed at Ottawa on the 24th day of March, 1916, by Edouard Deville, Surveyor General of Dominion Lands and of record in the Department of the Interior, be reserved for hay purposes and placed under the control of the Department of Indian Affairs during pleasure for use of the said McKay Indian Industrial Boarding School.

Robert L. McDougall
Clerk of the Privy Council.

*Those portions of
E. 1/2 sec. 22
and S. E. 1/4 sec 27
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containing 63.22 ac relinquished
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OTTAWA, July 28th, 1922.

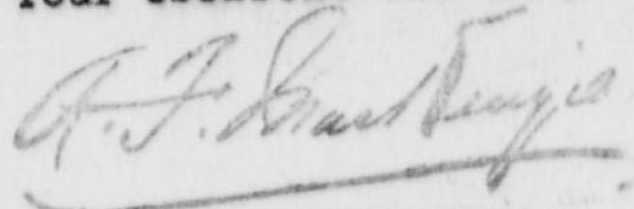
Sir: -

Referring to previous correspondence regarding the application made for the transfer of certain lands required in connection with the McKay Boarding School, The Pas, I beg to enclose herewith copy of an Order in Council setting apart for hay purposes the land mentioned therein.

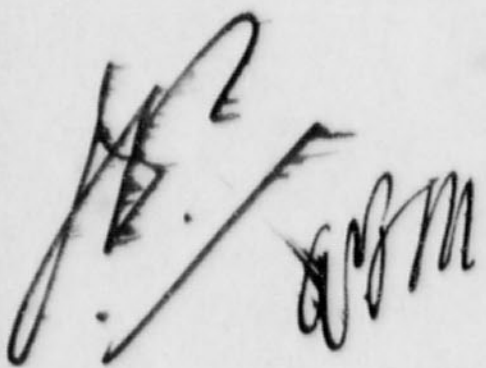
It will be noted that these lands are placed under the control of this Department during pleasure to be used for hay purposes in connection with the above named school.

I have to request that you will be good enough to inform the Principal accordingly.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
for Asst. Deputy & Secretary.



J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Enclosure 1.

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PRIVY COUNCIL
CANADA.

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The Honourable

and/

The Minister of the Interior.

*Checked
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29 Aug '52*

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(Sgd) Rodolphe Boudreau,

Clerk of the Privy Council.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
CANADA

LAND PATENTS BRANCH

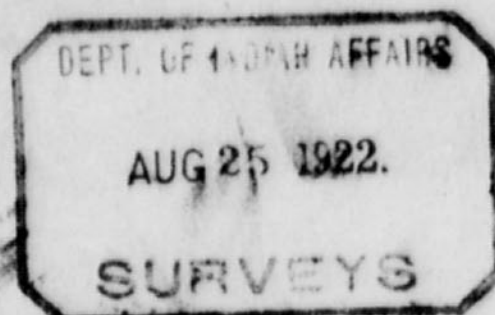
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OTTAWA 23rd August, 1922.



Sir,

Encl.

Adverting to your letter of the 6th June last, file 128-1-9, I beg to enclose copy of an Order-in-Council dated the 6th ultimo (P.C. 1439) reserving for hay purposes for the use of the Department of Indian Affairs during pleasure certain lands in Township 56, Range 27, West Principal Meridian.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

(N.O. Côté)
Controller.

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EXTRACT
ORIGINAL ON

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Regina, Sask., June 2, 1925.

Dear Mr. Graham:

I have the honor to report that, according to your instructions I left Regina on the morning of the 18th of May and proceeded to The Pas, Manitoba for the purpose of inspecting the Agency.

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The location of the school and hospital is something that I cannot understand, and it is hard to figure out what Inspector Jackson had in mind when he picked out this site, as it certainly would have been hard to find a more unsuitable place. The only way to get at the school at the present time from The Pas, is up the Saskatchewan River. During high water one can go up the river past the school and up the creek with a canoe, but there is water in this creek only during the Spring floods so when they have subsided the creek again becomes dry. Therefore it is necessary to land at the bend of the Big Eddy about a mile from the school, and about half of this distance is through a marsh. I wish to point out that the matter of getting in and out from the school is a vital question, and something that should be looked into. The Principal was of the opinion that a tunnel could be dredged through the marsh from the river in front of the school so that they could get up and down with a canoe. I however, from what experience I have had, think that this would be impracticable, as the tunnel would gradually fill up with mud as the water would be practically still. I am of the opinion that the most economical and satisfactory method would be to put a road across the marsh. The distance I have mentioned is about half a mile and this could be filled up with brush and logs. As there are piles of stone that the school has hauled off the cultivated land these could be put on the top of the brush and logs in the winter time. During the month of August, I was informed, this marsh dries up pretty well. At that time with a couple of slashes the stones and brush could be covered with earth and in this way a good road could be made across the marsh, thus making the school much more accessible. To do this it will be necessary for the Department to give the school some assistance.

The matter of hay land for the school is another important question. There is no hay on the Island where the school is situated and during the last two years they have had to go seven or eight miles to get sufficient hay for their stock. There is good hay section across the river from the school which they have been endeavoring to get from the Department of the Interior without success. I understand it is held under lease by Mr. McNeil of the Pas. Steps should be taken, as soon as this land is available, to reserve it for the use of the school, as it is the only hay land in the vicinity of the Island, and is certainly very badly needed by the school.

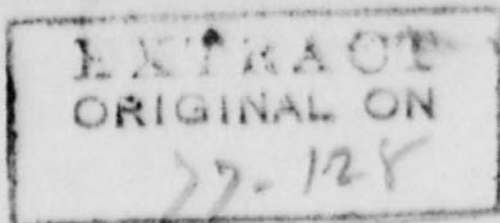
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M. Christianson.

Inspector of Indian Agencies.



Regina, Sask., June 9th, 1925.

Sir:

I am enclosing herewith a report of a visit made to the Pas Agency by Mr. Inspector Christianson during the latter part of May.

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Something will have to be done to open a road between the reserve and the school property. There is a half mile of marsh land there that no horse or vehicle can travel over at any time except in the dead of winter. It seems to me that some assistance will have to be given to put in a corduroy road covered with stones and earth. I understand there is sufficient timber and brush in close proximity to both ends of the roadway which could be used for filling in on top of the ground; after which stones could be put in and the earth hauled on. However, it is a matter that would have to be handled by a practical man. I would not like to advance money to the school authorities to undertake the work.

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W. M. Graham.

Indian Commissioner.

*School themselves
look after this
W.M.G.
kept might give
some help.*

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 205-9
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
D REGINA, SASK., June 12th, 1925

Sir:-

Further to my letter of the 9th instant, forwarding Inspector Christianson's report on The Pas Agency, I wish to draw your attention to what he says about the matter of hay lands for the school. The Inspector states that there is a good hay section across the river from the school, which they have been endeavouring to get from the Department of Interior without success, and that it is held under lease by Mr. MacNeill of The Pas.

I wish to point out that the section in question is 15-56-27-W.P.M. and is referred to by the Department of Interior as Ranch No. 10,658. I understand that Mr. MacNeill of The Pas has this land under lease and according to the agreement of the lease he is supposed to have so many head of stock on the land. At the present time Mr. MacNeill is not in the cattle business and from the information the Inspector gathered at The Pas he has not one head at the present time and is making no use of this land whatever.

The Department no doubt will see how necessary it is to have this land for the school and if possible arrangements should be made whereby it can be used, as this would save them several miles of hauling. I trust the Department will take this matter up with the Department of Interior.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

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Ottawa, June 18, 1925.

Sir:

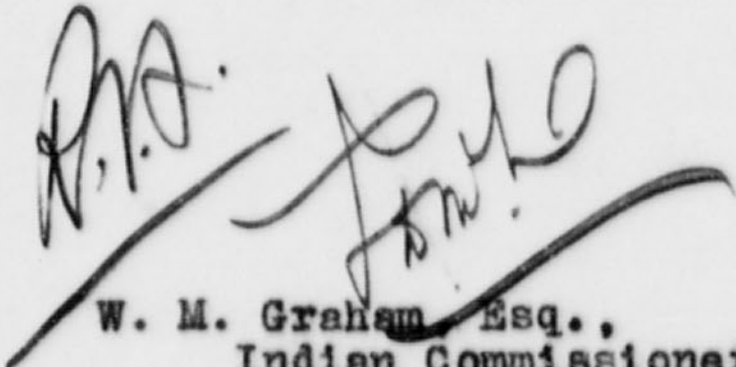
I have your 205-9 of the 12th instant, in which you draw attention to the need for more hay lands at the MacKay Indian Residential School. I will approach the Department of the Interior with reference to Sec. 15, T. 56, R. 27, W. first, and you will be further advised.

I have also to refer to that portion of Inspector Christianson's report relative to the advisability of preparing a corduroy road from the school to the reserve. The Department considers the school management should be responsible for much of this work, as it is chiefly rough labour. You might enquire how much the school is prepared to do in this connection and then make a recommendation to the Department as to our assistance.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

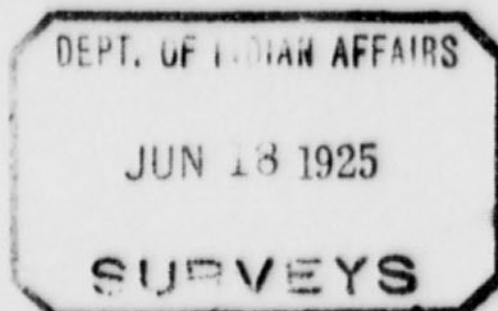
J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.



128-1-9.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



Ottawa, June 18, 1925.

Memorandum:

Surveys Branch.

Mr. Indian Commissioner Graham has strongly recommended that the Department secure Sec. 15, T. 56, R. 27, W. 1st, as hay lands for the MacKay Indian Residential School. Mr. Graham states that the Department of the Interior refers to this parcel as Ranch No. 10658. I presume that it might be described as that portion of Section 15 not covered by the waters of Saskeram Lake and not included within the limits of I. R. No. 21, Block K. (Township Plan contained in blue envelope, April 1916, this file).

Mr. Graham states that the school has been trying to get this parcel for hay lands for some time, but without success. Will you please take steps to ascertain if there is any hope of securing the land in question for the use of the school.

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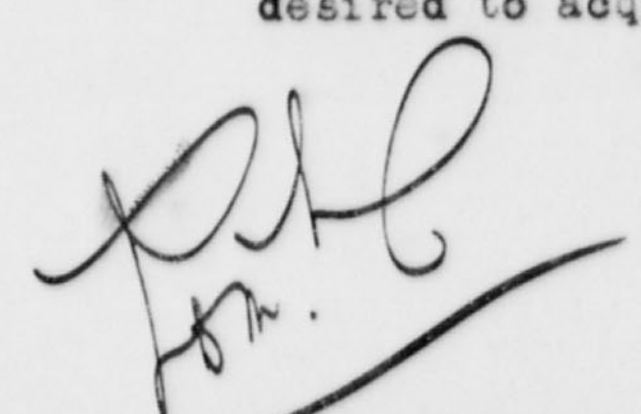
Ottawa, 20th June 1925

Rev. Sir, -

It is noted in Inspector Christianson's report that during the last two years it has been necessary for the school to go seven or eight miles to get sufficient hay for the stock and he recommends that an effort be made to obtain a portion of Sec. 15, Tp. 56, R. 7. However, before the Department takes this matter up with the Department of the Interior, I should be pleased to have a full report from you on the present situation covering the following points, -

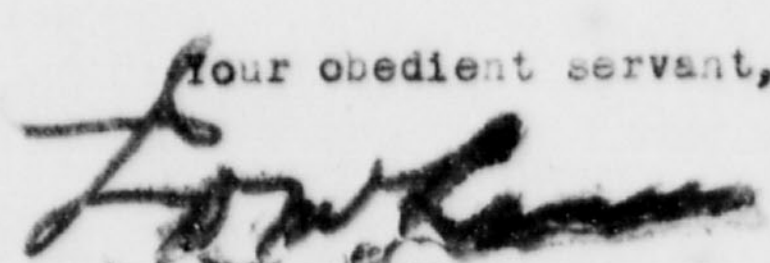
1. The number of tons of hay per month required by the school for winter feed.
2. The number of months it is found necessary at your school to feed the stock *hay*
3. What were the conditions during the last two years which made it impossible to obtain sufficient hay from the 481 acres obtained for the school in July 1922 in Secs. 22, 23 & 27-56-27?
4. Is it expected that it will be the usual condition that the above area will produce an insufficient supply?
5. If this 481 acres produced such a small quantity, are there not some parcels of it which could be returned to the Department of the Interior?
6. An estimate of the number of tons which it is thought could be obtained from the portion of Sec. 15 which it is now desired to acquire.

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Rev. A. Minchin,
Principal,
MacKay Indian Boarding School,
The Pas, Man.

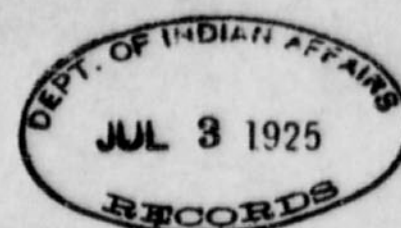
Your obedient servant,



J. D. McLean:
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

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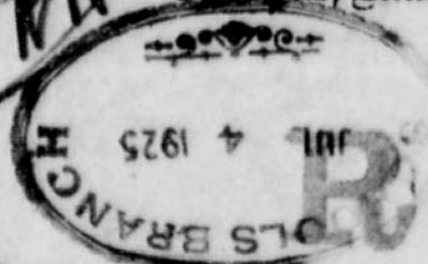


THE MACKAY SCHOOL

The Pas, Man.

June 27/25

Robertson
Dear Sir
J. D. McLean Esq.
Asst. Deputy And Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs.



DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

JUN 4 1925

SURVEY

Dear Sir:-

Your letter No I28-I-9 dated 20th. of June arrived to-day re securing Section I5 Tp.56.R.7.

With reference to No I Question I beg to state:-

100 tons is required at the least for winter feed, and then we have to buy 300 bushels of Oats, whereas we might grow our own on I5.

Ques. 2 For the Cattle it is necessary to feed them 7 months of the year if we desire to keep up the flow of milk.
For the horses more or less 8 months.

" " 3

The conditions that prevented us securing enough hay the last two years is that in 1923 the majority of the land was under water, secondly that 27 and 26 are generally under water all the time and the remainder partly underwater.

When the river is low we are able to cut part of our hay on 23, this is fragmentary as it is cut up with sloughs, which are generally too soft to pass over with teams.

" " 4

Yes the usual condition is that the above area will produce an insufficient supply, and this year will be soon flooded over.

" " 5

I think that it would be best to retain 23 as this is also the only land for pasture.

" " 6

This would give approximately 200 to 300 tons, at the dry season, when the lake at the lower end of I5 is flooded from the river, possibly 200 tons.

As we always have had to buy our meat or most of it, by securing Section I5 we could raise more steers and thus would need to cut more than the 100 tons.

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As the river is rising rapidly and will soon flood the ~~land~~ land adjoining the school, it is almost imperative that we ~~have~~ secure some land, if possible Sec. 15 or we will be at the expense of buying 100 tons and the least that we might secure this would be at \$12 per ton, total cost \$1200.00.

Trusting that the Department can secure this section ⁱⁿ as it will relieve us of a great anxiety and cost, both in hay Oats, and Meat

I am Yours faithfully

Rev. E. V. Bird
Principal.

I might add that I have been connected with this school since 1915 and well know the difficulty of securing enough hay.



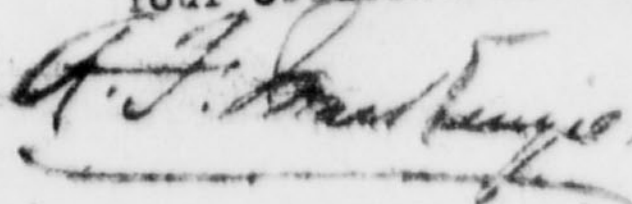
Ottawa, 6th July 1925

Sir,-

With further reference to the hay lands required in connection with your school, I note in your letter of the 27th ultimo you state that Secs. 27 and 26 are generally under water all the time, whereas the hay lands referred to in my letter were in Secs. 23, 22 and 27. Is it to be understood that the hay lands in Secs. 22 and 27 are generally under water?

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You also state that you think it would be best to retain Sec. 23. Am I to understand from that that it would be satisfactory to retain the S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 23 and to return to the Department of the Interior that portion of the S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 22 lying North of the river, the N.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 22 and that portion of the S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 27 not covered by the waters of Reader Lake and not included within the limits of the Indian reserve. All the above sections are of course in Tp. 56, R. 7.

Your obedient servant,



(A.F. MacKenzie)

For Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. E. V. Bird,
Principal,
MacKay Indian Boarding School,
The Pas, Man.

128-1-9
Indian and Eskimo Commission of the Missionary Society
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HEADQUARTERS: 41-43 THE BIBLE HOUSE
184 ALEXANDER AVENUE
WINNIPEG, MAN.

THE MACKAY SCHOOL

The Pas, Man.

Mon. July 13th/25

[Handwritten signature]
A.F. MacKenzie, Esq.
Sec. Dept. of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa, Ont.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

JUL 20 1925

SURVEYS

Dear Sir,-

Your letter of the 6th. inst. No 128-I-9 to hand
re the question of hay lands for the Mackay Boarding School.

Enclosed please find a copy of the above lands under
discussion, I have marked in Red the land that should be retained,
feeling that it will enable you to see more clearly what is desired
the north east end of Section 23 is now partly under water owing
to the high water season, and when there is no flood is only fit
for pasture.

Trusting that I have an early answer as to whether
we can secure section 15, as haying season is now on, and I am
anxious to begin ere the hay loses a lot of its nutrition.

Yours faithfully

[Handwritten signature]
Principal.



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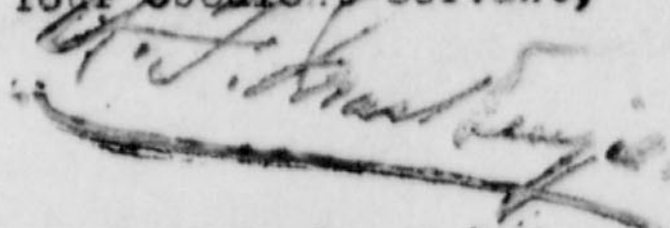
Ottawa, 21st July 1925

Sir,-

It has been found that the land now held by this Department as hay land for the MacKay Indian residential school ~~316~~ not produce a sufficient quantity of hay to supply the stock which it is necessary for the school to keep, and I have to ask you to be good enough to inform me at an early date if it will be possible for this Department to secure as an addition to this hay land that part of Sec. 15-56-7-W.1.M., not occupied by Indian reserve No. 21-K.

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Your obedient servant,



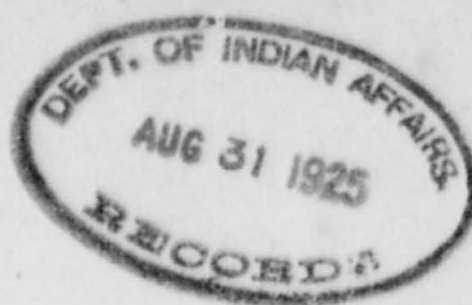
(A.F. MacKenzie)

For Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The Controller,
Land Patents Branch,
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, Ont.



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. **205-11A**

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

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D REGINA, SASK., August 27th, 1925.....

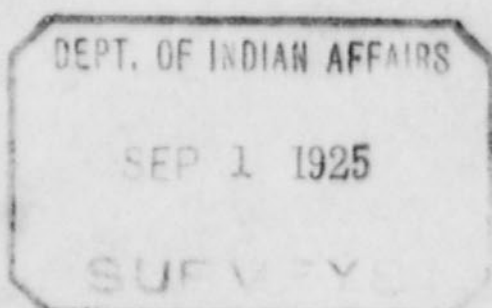
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Immediate
Shirley
Sir:-

On the 12th of June last I wrote to you with regard to Section 15, Township 56, Range 27, W.1st, and asking that arrangements be made whereby this land could be used as hay land for the Pas School. This section was once held by a Mr. McNeill of The Pas, who was making no use of it.

You replied to my letter on the 18th of June, saying that you would take this matter up with the Department of Interior. It is now well on in the haying season and I have heard nothing further from you. I would be glad to be advised by wire if this land is available for haying purposes.

Your obedient servant,



W.M. Graham
W.M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, 1st September 1925

Sir, -

In reply to your letter of the 27th ultimo, I beg to say that the Indian Agent, Mr. J. W. Waddy, is being requested to obtain the consent of McNeill to the issue of a permit by the Timber and Grazing Branch of the Department of the Interior for this Department to cut hay on Frac. Sec. 15-56-27-W. 1. M.

Your obedient servant,

(A. F. MacKenzie)

For Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

W. M. Graham Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

Ottawa, 1st September 1925

Sir,-

The Pas boarding school is very short of hay and the Principal has informed us that he desired to have permission to cut the hay on frac.sec.15-56-27-W.1.M., lying West of and adjacent to Indian reserve No.21-K.

Mr.McNeill of The Pas has this land under lease for cattle grazing, although I am informed that he has no cattle on it this year. Kindly interview Mr.McNeill and request him to wire at our expense his permission for the Indians to cut the hay on this fractional section. I may say that Mr.McNeill's lease has a clause in it whereby he is not permitted to barter or sell the hay, so I do not anticipate any objection on his part. When his permission has been received, the question will be taken up with the Timber and Grazing Branch of the Department of the Interior. Your immediate attention to this matter is requested.

Your obedient servant,

(A.F.MacKenzie)

For Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

J.W.Waddy Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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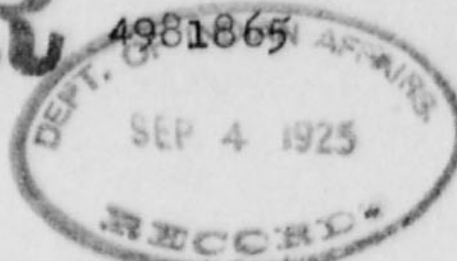


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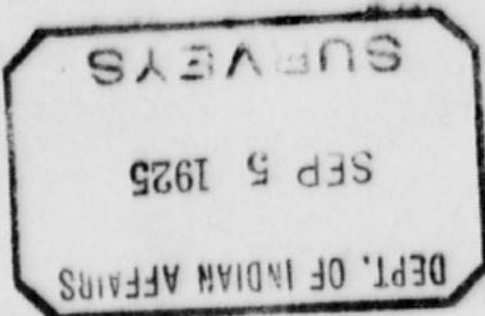
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LAND PATENTS BRANCH

OTTAWA,

2nd September, 1925.



Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of Mr. MacKenzie's letter of the 21st July, file 128-2-9, applying for the part of fractional section 15, township 56, range 27, west principal meridian, outside Indian Reserve No. 21K as additional hay land for the MacKay Indian residential school. In reply I beg to say that as this land is included in Ranch No. 10658, a copy of your letter as well as copy of this reply is being furnished Mr. B. L. York, Controller of the Timber & Grazing Lands Branch, for his information. It is understood that Mr. White of your Department interviewed Mr. York yesterday in this regard.

It is observed that Range 7 was referred to in your letter instead of Range 27.

Your obedient servant,

(N.O. Côté)
Controller.

The Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS OTTAWA ONT

RE LETTER 128-1-9 DATED SEPT FIRST TO WADDY HAVE NO OBJECTION TO INDIAN BOARDING SCHOOL PRINCIPAL CUTTING HAY ON LAND DESCRIBED PROVIDING IT DOES NOT MEET WITH OBJECTION FROM TIMBER AND GRAZING DEPT OF INTERIOR STOP PERMISSION GRANTED THIS SEASON ONLY

R H MACNEILL.

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Ottawa, 9th September 1925

Sir,-

It has been found that the land now held by this Department as hay land for the MacKay Indian residential school does not produce a sufficient quantity of hay to supply the stock which it is necessary for the school to keep.

It is desired that the portion of Sec.15, Tp.56, R.27, W.P.M., lying outside of Indian reserve No.21 may be acquired by this Department for the use of the school. In an interview with you it was ascertained that this land is now included in a grazing lease to Mr. MacNeill of The Pas, who has wired us that he has no objection to the Principal of the school cutting hay on this land for this season, provided it does not meet with objection from your Branch.

I shall be greatly obliged if you will hasten arrangements for permission for this Department to cut the hay this season. It is further hoped that your Department can ultimately arrange that the hay from this section may be cut annually for the purposes of the boarding school.

Your obedient servant,

(A.F. MacKenzie)

For Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. R. Rogers
B.L. York Esq.,
Controller,
Timber & Grazing Branch,
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, Ont.

Ottawa, 11th September 1925

Sir,-

I beg to confirm the following telegram sent you this day,-

"Controller Timber and Grazing has instructed his Agent at Dauphin on receipt of application from Principal MacKay boarding school to issue permit to cut hay on Section Fifteen to the amount necessary for the schools requirements this winter at rate twentyfive cents per ton STOP Instruct Principal apply immediately."

Your obedient servant,

(A.F. MacKenzie)
For Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

J.W. Waddy Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

2 letters

Ottawa, 11th September 1925

Sir,-

Your ref. 205-11A

I am enclosing for your information a copy of a telegram sent this day to Mr. Indian Agent Waddy, The Pas, Man.

Your obedient servant,

W.M. Graham

(A.F. MacKenzie)
For Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

W.M. Graham Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

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Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, 11th September 1925

J.W. Waddy,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Controller Timber and Grazing has instructed his Agent at Dauphin on receipt of application from Principal MacKay boarding school to issue permit to cut hay on Section Fifteen to the amount necessary for the schools requirements this winter at rate twentyfive cents per ton STOP Instruct Principal apply immediately.

[Handwritten signature]
J.D. McLean
Ind. Aff. I.A.

J.D. McLean

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ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO
THE CONTROLLER, TIMBER AND
GRAZING LANDS BRANCH
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, OTTAWA

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IN YOUR REPLY
PLEASE QUOTE

FILE NO. 602288 T&G

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
CANADA

TIMBER AND GRAZING LANDS BRANCH

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OTTAWA, September 10, 1925.

Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 9th instant, file 128-1-9, regarding the desire of the Principal of the MacKey Indian School to secure authority to cut hay on that portion of section 15, township 56, range 27, west of the principal meridian, lying outside of the Indian Reserve and which land is included in ranch 10658, which stands in the name of Mr. R.H. MacNeill, I beg to confirm my telegram to our Agent at Dauphin, as follows:-

"You may issue to Principal MacKey
"Indian School, the Pas, a permit to cut such
"hay as may be necessary for the maintenance
"of the stock of the school during the coming
"winter on fractional section fifteen, township
"fifty six, range twenty seven, west principal,
"included in ranch ten six fifty eight, subject
"dues twenty five cents per ton."

It is noted that Mr. MacNeill has not any objections to the issue of this permit.

Your obedient servant,

B.E. York,
Controller.

A.F. MacKenzie, Esq.,
Acting Assistant Deputy Minister
and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

D REGINA, SASK., Sept. 9th, 1925

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Mr. Graham might have
noted that Waddy was
obtaining McNeill's
consent
may have asked
5th T & G Branch
hermit JP 14/9/25
Sir:-

I have your letter of the 1st instant #128-1-9, informing me that Indian Agent Waddy is being requested to obtain Mr. McNeill's consent to the issue of a permit by the Timber and Grazing Branch of the Department of Interior for this Department to cut hay on Frac. Sec. 15-56-27 W.1M.

It is not just clear to me what power Mr. Waddy would have to get this permit from Mr. McNeill as your letter would indicate.

Your obedient servant,



not
W.M. Graham
W.M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner

Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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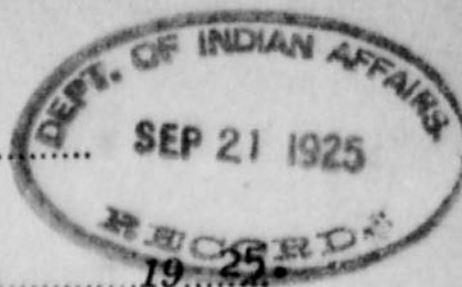
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INDIAN OFFICE

At The Pas, Man.

Sept. 15th, 1925



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Sir:

In reference to letter 128/1/9 of the 11th inst., and telegram regarding hay for the McKay School. I beg to advise the Department that it is too late this year to take advantage of this offer.

I would be obliged if the Department would endeavor to have this piece of land taken over for the McKay School. I understand that Mr. McNeill would object very much to this procedure, but it might be possible for the Department of the Interior to allow him land elsewhere in lieu of what is required.

I am, Sir,

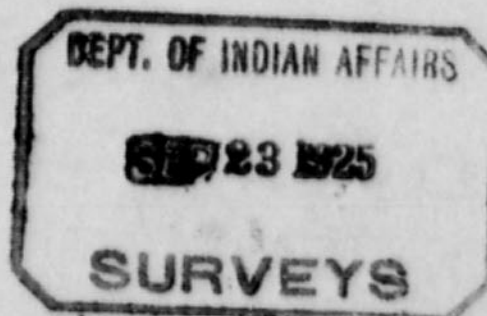
Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.



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HXD.

Ottawa, 25th September 1925

Sir,-

Your ref No. 602288 T & G

With further reference to hay land for the MacKay Indian residential school in Sec. 15, Tp. 56, R. 27, W.P.M., I beg to report that our Agent advises us it is too late this year to take advantage of the offer to cut hay.

As this Department is seriously handicapped annually by the lack of fodder for this school's requirements, I shall be obliged if you can arrange for this Department to cut hay from this fractional section annually. Would it be possible to effect an arrangement whereby another parcel of land might be given to Mr. MacNeill in exchange for the parcel desired for Indian school use?

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Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
(A. F. MacKenzie)

For Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

B. L. York Esq.,
Controller,
Timber & Grazing Lands Branch,
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, Ont.

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CANADA

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11 A

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

REGINA, SASK., Sept. 28th, 1925

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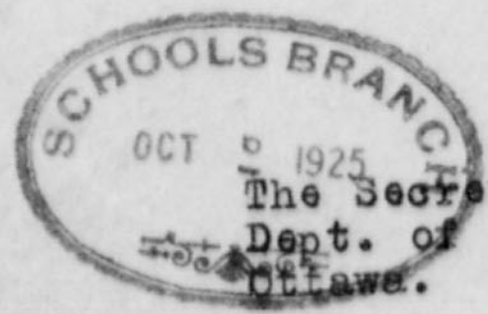
Sir:

With reference to Department file #128-1-9 on the subject of procuring hay for the use of the School at The Pas, I have to advise you that permission to cut hay on section 15-56-27-West 1st., arrived too late for the Principal of the School to take advantage of it. He had already cut 150 tons in other places, and it is considered that this quantity will be sufficient.

I should like however to revert to the question of procuring for the School authorities the haying rights on this section. The information I have is that Mr. McNeil who holds these rights at present does so under an agreement to use the hay for cattle which he intended to graze on the land, but that he has no animals but still desires to retain possession. If Mr. McNeil is not carrying out the terms under which the grazing lease was allowed him I think it should be cancelled, and the privilege accorded to the school authorities who can and will make use of the land for their stock.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: W. M. Graham]
W. M. Graham
Indian Commissioner,



The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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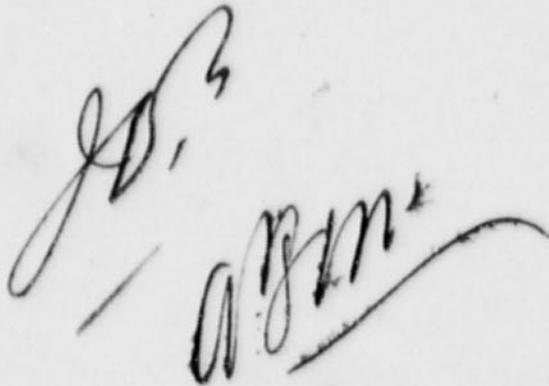
Ottawa, October 6, 1925.

Sir:-

I have your number 205-11A of the 28th ultimo relative to the procuring of hay land for the use of the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas.

In reply I beg to inform you that this Department has taken up with the Controller of Timber and Grazing Lands Branch, Department of the Interior, the matter of arranging for the privilege of cutting hay annually from Sec. 15, Tp. 56, R. 27, W. P. M.

Your obedient servant,

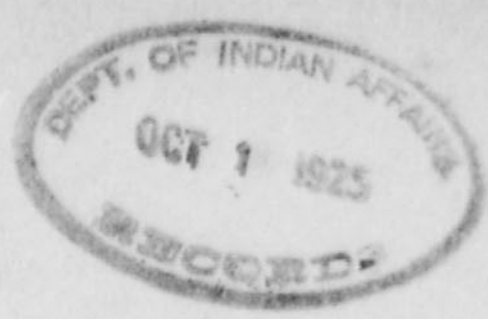

(A. F. MacKenzie)
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina Sask.,

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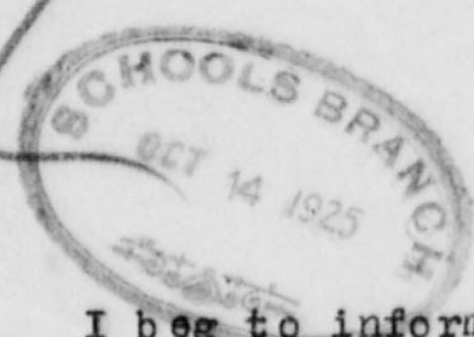
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COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

REGINA, SASK., Sept. 28th, 1925

[Handwritten signature]
Siz:



I beg to inform you that the Principal of the Mackay Boarding School has made a request to be supplied with 20 rolls of barbed wire and 400 fence posts, as he claims that the herd of milch cows we recently supplied for this school should not mingle with the animals running loose on the reserve. I have taken it upon myself to buy the 20 rolls of wire and the fence posts, as no time should be lost in erecting this fence to keep the animals away from the common cattle on the reserve, and I trust my action will be approved.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham
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W. M. Graham
Indian Commissioner,

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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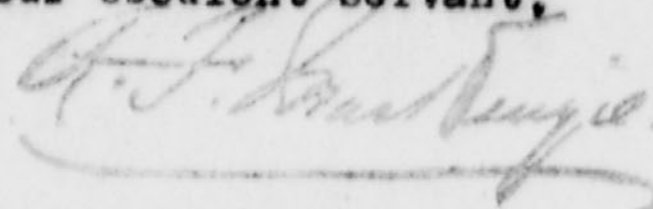
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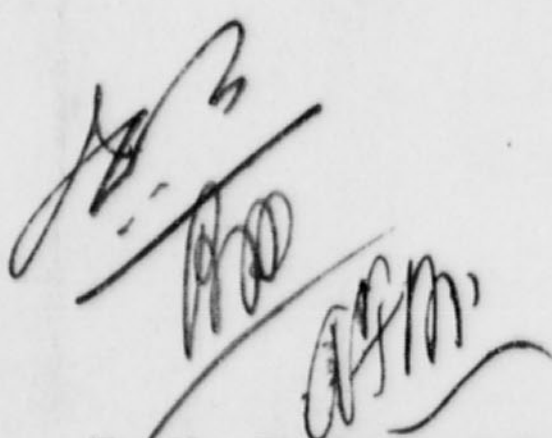
I have your 205-11 A of the 28th ultimo relative to the request of the Principal of the Mackay Indian Residential School to be supplied with twenty (20) rolls of barbed wire and 400 fence posts.

In reply I beg to say that the action taken by you in purchasing these materials is approved. Certified vouchers in the usual manner should be forwarded covering the expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,



(A. F. MacKenzie)
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.,

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Indian Agent.

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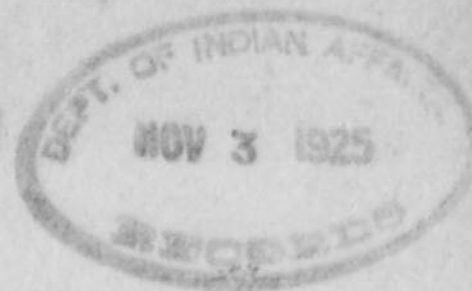
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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

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COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

C-

REGINA, SASK. October 31, 1925.

Sir:-

I beg to forward herewith for payment
The Pas Agency Voucher No. 324 for \$94.80 in
favour of Messrs. Brown & Moors, The Pas, Manitoba
as per Abstract of Tenders attached for 20 rolls
of barbed wire given under Department authority
October 14th, 128-1-5 for fencing at the McKay
School.

Your obedient servant,

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The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
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W. M. Graham
Indian Commissioner

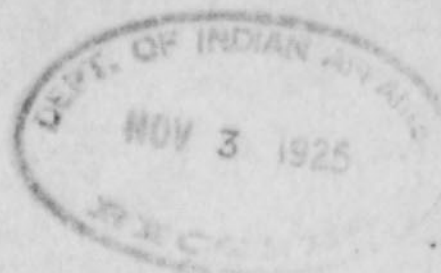
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OF THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND IN CANADA

HEADQUARTERS: 41-43 THE BIBLE HOUSE
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WINNIPEG, MAN.



THE MACKAY SCHOOL

The Pas, Man.

Oct 28/25

R

J. D. McLean Esq.
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.
Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

During the last month, and last Spring the Boys of the above school, have had their traps robbed, and in some cases the traps taken away.

The boys only trap on the hay land belonging to the school, I encourage them as far as possible, as I feel that they should not lose what trapping knowledge they have, or may gain, as in many cases they do a lot of trapping when they leave school.

They are not allowed to go off the school land, and I wonder if it is possible to have an order from your Department to prevent any Indian or Non-Treaty Indian trespassing on this land, so that the boys may be able to not only earn pocket money, but retain the trapping knowledge that they have, as this land ~~xxxxxx~~ is only two section in area, and is really surveyed land, and not connected with the Reserve in any manner, I would be very glad if you could advise in this matter, and if possible take some action with regard to it.

The boys have wanted to sign a petition to you asking that they might be protected from having their traps stolen or robbed, I have told them I would write to you, and let them know the answer.

Below is a rough sketch of the corner they trap in



Yours faithfully

Rev E. V. Bird
Principal

Ottawa, November 4, 1925.

Sir:

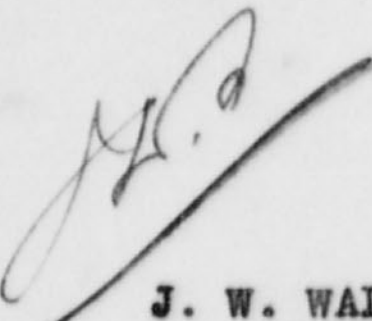
The Department is in receipt of a communication from the Principal of the Mackay Indian Residential School, a copy of which is enclosed herewith for your information. It would appear to be reasonable that the pupils of the school should have all trapping privileges on this land and it might serve the purpose if "No Trespassing" signs were put up. I shall be pleased to have your views regarding reserving the trapping privileges on this land for the use of the pupils and what you would advise be done to comply with the Principal's wishes in the matter. We are informing him that his request is being referred to you.

Encl.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


J. W. WADDY, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Ottawa, November 4, 1925.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 28th ultimo, requesting that steps be taken to reserve the trapping privileges on the hay land set aside for the use of the Mackay Indian Residential School. In reply I have to say that we are referring this matter to Mr. Agent Waddy for his report as to the best means to comply with your request.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Rev. E. V. Bird,
Principal,
Mackay Indian Residential School,
The Pas, Man.

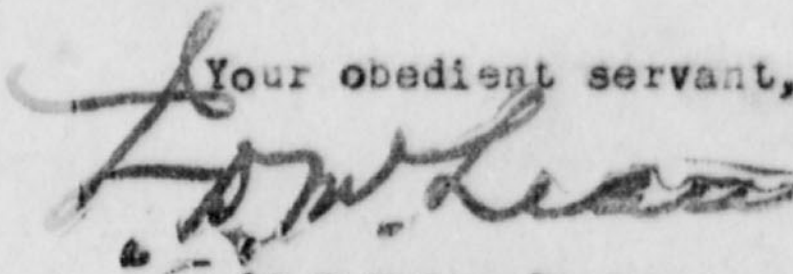
Ottawa, 19th February 1926

Sir,-

Your ref.No.602288 T & G

I beg to refer you to our letter of the 25th September last, regarding Frac.Sec.15-56-27-W.P.M. It is very desirable that this Department receive permission to cut the hay on this section this year and if the exchange cannot be made it is desirable that an arrangement be made whereby we may secure the privilege of cutting hay to be used in connection with the MacKay Indian Industrial school.

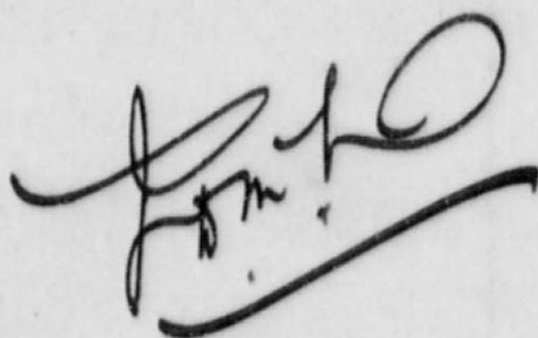
Your obedient servant,



(J.D. McLean)

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

B.L. York Esq.,
Controller,
Timber and Grazing Lands Branch,
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, Ont.



DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

No. 2600

The Rec. Feb 23 1926

Received from Whately Indian Agent Twenty-six Dollars,
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for 400 - 7 foot Sanguac
feeder post for Blacky School
at 6 1/2 each

Witness,

Signed in duplicate,

Joseph W. Gillivray

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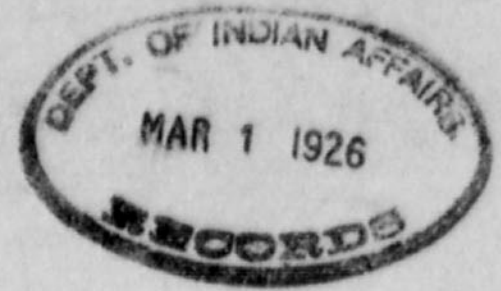
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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

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REGINA, SASK., February 26th, 1926.

Sir:-

I beg to forward herewith together with supporting receipts, The Pas Agency voucher #478, representing the purchase of fence posts to erect an enclosure at the McKay Boarding School for the herd of milk cows recently supplied for the school, a reference to the necessity of which I made in my letter to you of the 28th September, last, under this same file number.

Your obedient servant,

Sub pay

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham
Indian Commissioner

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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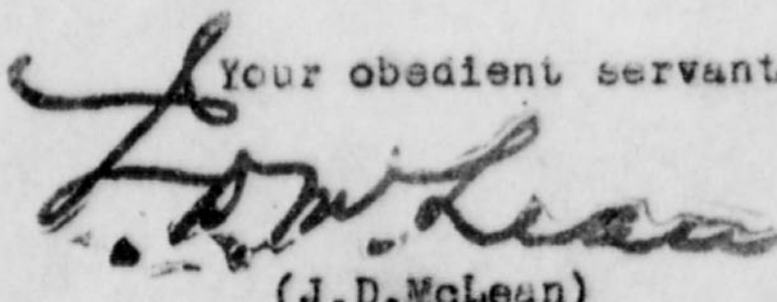
Ottawa, 7th April 1926

Sir,-

Your ref. #602288 T. & G

I beg to refer you to our letter of the 19th February last in which you were requested to make arrangements that the hay might be cut on Frac. Sec. 15-56-27-W.P.M., for the MacKay Indian industrial school. I should like to be advised if you are now in a position to complete the arrangement suggested.

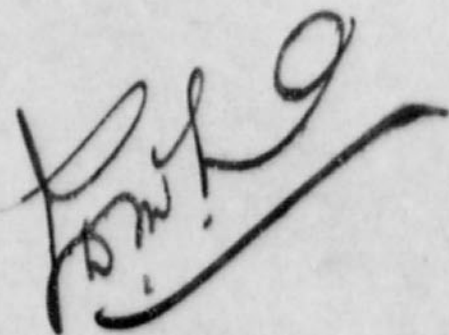
Your obedient servant,



(J.D. McLean)

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

B.L. York Esq.,
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Timber & Grazing Lands Branch,
Department of the Interior,
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GRAZING LANDS BRANCH
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, OTTAWA



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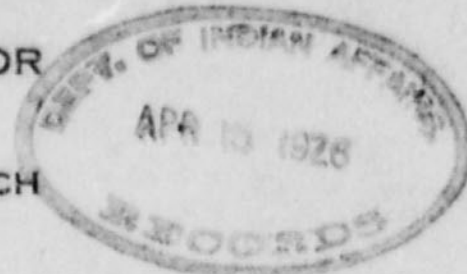
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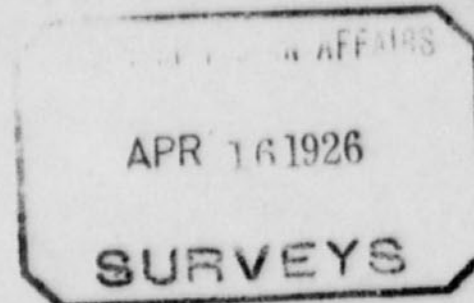
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TIMBER AND GRAZING LANDS BRANCH



OTTAWA, April 14, 1926.

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Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 19th February, last, File No. 128-1-9, in which you suggest that Fractional Section 15, lying West of the Indian Reserve, Township 56, Range 27, West of the Principal Meridian, which land is at present included in a ranch held under lease by Mr. Reginald H. MacNeill, be exchanged for other land in the vicinity in order that the MacKay Indian Industrial School may have the privilege of cutting hay thereon, I beg to advise you that Mr. MacNeill has been given a definite period within which to place his lease in good standing.

In the event of Mr. MacNeill's lease being cancelled the matter of the disposition of said Fractional Section 15, lying West of the Indian Reserve, will receive attention and your application to acquire this land will be considered.

Your obedient servant,

B. L. York
B. L. York,

Controller.

The Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,
Ontario.

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Ottawa, 16th April 1926

Sir,-

Your file No. 4618/135

With reference to previous correspondence regarding hay cutting on Frac. Sec. 15-56-27-W.P.M., I have to inform you that the Controller of Timber and Grazing has advised the Department that Mr. MacNeill has been given a definite period ^{within which} to place his lease in good standing and in the event of his lease being cancelled, the Controller will then consider the application of this Department to acquire the land.

Your obedient servant,

J.W. Wadd
J.W. Wadd, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

J.D. McLean
(J.D. McLean)
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Ottawa, June 14th, 1926.

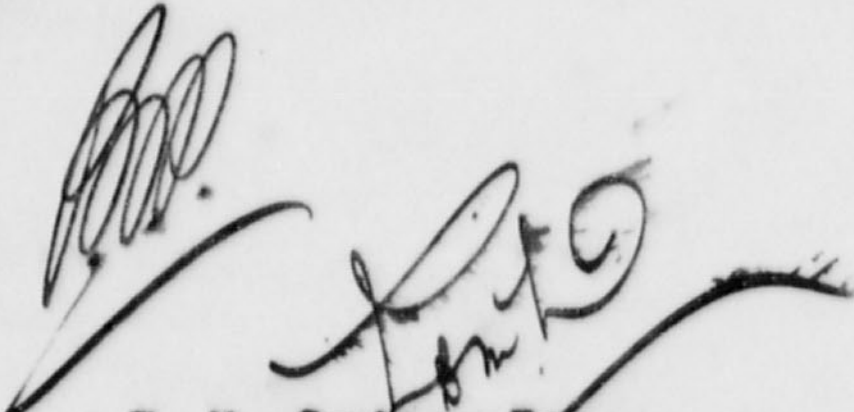
Sir:

The Church authorities have urged provision for fencing at the Mackay Indian Residential School. If you will refer to your No. 205-11A of February 26th, last, you will note that some activity in this connection has already been undertaken. Please let me have a report as to what is necessary this year, with an estimate of the cost.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

Ottawa, July 15th, 1926.

Sir,-

Your file 602288 TMG.

Referring to your letter of the 14th of April last,
re your file as above, regarding fractional section 15, lying
West of the Indian Reserve Tp. 56, ranging 27, West of the
P.M. which has been applied for by this Department for hay
lands, in connection with the MacKay Indian Residential
School.

I beg to be advised as to the probability of this
Department being able to secure the lands.

Yours very truly,

J.D. McLean
(J.D. McLean)
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

B.L. York
B.L. York, Esq.,
Controller Timber & Grazing Lands,
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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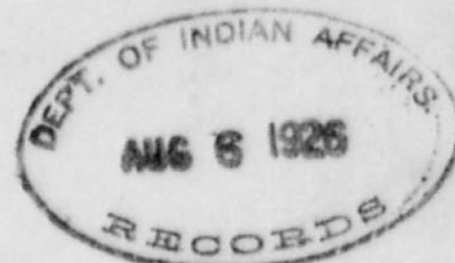
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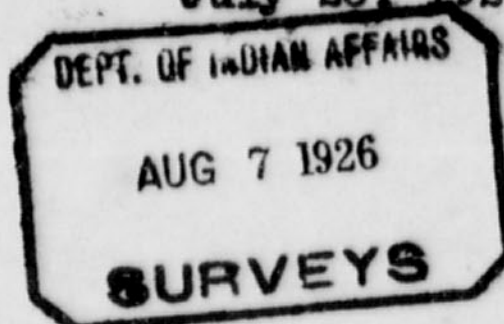
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CANADA

TIMBER AND GRAZING LANDS BRANCH



GB.

OTTAWA, July 28, 1926.



[Handwritten signature]
Sir, -

Replying to your letter of the 15th instant, File No. 128-1-9, I beg to advise you that the grazing lease which covered in part Fractional Section 15, lying West of the Indian Reserve, Township 56, Range 27, West of the Principal Meridian, has been cancelled, ^{and} it has been decided by the Department to reserve the land in question for hay so that permits may issue thereon in favour of the MacKay Indian Industrial School.

The Agent of Dominion Lands at Dauphin, Manitoba, will, therefore, be in a position to issue permits in this connection upon application.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: G. P. Pereira]

G.P. PEREIRA.
Actg. Controller.

The Ass't Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Note reserved for hay for the school
permits from
Dauphin
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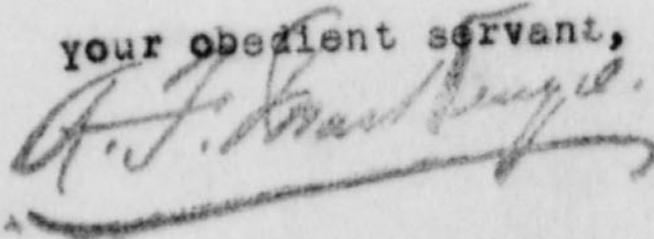
Ottawa, 9th August 1926

Sir,-

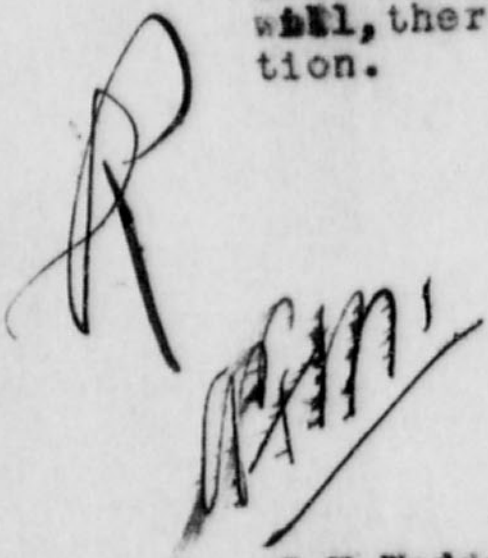
Your file No. 4618/135

The Department has been advised by the Timber and Grazing Lands Branch of the Department of the Interior that the grazing lease which covered in part Frac. Sec. 15, lying West of the Indian reserve, in Tp. 56, R. 27, W. P. M., has been cancelled and that it has been decided by the Interior Department to reserve the land in question for hay so that permits may issue thereon in favour of the MacKay Indian Industrial School. The Agent of Dominion Lands at Dauphin will, therefore, be in a position to issue permits on application.

your obedient servant,



(A.F. MacKenzie)
For Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

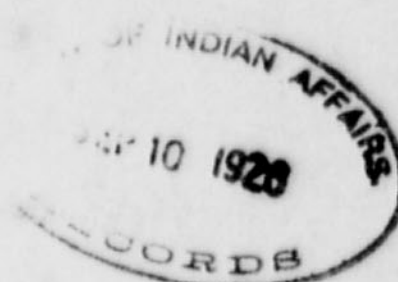

J.W. Waddy Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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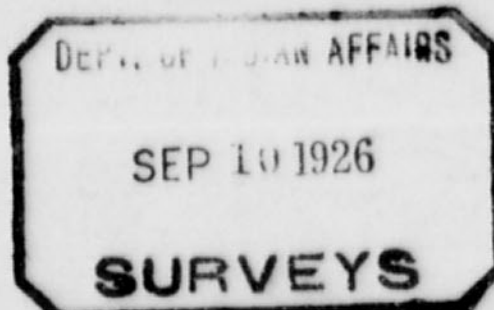
No. 205-11A McKay

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COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

D REGINA, SASK., Sept. 7th, 1926



Sir:-

I wish to bring to your attention that in Mr. Inspector Christianson's report on the Pas Agency, on page 12 under the heading of Schools he refers to the scarcity of hay, and mentions that there is a hay section across the river from the McKay School which they have been endeavouring to get from the Department of Interior, without success. This land was at that time held under lease by Mr. McNeil of The Pas. I am now advised that Mr. McNeil's lease has expired.

The section in question is 15-56-27, West of the Principal Meridian, and I would ask that the Department take this matter up with the Department of Interior with a view of finding out what arrangements can be made to get this land for the use of the school. The information I have is that it is badly needed. The land is just across the river from the school and it would be only a short distance to haul the hay in the winter time, whereas at present, I believe, they are hauling their hay seven or eight miles.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
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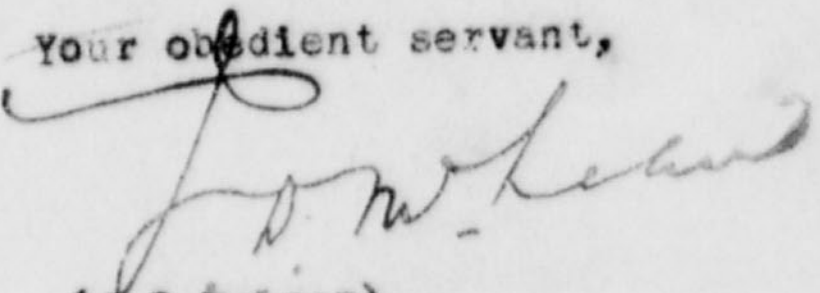
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Ottawa, 11th September 1926

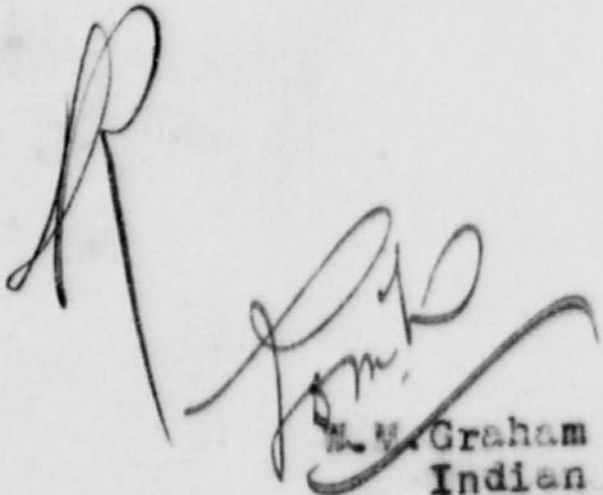
Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 7th instant, I have to inform you that the grazing lease which covered in part Prec. Sec. 15, lying West of the Indian reserve in Tp. 56, R. 27, W.P.M., has been cancelled and that the Department of the Interior has reserved the land in question for hay so that permits may issue thereon in favour of the MacKay Indian Industrial School. Mr. J.W. Waddy, the Indian Agent at The Pas, was advised on the 9th ultimo that the Agent of Dominion Lands at Dauphin would be in a position to issue permits on application.

Your obedient servant,


(J.D. McLean)

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.


H.W. Graham Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

The Pas, Man.

Sept. 5th, 1926.

W.M. Graham, Esq.,
Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Regina, Sask.

Dear Sir:

With reference to the letter forwarded to you from The Bible House Winnipeg, re Section 15, Township 56, Range 27, W.B.M. dated 2nd. Sept., apparently the Authorities of my Society in Winnipeg, have made a mistake, in that it was not information re leasing this land, but is it possible to have this land transferred to the Mackay Boarding School, that was desired.

In a letter to Ottawa to the Deputy and Secretary of Indian Affairs, in July last year, I pointed out that if we were able to secure Section 15 in the above manner, that portion of the S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 22, lying North of the River the N.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 22 and that portion of the S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 27 not covered by the waters of Reader Lake and not included in the limits of the Indian Reserve could be returned to the Dominion Lands in return for Section 15.

I feel sure that the School would ever be in your debt if such a transaction could be accomplished as it would not only guarantee sufficient hay, but would help us to put our farming activities on a paying basis, and I sincerely trust that you can assist us in this matter.

Might I take the Liberty to trouble you again and ask you, if any Grants have been made yet, so that it may be possible to have thenecessary repairs made here ere winter sets in, which I mentioned in my letter of the 28 of June, and which you answered to the contrary in your letter of the 23 ultimo No. 205-11A.

Thanking you in anticipation,

Faithfully yours,

Sgd. Rev. E.V.Bird.

Principal.

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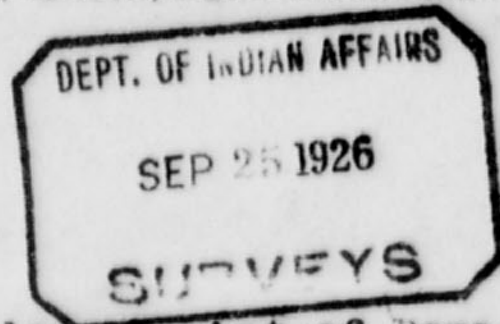
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COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

REGINA, SASK. Sept. 21st, 1926.



Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of Department letter 128-1-9 of the 11th inst. with reference to the fractional Section 15, lying West of the Indian reserve in Tp. 56, Range 27, W.P.M. In this connection I beg to enclose a letter which I have received from the Principal of the School, from which it appears that the School Authorities desire to get permanent possession of this land in exchange for land that they already hold and which could be returned to the Department of Interior.

I beg to recommend that a strong effort be made to secure this exchange and in the meantime, pending a decision, the fractional section 15 should be leased for the use of the school. May I request that the Department act promptly in this matter.

Your obedient servant,

W.M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa Ont.

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Ottawa, 28th September 1926

Sir,-

Your ref. No. 205-11A

In reply to your letter of the 21st instant, I have to inform you that the information given in the copy of the letter which you received from the Principal of the McKay Boarding School does not appear to conform with his letter to the Department of July 13th 1925. In the last mentioned letter he states that he had marked in red the land which should be retained and accompanied his letter with a sketch, a copy of which is enclosed.

From this sketch and also from the Township plan, on which is indicated in red the lands already held for hay lands for the school, you will note that practically all the land he proposes giving up has not been secured by the Department for the school and his sketch distinctly shows that he desires to retain practically all the E. $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec. 22.

If, as the Principal states in his letter to you of the 5th instant, it is the desire to relinquish that part of the E. $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec. 22 lying to the East of Whitefish Creek, it is possible that the Department might be able to arrange an exchange for the part indicated in green on the Township plan. But, in the meantime, the interest of the school is protected as far as the hay on the W. $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec. 15 is concerned, by the Department of the Interior having reserved the land for the issue of permits to the McKay Industrial school. The Interior Department, however, has stipulated that this hay is to be acquired by permits which are to be applied for when required.

I shall be pleased to receive further information as to whether the school definitely wish to surrender the hay lands which have been reserved for them in the E. $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec. 22.

W.M. Graham Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

Your obedient servant,

(J.D. McLean)
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

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Plan of Township 56, Range 27, West of the Principal Meridian

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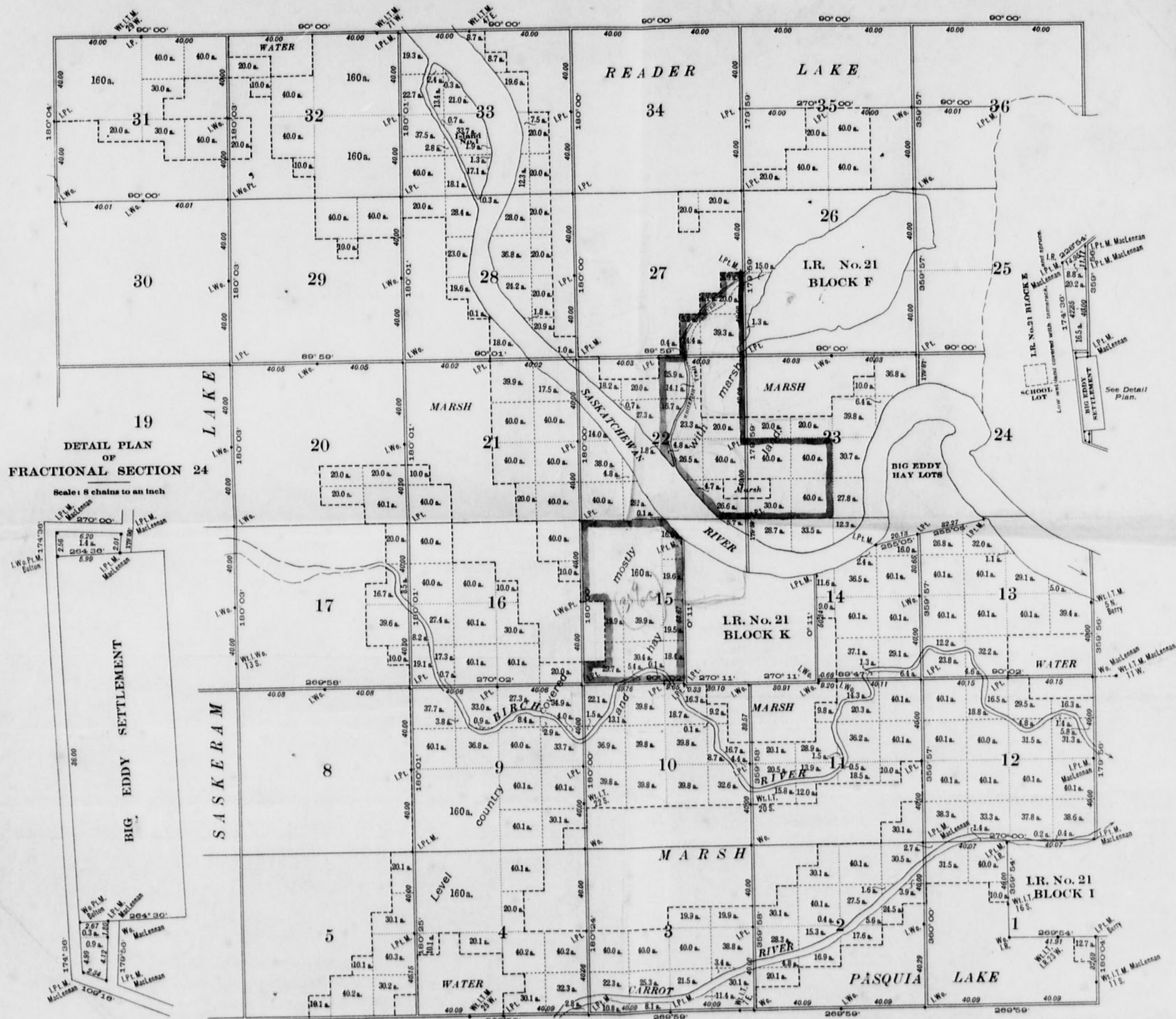
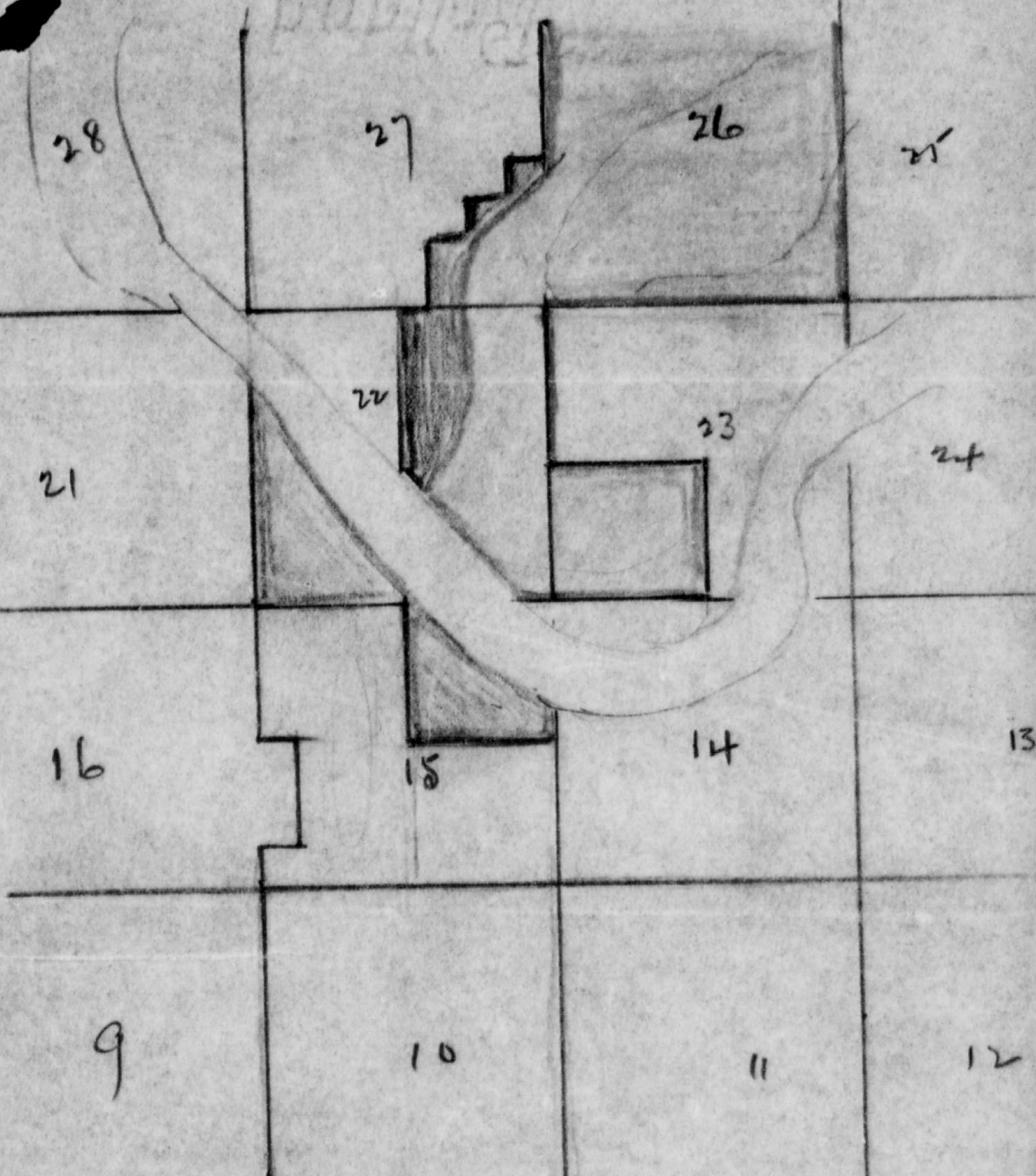


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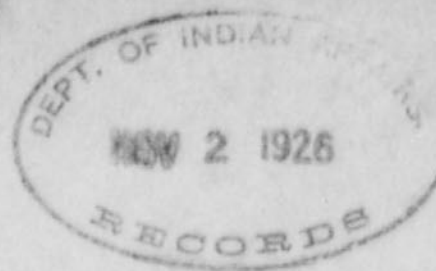
From
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Want to retain land in Red
Want to relinquish ~ ~ ~ Blue
Want to secure ~ ~ ~ Green
Re McKay School Land. Passages

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COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

REGINA, SASK., October 29th, 1926.

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Sir:-

Adverting to Department letter 128-1-9 of the 28th of September last, I beg to say I again took up with the Principal of the MacKay School, the question of hay and pasture lands and am now in receipt of his reply in which he states that he desires to retain that portion of the S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 27, East of Whitefish Creek, Fr. E $\frac{1}{2}$ 22, East of the Creek, the S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of 23, and all of Section 26. He wishes to relinquish that portion of the S.E. 27 West of the Whitefish Creek and the Fr. E $\frac{1}{2}$ 22 West of the Whitefish Creek. He wishes to secure the N.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 15, and that part of Section 22 West of the Saskatchewan River. It will be noted that the area that the Rev. Principal is willing to relinquish is considerably smaller than the area which he wishes to secure in exchange.

I beg to return the plan of Township 56, which accompanied the Department letter above referred to, herewith.

Your obedient servant,

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs, Indian Commissioner
Ottawa, Ont.

W. M. Graham

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Ottawa, 26th November 1926

Rev. Sir,-

With further reference to the correspondence relating to obtaining extra hay lands for the McKay boarding school, I am enclosing for your information a Township plan showing tinted in red the area which has previously been obtained as hay land; tinted in green the area which the Department of the Interior has reserved for the purpose of issuing the regular hay permits to the boarding school. This latter privilege was obtained after informing the Department of the Interior of the representations made by you that the lessee of Frac. Sec. 15 was not utilizing the area and, therefore, was not complying with the conditions of his lease.

I am also enclosing a paper tracing sketch which is a duplicate of one received from the Indian Commissioner's office at Regina and supposedly represents the request made by you in Sept. and Oct. last. You will see from reference to the Township plan that the portion of Sec. 15 tinted green lies almost entirely in Block K of Indian reserve No. 21; the remaining part of it is within the area which is covered by the above mentioned arrangement with the Department of the Interior. Apart from this the sketch does not show that you require the hay from any portion of Sec. 15, which privilege was obtained as above mentioned after considerable correspondence with the Interior Department and after the Department was the cause of the existing lease on that section being cancelled.

Of the lands indicated in blue which are shown as being not required, the Interior Department is very unlikely to consider those small portions in Sec. 27 as being of any importance in the exchange for other land, inasmuch as they are very small parcels and are situate between the land

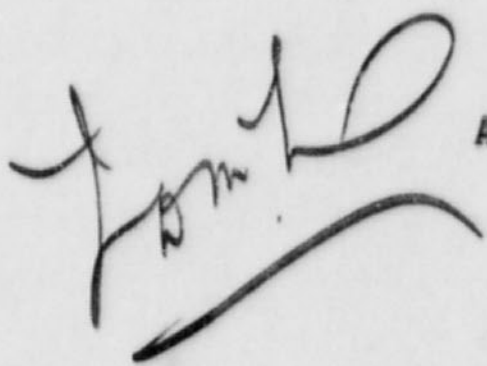
Rev. E. Bird,
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McKay Boarding School,
The Pas, Man.

reserved for the boarding school and the waters of Reader Lake. The area in blue in Sec.22 is only 47.4 acres and that tinted green in Sec.22 is 136.1 acres. So it is very unlikely that the Interior Department would consider the exchange of the former for the latter, but an arrangement might possibly be made similar to that covering Frac. Sec.15.

However, before having any further correspondence with the Department of the Interior in this matter, it is necessary that the Department be a little more clear as to the areas which are now required, as there seems to be a certain amount of confliction between your application referring to Sec.15 and your more recent application as embodied on the sketch on tracing paper and between your letter of Sept.5th 1926 to the Indian Commissioner and your letter of July 13th 1925 to the Department.

I shall be pleased, therefore, if you will give this matter your careful consideration and inform the Department of your present wishes so that the entire matter may be put clearly before the Timber and Grazing Branch of the Department of the Interior.

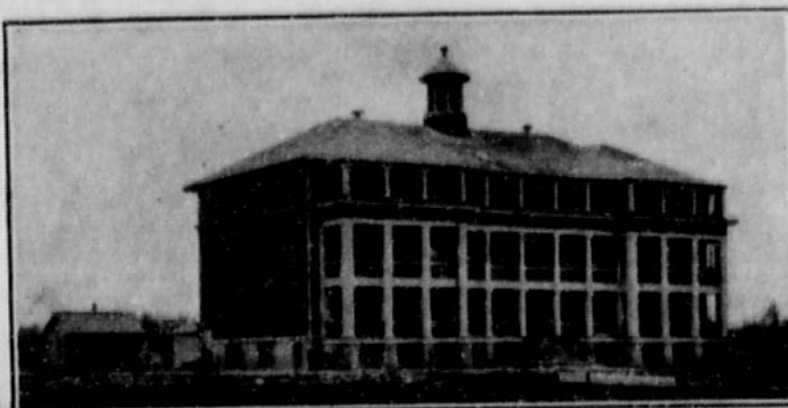
Your obedient servant,



(J.D. McLean)
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

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Indian and Eskimo Commission of the Missionary Society
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THE MACKAY SCHOOL



J.D. McLean Esq.
Assistant Deputy Secretary
Dept. of Indian Affairs
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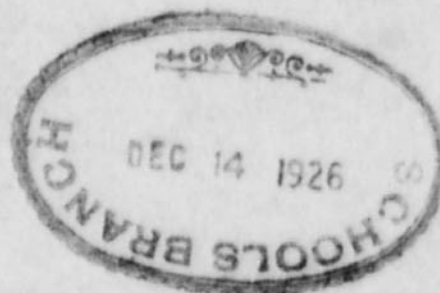
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The Pas, Man.

Dec 6/26



Dear Sir;

With reference to your letter of the
26th inst. No. 128-1-9. re proposed hay land for
The Mackay School.

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J. D. McLean Esq.

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Yours faithfully

R. B. Bird

Principal



Ottawa, 22nd December 1926

Sir, -

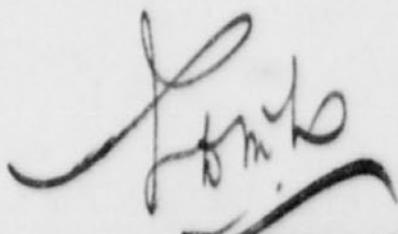
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You will note from departmental letter and sketch from Township plan enclosed that the land applied for by the Principal in Sec. 15 is practically all in Block K of Indian reserve No. 21 and that after the Department had succeeded in having that part of Sec. 15 not within the Indian reserve held for the purpose of permits being issued to the boarding school, the school only requires this section if they cannot obtain the lands asked for in a more recent request.

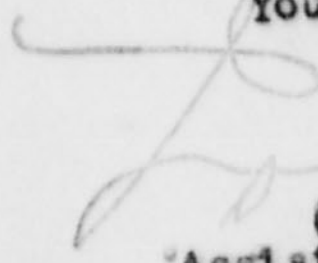
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I shall be pleased to receive your recommendations as to this matter at an early date. Kindly return the tracing paper sketch and Township plan with your reply.

Your obedient servant,



J.A. Waddy Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.



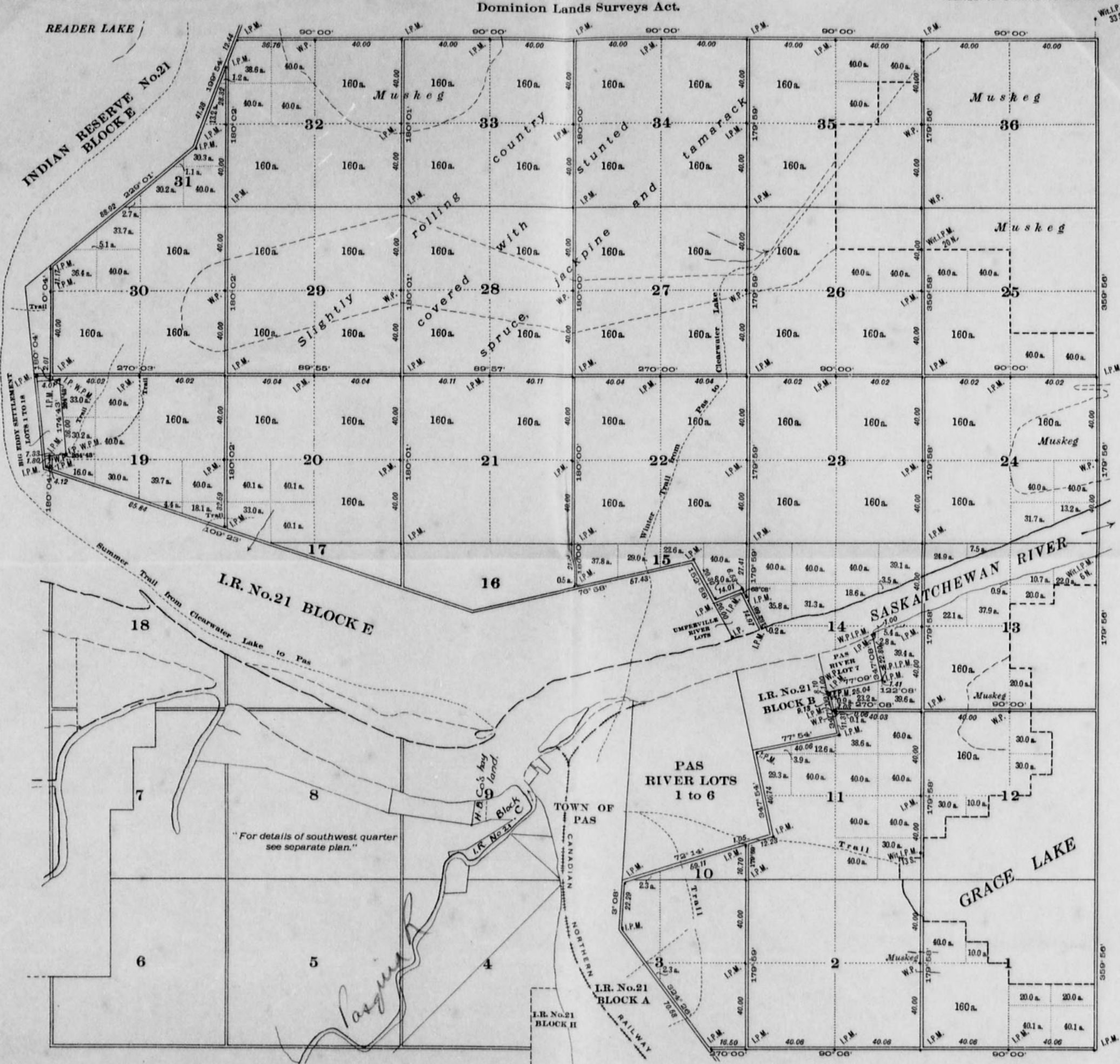
(J.D. McLean)
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Plan of Township 56, Range 26, West of the Principal Meridian

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Made under the authority of subsection 4 of section 56 of the
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SCALE 40 CHAINS TO AN INCH



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DIAGRAM SHOWING THE
NUMBERING OF LEGAL SUB-
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Department of the Interior, Ottawa, 29th November, 1913.

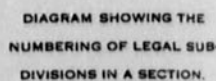
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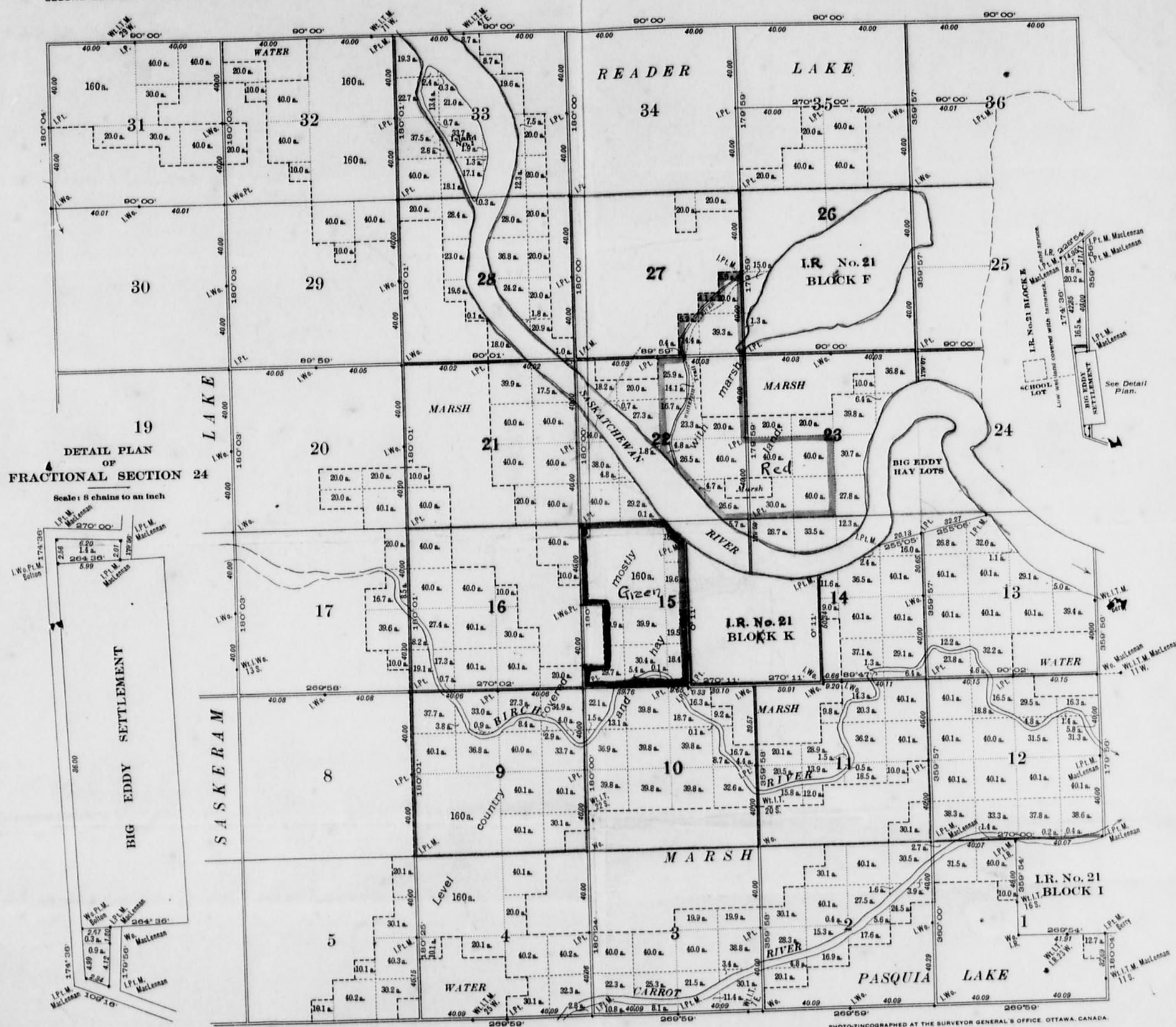
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Plan of Township 56, Range 27, West of the Principal Meridian

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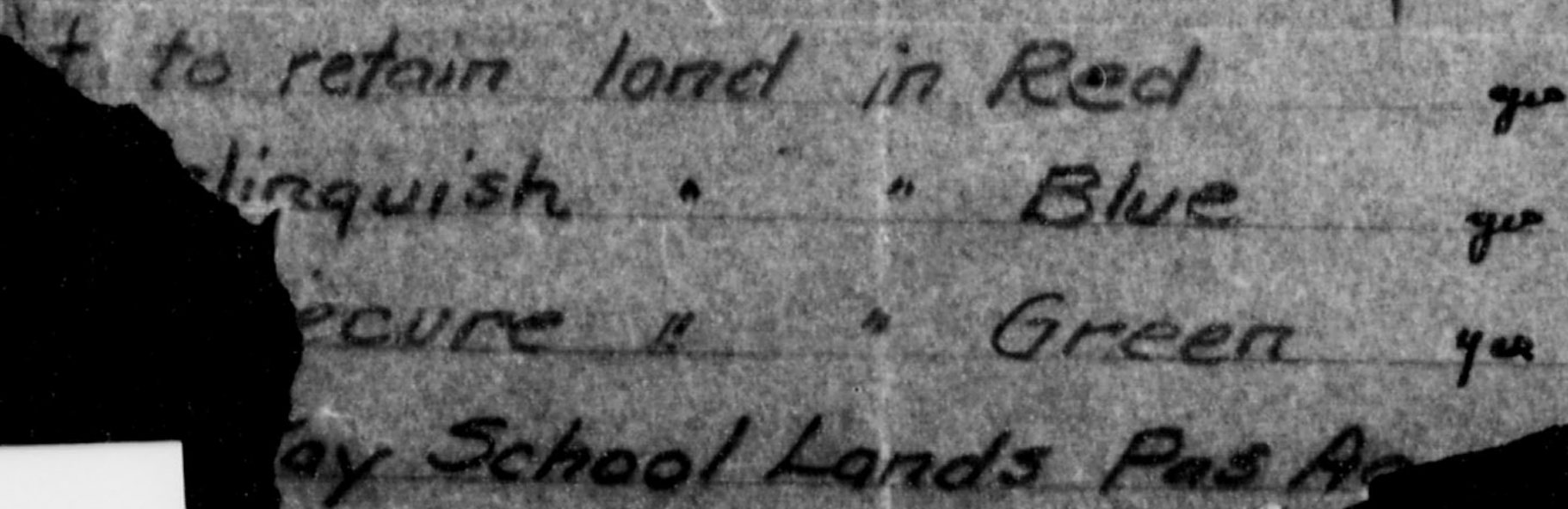
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Department of the Interior, Ottawa, 24th March, 1916.

Approved and Confirmed.

C. Deville
Surveyor General.



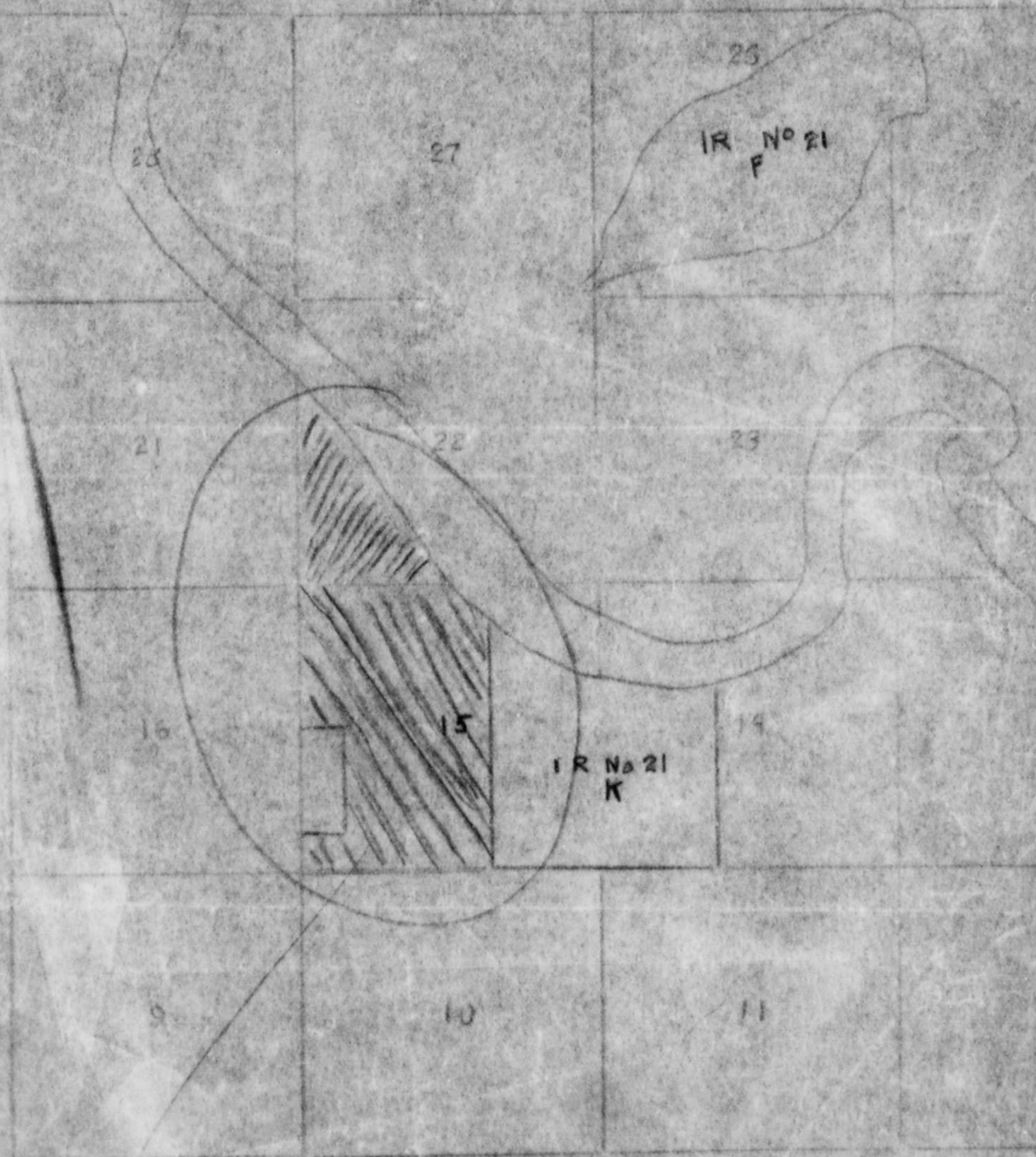
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Mr. Bard would like all land which
is cross hatched, but would be
more or less satisfied with 15 alone

66 - 27 W. P. M. Gibbs



Part of 15 originally asked for

Gibbs

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128-1-9

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, 26th November 1926

Rev. Sir, -

With further reference to the correspondence relating to obtaining extra hay lands for the McKay boarding school, I am enclosing for your information a Township plan showing tinted in red the area which has previously been obtained as hay land; tinted in green the area which the Department of the Interior has reserved for the purpose of issuing the regular hay permits to the boarding school. This latter privilege was obtained after informing the Department of the Interior of the representations made by you that the lessee of Frac. Sec. 15 was not utilizing the area and, therefore, was not complying with the conditions of his lease.

I am also enclosing a paper tracing sketch which is a duplicate of one received from the Indian Commissioner's office at Regina and supposedly represents the request made by you in Sept, and Oct last. You will see from reference to the Township plan that the portion of Sec. 15 tinted green lies almost entirely in Block K of Indian reserve No. 21; the remaining part of it is within the area which is covered by the above mentioned arrangement with the Department of the Interior. Apart from this the sketch does not show that you require the hay from any portion of Sec. 15, which privilege was obtained as above mentioned after considerable correspondence with the Interior Department and after the Department was the cause of the existing lease on that section being cancelled.

Of the lands indicated in blue which are shown as being not required, the Interior Department is very unlikely to consider those small portions in Sec. 27 as being of any importance in the exchange for other land, inasmuch as they are very small parcels and are situate between the land

Rev. E. Bird,
Principal
MacKay Boarding School,
The Pas, Man.

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reserved for the boarding school and the waters of Reader Lake. The area in blue in Sec.22 is only 47.4 Acres and that tinted green in Sec.22 is 136.1 acres. So it is very unlikely that the Interior Department would consider the exchange of the former for the latter, but an arrangement might possibly be made similar to that covering Frac. Sec.15.

✓ However, before having any further correspondence with the Department of the Interior in this matter, it is necessary that the Department be a little more clear as to the areas which are now required, as there seems to be a certain amount of confliction between your application referring to Sec.15 and your more recent application as embodied on the sketch on tracing paper and between your letter of Sept.5th 1926 to the Indian Commissioner and your letter of July 13th 1925 to the Department.

I shall be pleased, therefore, if you will give this matter your careful consideration and inform the Department of your present wishes so that the entire matter may be put clearly before the Timber and Grazing Branch of the Department of the Interior.

Your obedient servant,

(J.D.McLean)
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

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INDIAN AND ESKIMO COMMISSION OF THE MISSIONARY SOCIETY
OF THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND IN CANADA

The Pas, Man
Dec. 6th 1926

J.D. McLean Esq.,
Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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No. 128-1-9 re proposed hay land for the Mackay School.

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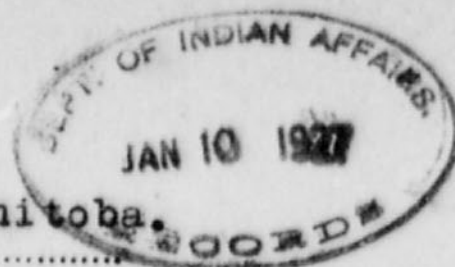
Yours faithfully
Rev. E. Bird Principal

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128-1-9
INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

The Pas, Manitoba.



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 5700-135

ALSO

TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

January...5th...1927.19

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Sir,—

In reference to your letter #128-1-9 of the 22nd ulto regards lands asked for by the Principal of the Mackay Indian Boarding School, I beg to say that I have asked Mr. Bird just what he desires and have pointed out to him that his original request was for part of Section 15 held under lease by Mr. McNeil.

Mr. Bird says he wants part of Sec 22 which is south of the Saskatchewan River, that this is the best soil and highest land. That he would appreciate anything that may be done to get this parcel of land, as well as Sec 15.

In any case he wishes the part of Section 15 which is outside the limits of Pas Reserve block K. What he wants is to get the land given to the school so that no hay permit fee will be paid annually by the school for hay cut, and so that he can feel at liberty to plow part of the land for raising forage crops.

Trusting that this letter is more clear than the copy from the school principal, and that this will help to close out this matter,

I remain, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, 21st January 1927

Sir,-

This Department considers that it is necessary to have more land at the disposal of the MacKay Indian boarding school at The Pas. In order that a proper amount of stock can be maintained by the school, it is of course necessary to provide sufficient forage. The hay supply in this locality is, as you are no doubt aware, one which varies very greatly from season to season on account of the excess of flooding in the Saskatchewan waters. For instance, in the month of December it was reported to the Department that already a portion of the hay lands belonging to the school were partly submerged and that this fact, together with the spring floods, would prevent any hay being available on those portions next season. The island on which the school stands is composed chiefly of rock and low lying land; as a result there is a very small acreage surrounding the building which may be cultivated. It is necessary that the natural hay supply be supplemented by cultivated crops.

While the arrangement which now exists with the Controller of Timber and Grazing, as set forth in his letter of 28th July last (copy of which is enclosed) augments the natural hay supply considerably, it does not provide the Department with the opportunity of cultivating such portions of this land as are suitable for the purpose of raising extra forage. From the information to hand this problem could be satisfactorily provided for if the following lands could be obtained by this Department for the purpose and use of the MacKay Boarding School, - Frac. Sec. 15-56-27-W.P.M., that portion of Sec. 22-56-27-W.P.M., lying to the S.W. of the Saskatchewan River and this Department could relinquish those portions of Secs. 22 and 27 lying W. of the Whitefish River. As the acquisition of these lands will have a very considerable effect on the economic administration of this school, I shall be pleased if this application can be given favourable consideration at an early date.

Your obedient servant,

Controller,

Patents Branch,

Department of Interior, Ottawa.

(J.D. McLean)

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

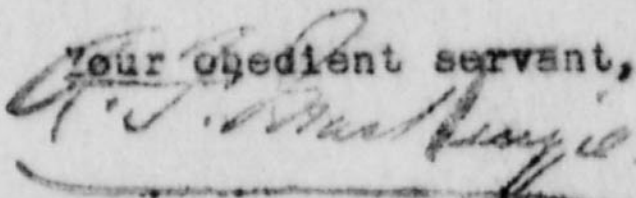
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Ottawa, June 8th, 1927.

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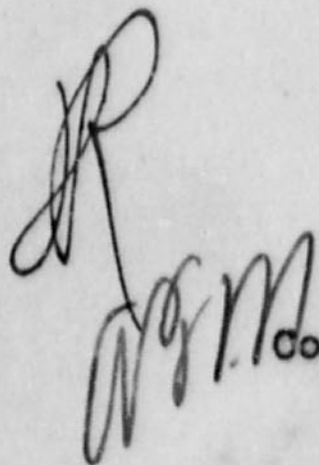
May I direct your attention to the Departmental letter dated the 21st January last relating to additional lands required in Sections 15 and 22, Tp. 56-R. 27- W.P.M., for the purposes of the MacKay Indian Boarding School at The Pas.

Your obedient servant,



(A. F. Mackenzie)

Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary



Controller,
Lands Patents Branch,
Dept. of Interior,
Ottawa.

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ADDRESS YOUR REPLY:
THE CONTROLLER,
LAND PATENTS BRANCH

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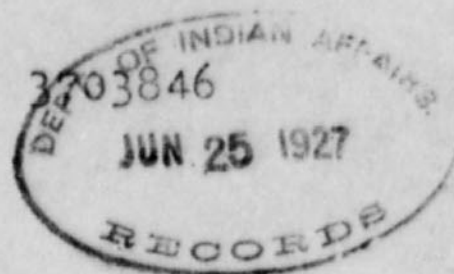


DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
CANADA

LAND PATENTS BRANCH

OTTAWA, 23rd June, 1927.

PLEASE QUOTE
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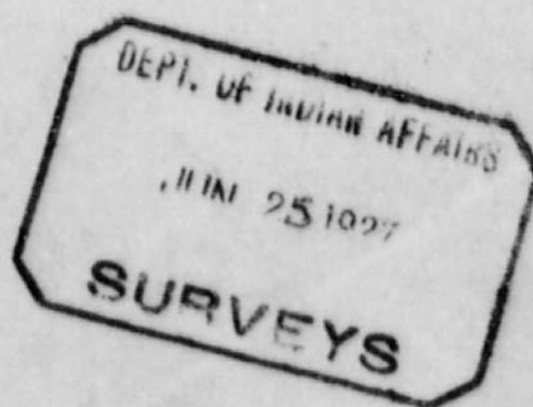
Re the application of the Department of Indian Affairs for fractional Sec. 15 and that portion of Sec. 22 lying to the south west of the Saskatchewan River in Tp. 56, Rge. 27, W.P.M., also the proposal to relinquish part of T. 1/2 22 and S. 1/2 27 lying west of Whitefish River.

With reference to your letters of the 21st January last and the 6th instant, your reference No. 128-1-9, relating to the above-mentioned matter, I beg to inform you that this matter is now receiving attention by this Department and you will be advised in due course of the decision reached in connection therewith.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: N.O. Côté]
(N.O. Côté)
Controller.

A. F. MacKenzie, Esq.,
Acting Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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C O P Y

128-1-9.

Orig. on 128-1-14.



Ottawa, January 7, 1928.

Sir:

By
I have your 6262/135 of the 28th ultimo, with reference to breaking 15 acres of land at the MacKay Indian Residential School. I note that a Fordson Caterpillar Tractor, with breaking plough, etc., at an approximate cost of \$2,000, would be required. I regret to inform you that there are no funds for this purpose at the present time.

Your obedient servant,

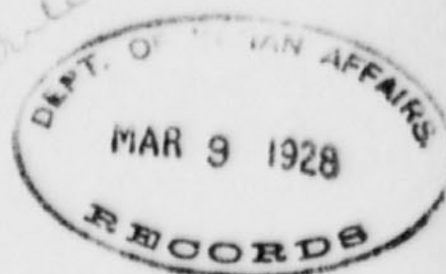
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The Pas, Man.

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AT THE GOVERNMENT HOUSE AT OTTAWA
TUESDAY, the 6th day of MARCH, 1928.

PRESENT:

HIS EXCELLENCY

THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL:

WHEREAS an application has been received by the Department of the Interior from the Department of Indian Affairs for the transfer to the control of the latter Department of parts of sections 15 and 22 in township 56, range 27, west of the principal meridian, in the Province of Manitoba, containing together an area of 485 acres, which land is required by the Department of Indian Affairs in connection with the McKay Indian Industrial Boarding School at The Pas for the purpose of providing a hay supply sufficient to maintain the proper number of stock to meet the requirements of the said school;

AND WHEREAS the Department of Indian Affairs has also expressed its willingness, in the event of the present application receiving favourable consideration, to relinquish those portions of sections 22 and 27 of the said township, lying west of Whitefish river and north of the Saskatchewan river, containing an area of 63 acres, which land was placed with other lands under the control of that Department during pleasure for the said McKay Indian Industrial Boarding School, by Order in Council of the 6th July, 1922, P.C.1439;

AND WHEREAS the Minister of the Interior reports that the land applied for is available for that purpose according to the records of the Department of the Interior;

THEREFORE His Excellency the Governor General in Council, on the recommendation of the Minister of the Interior, is pleased to order and it is hereby ordered that the said land which may be more particularly described as follows be reserved for hay purposes, during pleasure, and placed under the control of the Department of Indian Affairs for the use of the McKay Indian Industrial Boarding School at the Pas, viz:-

The Honourable
The Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

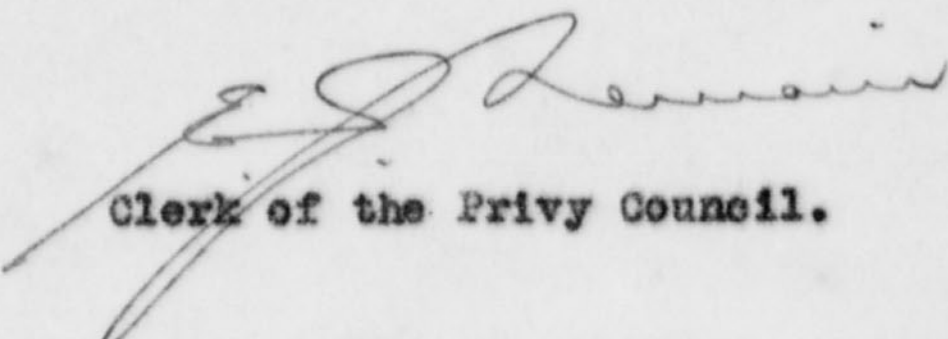
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Firstly, all that portion of section twenty-two in township fifty-six, range twenty-seven, west of the principal meridian, in the Province of Manitoba, which lies to the west of the right bank of the Saskatchewan river, containing by admeasurement one hundred and twenty-six and ten hundredths acres, more or less, and

Secondly, all that portion of section fifteen of the said township, which lies to the west of the western limit of the surveyed road dividing Indian Reserve No 21, Block K, from said section fifteen and which is not covered by any of the waters of Saskatchewan river, of Birch river and of Saskeram Lake, and containing by admeasurement three hundred and fifty-eight and ninety hundredths acres, more or less.

The lands above described being as shown upon a map or plan of survey of the said township, approved and confirmed at Ottawa on the 24th day of March, A.D. 1916, by Edouard Leville, Surveyor General of Dominion Lands, and of record in the Department of the Interior and containing by admeasurement together four hundred and eighty-five acres.

HIS EXCELLENCY in Council is further pleased to order that those portions of sections 22 and 27 in township 56, range 27, west of the principal meridian, in the Province of Manitoba, lying west of Whitefish river and north of the Saskatchewan river, containing an area of 63 acres, now forming part of the tract of land reserved during pleasure for the said McKay Industrial Boarding School by Order in Council of the 6th July, 1922, P.C. 1439, be and they are hereby revested in the Department of the Interior to be dealt with in the usual way under the provisions of The Dominion Lands Act.


Clerk of the Privy Council.

*1. [Signature]
2. [Signature]*

Ottawa, March 12, 1928.

Sir:

With reference to your letter of January 5th, last, regarding the request of the Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School to obtain extra hay lands, I now beg to inform you that an Order in Council has been obtained, approving of the transfer to this Department for the use of the school, of Fractional Section 15, T. 56, R. 27, W. P. M., and that portion of Section 22, T. 56, R. 27, W. P. M., lying to the S. W. of the Saskatchewan River, containing together an area of 485 acres, and this Department has relinquished those portions of Sections 22 and 27 of the said township lying west of the Whitefish River, containing an area of 63 acres, and they are revested in the Department of the Interior.

A copy of this communication is enclosed, which you may hand to the Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School for his information.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

[Signature]
Encl.

[Signature]
J. W. WADDY, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.



128-1-9.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

March 13th, 1928.

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MEMORANDUM:-

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SURVEYS

I should be grateful if you would show on a township plan all the land now belonging to the MacKay Indian Residential School and place it on this file for future reference.

Russell R. Davies

*Township plan
showing May lands tinted
red in envelope hereunder
15th Mar. 1928*

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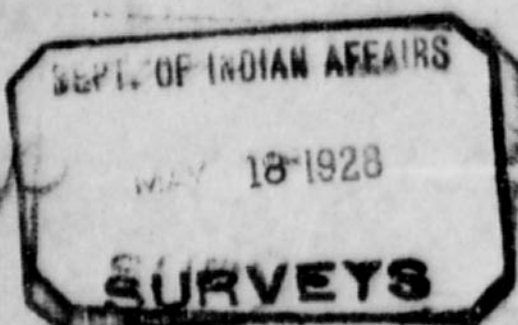
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Department of the Interior

DOMINION LANDS ADMINISTRATION

Ottawa, 15th May, 1928.



With reference to your letter of the 6th June, 1927, file 128-1-9, and to the letter of this Department of the 23rd idem, I beg to enclose for your information a copy of the Order in Council of the 6th March, 1928, P.C. 366.

Your obedient servant,

J. W. Martin *Sm*
(J. W. Martin)
Acting Commissioner.

The Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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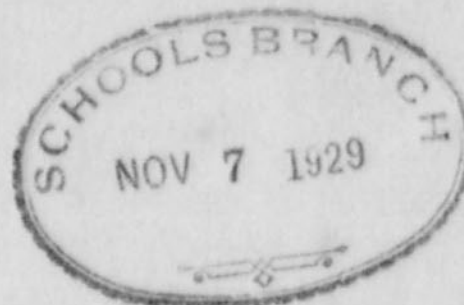
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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. INSPECTOR HAMILTON,
DATED OCTOBER 31st, 1929, ON THE MACKAY INDIAN
RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL.

Original on 128-1-1.



The chicken house stands only a few feet from the girls' playground, which ground needs refencing and should be enlarged. If a capable man were in charge outside, this work could be done with little expense to the department and it would greatly improve the appearance of the school grounds.

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Ottawa, November 7th, 1929.

Sir:

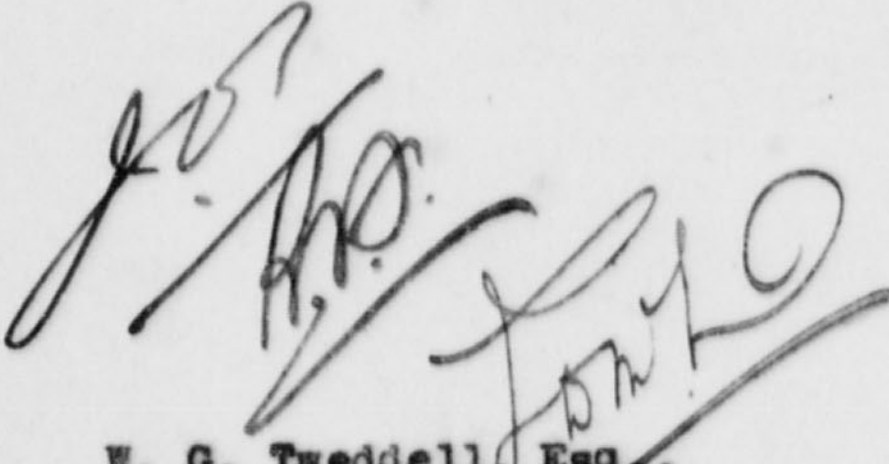
Mr. Inspector Hamilton, who recently visited the MacKay Indian Residential School, states that the chicken house stands only a few feet from the girls' playground and that the ground needs refencing and should be enlarged. I have to request that you will take this matter up with the Principal and arrange with him to have the chicken house removed to a more suitable location at an early date. The Inspector also states that if a capable man were in charge outside this work could be done with little expense and that it would greatly improve the appearance of the school grounds.

Please give this matter your prompt attention and report to the Department the action taken in having the chicken house removed to another location.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.


W. G. Tweddell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



431-135

The Pas Manitoba,
November 15th, 1929.

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to reply to your letter #128-1-9 of the 7th, instant re chicken house and fence at the MacKay Res. School, The Pas, Man.

I beg to state that I visited the school on the 14th, instant and took this matter up also inspected the buildings and fence in question.

I find that the chicken house forms part of a workshop also covers a root house. Removing the chicken house alone would not in my mind better the situation. It seems to me impossible to move the building until Spring on account of the vegetables stored therein, as this is the only building available for the root house. With a little alteration I think these buildings would come in very useful for workshops in connection with the training that the Dept. intend to install in this school.

Re the fence on girls playground, I would recommend that this be deferred until Spring as the ground is frozen to a considerable depth, also posts and pickets are not in too good a condition. Posts could be procured ready for operation and the playground enlarged as soon as the buildings moved.

For your information I may say that the present instructor Mr. Gibson is hopeless and all my instructions have failed to move him.

Your obedient servant,

J. J. Macdonell
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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128-1-9.

431-135.

Ottawa, November 21, 1929.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 15th instant, relative to the chicken house and the fencing of the grounds at the MacKay Indian Residential School. In this connection I have to say that the moving of the chicken house and any alterations in fitting the building for workshops, also the fencing of the girls' playground should be brought to the attention of the Department next spring. At that time, full particulars should be given as to the cost involved in having this work carried out.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

W. G. Tweddell
W. G. Tweddell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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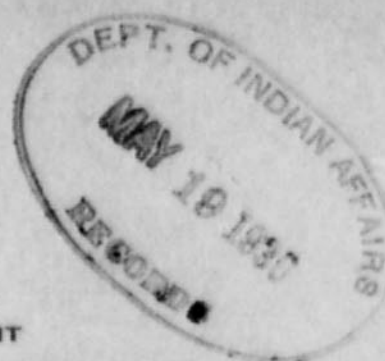


DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

85-135

R

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



The Pas, Manitoba,
May 15th, 1930.

Dear Sir:- Re:-Removal of Hen-house & Work-shop.

Referring to your letter #128-1-9 of the 21st, November 1929, in regard to the above mentioned buildings, I find it would be impossible to move them as they stand.

The work-shop is a very old building, the studdings at foot are not good. It has a concrete floor, and consequently no floor-joists to work on.

The hen-house is joined on to the work-shop and is practically in the same condition.

I would suggest that the two buildings be taken apart and the lumber be used in building a proper hen-house.

There is a concrete foundation which can easily be used, two or three bags of cement being all that would put it in order. This foundation is in line with the barn, and was formerly used for a pig-pen.

As it is impossible to say how much lumber it would require in making this change, I would ask your approval to have the work done by day's work. I do not think it would require a great quantity.

Regarding the enlargement of the girls playground, this also would have to be done by day's work, and I would ask your authority to purchase posts and wire for same.

All of which I would respectfully submit for your early approval.

Your obedient servant.

Asst, Deputy Secretary
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa Ontario

Indian Agent.



*Use material for
old lumber for
day labour. No
pay for girls playground
labour as material*

Ottawa, May 21st, 1930.

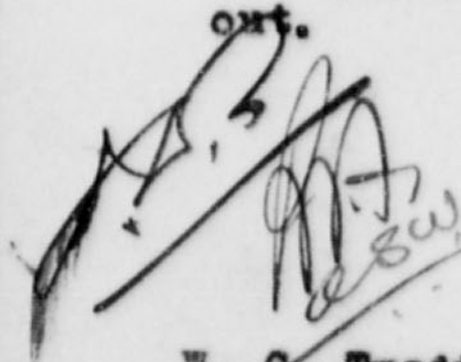
Sir:

I have your letter of the 15th instant, relative to the removing of the present old henhouse and workshop at the MacKay Indian Residential School and using any material of value therein in erecting a new henhouse, also with reference to the enlarging of the girls' playground and fencing same.

In reply I have to say that the Department will approve of removing the present henhouse and workshop and the building of a new henhouse. This work should be done on a day labour basis, under the charge of a competent carpenter, utilizing the services of the boys and staff as far as possible. The material in the old buildings should be used as far as possible in the erection of the new henhouse. You may arrange for the purchase of any extra material, cement, lumber, etc., required. It is expected that you will see that no unnecessary expense is incurred and that a satisfactory job is completed in erecting the new henhouse. This building should be of a type satisfactory for the purpose. It is noted there is a concrete foundation formerly used as a pigpen on which the new henhouse can be erected.

Relative to the enlarging of the girls' playground, the levelling of same, if required, and the fencing, I have to say that you may also arrange to have this work done by day labour. You should purchase, to the best possible advantage, the quantity of posts and wire fencing required. When all the above work has been finished to your satisfaction, you should forward accounts, in duplicate, properly certified, covering the cost of the material supplied and for the labour in having the work carried out.

Your obedient servant,

*Sgt. A. S. Williams*A. S. Williams,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. C. Tweddell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Ottawa, May 21st, 1930.

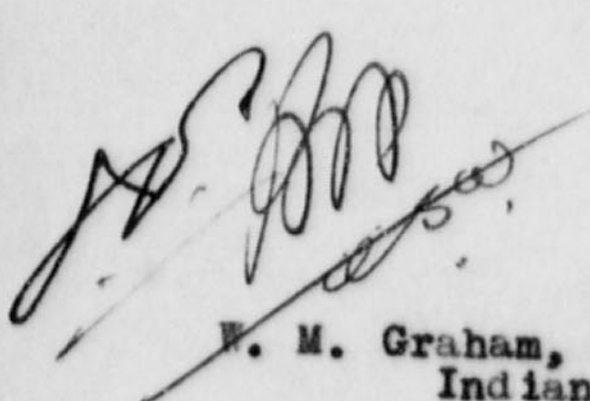
Sir:

I have to inform you that Mr. Agent Tweddell, The Pas, is being authorized to remove the present old henhouse and workshop at the MacKay Indian Residential School and use any materials of value therein in the erection of a new henhouse. He is also being authorized to enlarge and fence the girls' playground. He is to purchase any materials required and have the work performed by day labour, utilizing the services of the pupils and staff as far as possible.

Your obedient servant,

Sgt. A. S. Williams

A. S. Williams,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

FOLIO.....

The Pas, Man., June, 30th., 19 30

M

Indian Department

VOTE 7 TREATY 5

*In Acct:
with*

Rev. A. Fraser,

TERMS.....

June	For the purchase of 150, 9 ft., Posts, for Girls' play yard, at 15¢ per post, \$22 50				
GOODS SUPPLIED PRICE JUST & FAIR CERTIFIED CORRECT.					
<i>[Signature]</i>					
VOUCHER NO. 87		INDIAN AGENT.			
12-7-30 2466					
EXAMINED found correct					
<i>[Signature]</i>					

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128-1-9

Letter No. 87

R

Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

[Handwritten signature]

July 3rd, 1930

Sir,



I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 87,

amounting to \$ 22.50 in favour

of Rev. A. Fraser The Pas Manitoba.

for Fence Posts for enlarging girl's playground at the
MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas Manitoba.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

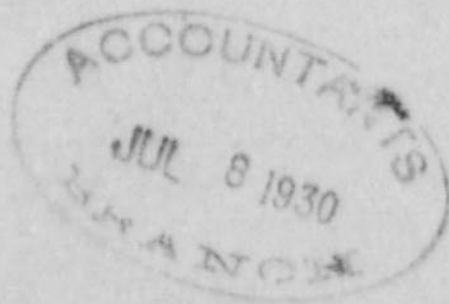
Letter No. 128-1-9 dated May 21st 1930.

[Large handwritten signature: Scholes]
[Large handwritten signature: Bay]
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]

Indian Agent.



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Vote No. 7

Treaty No. 5

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

To JOSEPH MCGILLIVARY ESQ.
PAS BAND INDIAN
THE PAS
MANITOBA.

DATE 1930.	SERVICE	AMOUNT
June 19	to 50 Pieces of 2x4x12 for the improvement of the girl's playground at the MacKay Indian Resid. School. The Pas. Manitoba. 400 feet at 2½¢ per foot	\$10 00 ✓
	VOUCHER NO. 93	
	<i>Sent 17-7-30</i> 2575	
	EXAMINED and found correct. <i>[Signature]</i>	
	TOTAL,	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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128-1-9



Letter No. 93

Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

July 5th. 1930

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 93

amounting to \$ 10.00 in favour

of Joseph McGillivray Pas Band The Pas Manitoba.

for Lumber for braces between posts re improvement to girls
playground at MacKay Indian Resid. School. The Pas.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-9 dated May 21st, 1930.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Vote No. 7

Treaty No. 5

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

To GEORGE MCGILLIVARY ESQ.
PAS BAND INDIAN
THE PAS
MANITOBA.

DATE 1930.	SERVICE	AMOUNT
June 19th.	To 58 Pieces of 2x4x12 for the improvement of the girl's playground at the MacKay Indian Residential School. The Pas. Manitoba. These pieces to be braces between posts 464 feet at 2½¢ per foot.	\$ 11 60 ✓
	VOUCHER NO. 92	
	<i>17-7-30</i> <i>hrv</i> EXAMINED and found correct. <i>Glenn</i> 2574	
	TOTAL,	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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Letter No. 92

Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

Sir,

July 5th 1930

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 92,

amounting to \$ 11.60 in favour

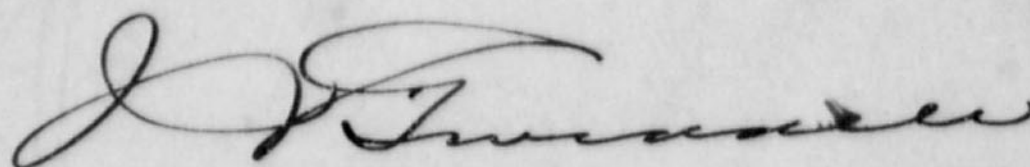
of George McGillivray Pas Band The Pas Manitoba.

for Lumber for braces between posts re improvement of
Mackay School Girl's Playground.

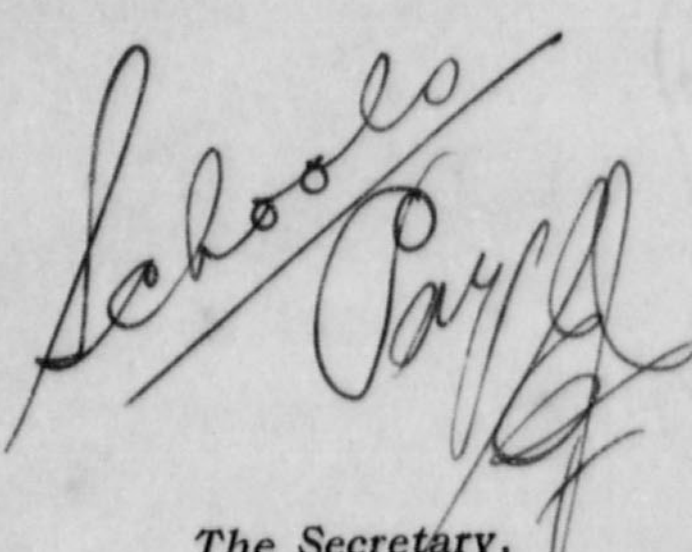
This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No 128-1-9 dated May 21st, 1930.

Your obedient servant,



Indian Agent.


The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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RETURN OF LABOUR on the Training Service Mark Ross Reserve

for week ending Aug 9th

NAMES	Nature of employment or trade. No. of Horses	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	TOTAL	PRICE PER HOUR	AMOUNT OF WAGES	RECEIVED PAYMENT	WITNESS
<u>Pat Constant</u>	<u>Training Service</u>					10	6	16	40	6 40		<u>Pat Constant</u>
<u>Mark Ross</u>	" "					10	6	16	40	6 40		<u>Mark Ross</u>
										<u>12 80</u>		

EXAMINED and
found correct.

Algham

3282
5680
Aug 28/30

Recommended for payment

I hereby certify that the services have been performed and prices are fair and just.

Cheque No.

Balance

FOREMAN

AGENT

RETURN OF LABOUR on the *Lucy Girls Penmanship* *the* *Reserve*
for week ending *July 5th 1930*

[illegible]

Cheque No.

Recommended for payment

Balance

FOREMAN

I hereby certify that the services have been performed and prices are fair and just.

L. F. Powell

AGENT

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



128-1-9
R

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



THE PAS, Aug, 12th, 1930.

Dear Sir.

Please find inclosed return of Labor, for
enlarging and fencing, the girls Play ground, at
The MACKAY RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL, as instructed in your
letter 128_i, 9.

Amounting to \$56. 80

your approval

Trusting that this will have

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

A. F. MACKENZIE Esq.

ASST. Deputy and Secretary

Dept. of Indian Affairs.

OTTOWA.

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THE PAS, MAN., August 7th 1930

M. Department of Indian Affairs, The Pas, Man.

ght of **WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED**

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE

INTEREST AT 8 PER CENT CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE PARTICULARS Folio 174 CREDIT 24 30 DAYS NET 30 DAYS BALANCE

For MacKay School

4 Rolls #2272 Bantam Poultry Fence	9.18	36.72 ✓
10 Lbs. Poultry Wire Staples	.11	1.10 ✓
VZ-T-5 Letter 128-1-9		\$ 37.82 ✓

GOODS RECEIVED?

PRICES JUST & FAIR.

INDIAN AGENT.

33 Aug 24/30
EXAMINED and
found correct.

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Letter No. 238

128-1-9
R



Pas
Office of the Indian Agency,

THE PAS? Aug 16 th. 1930

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 150

amounting to \$ 37.82 in favour

of WOOD VALLANCE LIMITED.

for Wire & staples, for Enlarging And repairing

Girls Playground at Mackay Res. School
This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-9 dated May 21st, 1930

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

INDIAN EDUCATION

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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STATEMENT

Aug 31/30

Dept of Indian Affairs

Thlas. Iran

In Acct. with C. A. Bailey

1930 TERMS

Box 555

Draying

Thlas. Iran

Aug

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Draying Girls Play
Ground Fence Wire
and Staples to
Mackay School

\$ 3.00

SERVICES RENDERED PRICE JUST & FAIR
CERTIFIED CORRECT.

J. P. [Signature]

VOUCHER NO. 188

INDIAN AGENT.

sent 11-9-30

3645

EXAMINED and
found correct.
M. A. [Signature]
11/9/30

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Letter No. 188

Office of the The Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

September 5th 1930

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 188,

amounting to \$ 3.00 in favour

of CA Bailey Esq. The Pas Manitoba,

for Draying wire and staples to Mackay Indian Resid. School
The Pas for the girls playground

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-9 dated 21st May 1930

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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PLEASE SEE

Per,

428-1-9^A

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FILE NO.

580-14

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

CROSS REFERENCE

128-1-14

MACKAY RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL

LIVE STOCK

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FILE NO. 580-14

CHILD STATES

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No. 128-1-14

Department of Indian Affairs

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MAC KAY RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL

LIVE STOCK

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128-1-14 *new*

Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada

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EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY
REV. W. E. TAYLOR, M.A., PH.D.

FIELD SECRETARY
REV. T. B. R. WESTGATE, D.D.
(THE BIBLE HOUSE, WINNIPEG, MAN.)

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HIS HONOUR JUDGE A. D. HARDY
G. C. COPPLEY, ESQ.

THE BIBLE HOUSE
304 JARVIS STREET

~~RECEIVED~~ June 8th, 1925.

41-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:-

In keeping with the understanding set forth in your letter of April 9th (13-O-14) relative to the replacement of milch cows which have been destroyed at Indian Residential Schools by order of the Health of Animals Branch of the Department of Agriculture, I beg to inform you that arrangements were made with the Veterinary Director General to test the herd of cattle at the Mackay School, The Pas, Manitoba. The test was made in the early part of the month of May and the Principal has informed me in a letter dated May 13th that as a result of this test, the bull and 7 cows belonging to the herd were destroyed. I should be glad therefore, if you will take steps at your earliest convenience to have the above animals replaced as the school has now only 5 cows left and this is not sufficient to provide it with an adequate supply of milk.

Believe me, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

T. B. R. Westgate

FIELD SECRETARY M.S.C.C.

This approval on 1-1-14
[Signature]
TERW/JF.

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Ottawa, June 25, 1925.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 8th instant and I note with regret that eight animals have been destroyed at the Mackay Indian Residential School, following a tubercular test. I am communicating today with Mr. Indian Commissioner Graham, asking him to make arrangements for their replacement.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary

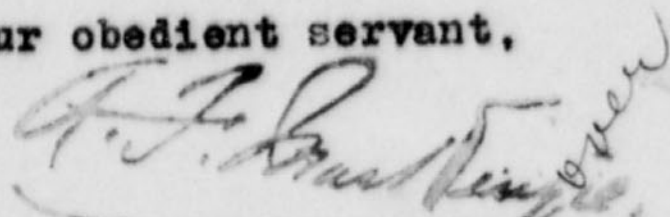
T. B. R. Westgate
Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D. D.,
Field Secretary, M. S. C. C.,
41-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

Ottawa, June 25, 1925.

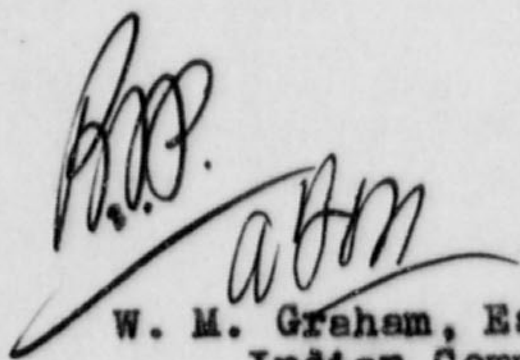
Sir:

I have to inform you that, following a tubercular test of the milch cows at the Mackay Indian Residential School, eight animals were destroyed. Please make arrangements at your earliest convenience to supply to the school seven milch cows and one bull. You should inform the Rev. Principal when arrangements are complete.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.



W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

128-1-14

INDIAN OFFICE

At.....The Pas., Man.....

June 29th 1925

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4412-135.

Sir;-

I have the honor to report that a Mr. Bishop, Veterinary Surgeon, of the Department of Agriculture, visited the Mackay School lately and killed seven milk cows and a bull which had re-acted to the T.B.test.

I would be obliged if the Department will arrange for replacement of these animals, I am not acquainted with the proper proceedure but think the Department of Agriculture assists in these cases.

I am, Sir,

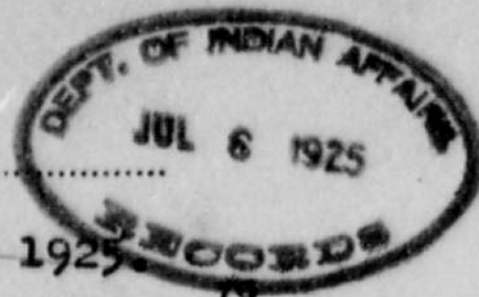
Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.



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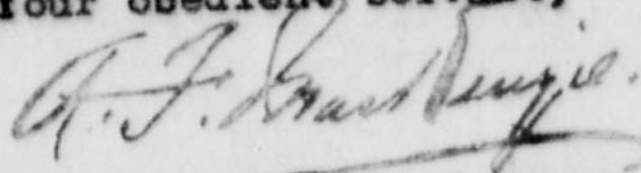
Ottawa, July 7th, 1925.

Sir:

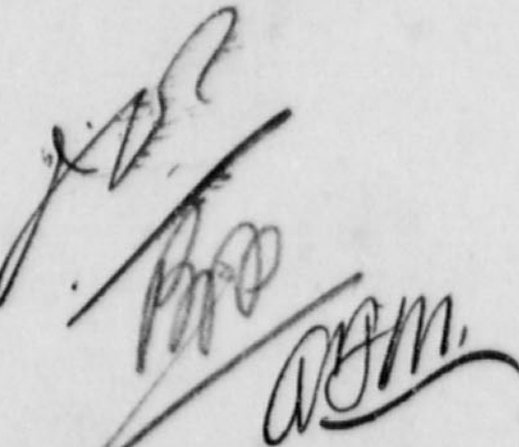
I have your letter of the 29th ultimo, relative to the action taken in destroying a number of the herd of cattle at the Mackay Indian Residential School, and requesting that the Department arrange for the replacement of these animals.

In reply I beg to say that Mr. Commissioner Graham was authorized to make arrangements to supply to the school 7 milk cows and 1 bull, and he was also instructed to inform the Principal when he had completed arrangements for supplying these animals.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Vote No.

Treaty No.

Department of Indian Affairs

To W. J. White, Esq..Lookwood, Sask.

DATE		SERVICE.	AMOUNT.	
1925				
Oct.	8	For the purchase of seven milch cows	520.	00
		One Bull	125.	00
		Feed for animals enroute to destination	5.	50
		One fork	1.	75
		One pail	1.	00
		Rope	1.	75
		The last items for use of the man in charge.		
		Half of Sunlight Cafe account covers food for man in charge.	1.	22
		Feed Hay for animals at the Pas. receipt attached.	3.	30
		Return Railway fare. receipt attached.	7.	80
		Department authority #128-1-14 dated June 25th, 1925.		
		EXAMINED and found correct.		
		Six Hundred & Sixty-seven-----32/100 TOTAL,	567.	32

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

#3415

Indian Commissioner

H. H. H.

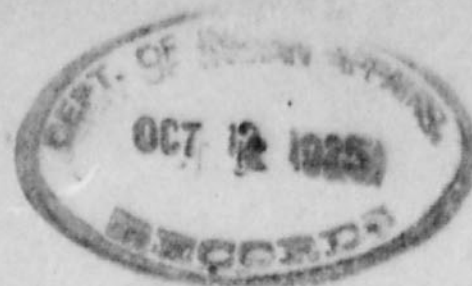
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 205-11 A
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

M REGINA, SASK., Oct. 8th, 1925

ack.

Sir:

I beg to forward herewith for payment Regina voucher #3415 in favor of Mr. W.J. White, Lockwood, Sask., representing the purchase of one bull and seven cows for the Mackay Boarding School under Department authority #128-1-14 dated the 25th of June last.

Please note that the receipt for the charge of \$1.22 shown on the voucher accompanies Regina voucher #3414 covering the purchase of milch cows for the Pine Creek School, which is going forward today under separate cover.

Voucher for the wages of the man in charge and his board during the journey will be forwarded at a later date.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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FORM OF RECEIPT

Received from Mr. W. J. White
the sum of \$53.20 being payment in full for the under-
mentioned:-

9 days wages accompanying cattle to The Pas at \$3.00 per day.....	\$27.00 ✓
Disbursements during the journey as per statements attached.....	26.20 ✓
	<u>\$53.20</u>

Date

Chas. J. White Homer Wells.
Witness

128-1-14



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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 205-11 A
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

REGINA, SASK., Nov. 7th. 1925

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Sir:

Referring to my letter of the 8th ultimo forwarding Regina voucher #3415 covering the purchase of a bull and milch cows for the Mackay Boarding School, I beg now to enclose a further voucher completing payment to Mr. W. J. White, amounting to \$53.20.

It is regretted that the man who accompanied the cattle did not take receipts for his disbursements as he was directed to do, but he kept a record of the amounts paid out by him amounting to \$26.20, and this I enclose together with a receipt given by him to Mr. White for the amount in question, as well as his wages for nine days for taking care of the animals en route to The Pas.

Your obedient servant,

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W. M. Graham
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
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~~TORONTO, ONT.~~ Dec. 16, 1925.

41-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Avenue,
Winnipeg, Man.

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

During my recent visit to the Mackay School at The Pas, Man., my attention was directed to the fact that in place of eight cows and one bull which were destroyed by order of the Veterinary Director General of the Health of Animals Branch, Ottawa, only seven cows and a bull had been restored by your Department, and I write to request that instructions be issued for another cow to be provided at your earliest convenience.

While writing in this connection I consider it my duty to inform you that the animals which have already been provided are very much inferior to those which were destroyed.

One of the cows had a hoof so greatly enlarged as to compel her to walk on the ball of the foot. This same cow was minus the brush on her tail - both defects existing when the purchase was made by your representative.

Another cow is so hard to milk that it is with difficulty any milk can be extracted from her.

In general appearance and quality these animals impressed me as being inferior to those which were destroyed, and I was informed that in order to keep them in a milk-producing condition they require about 30% more feed and nourishment.

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To the management of the School these are matters of serious importance, and I am of the opinion that it would be but fair to our Society not only to have the cow still short added to the herd, but at least two others to take the place of the two referred to above.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

L. A. Westgate

TBRW/JF.

FIELD SECRETARY M. S. C. C.

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Ottawa, December 21, 1925.

Sir:

I wish to refer to official 128-1-14 of June 25th, last, and to your 205-11A of October 8th, concerning the purchase of stock at the Mackay Indian Residential School. I am today in receipt of a communication in this connection from Dr. Westgate, which reads in part as follows: -

"I consider it my duty to inform you that the animals which have already been provided are very much inferior to those which were destroyed.

"One of the cows had a hoof so greatly enlarged as to compel her to walk on the ball of the foot. This same cow was minus the brush on her tail - both defects existing when the purchase was made by your representative.

"Another cow is so hard to milk that it is with difficulty any milk can be extracted from her.

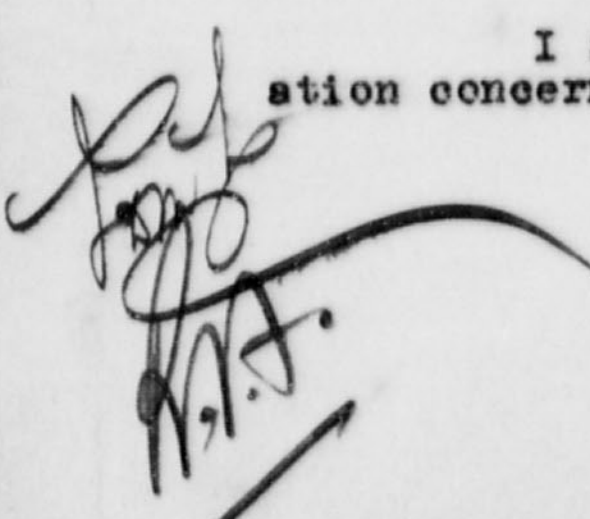
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"To the management of the School these are matters of serious importance, and I am of the opinion that it would be but fair to our Society not only to have the cow still short added to the herd, but at least two others to take the place of the two referred to above."

I should be grateful if you would make a recommendation concerning this request.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

128-1-14.



Ottawa, December 21, 1925.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 16th instant, with reference to the replacement to the stock at the Mackay Indian Residential School. I regret to learn that two of the cows were not entirely satisfactory. I am writing to Mr. Indian Commissioner Graham in this connection and will have a further communication for you at a later date.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

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Field Secretary

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COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

NO. 205-11A

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

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REGINA, SASK., January 2nd, 1926

Dear Mr. Graham:-

In connection with the cows which I purchased last summer for the Mackay Indian Residential School at The Pas, I note in the Department letter No. 128-1-14 of the 21st ult., it states that the church authorities consider it their duty to inform you that the animals which have already been provided, are very much inferior to those which were destroyed, and that one of the cows had a hoof so greatly enlarged that it was compelled to walk on the ball of the foot. Also that the same cow was minus a brush on her tail.

I wish to inform you that 17 cows were bought by me at the same time, 10 for the Residential School at Pine Creek and 7 for the Mackay School. The animals were all thoroughly examined by me and I considered them all to be a fine lot of grade Holsteins, and in fact, most of them had more the appearance of Purebred animals but they were purchased from a third to a half less than pure ~~grade~~ animals could be bought at.

You had a letter from the Principal at Pine Creek who said:-

"I beg to inform you that on the 26th inst. I have received in good order the 10 cows shipped from Nokomis, and that I find them a fine lot of animals built up to give milch. Six were giving milch, and yesterday one of them calfed."

"I must thank you sincerely for this appreciated help you have obtained for our school."

This shows what he thought of them, and the cows were practically all of the same class. I remember distinctly 2 cows out of the 17 which were the oldest in the bunch, were not quite as well up in flesh as I would have liked them to be, but I consider that they were the best milch cows in the whole bunch, and it was milking cows that I was buying, not beef cows.

I am quite sure that the hoof on the cow in question, was alright when I saw her, and if she is now walking on the ball of her foot, it has happened since the time the cow was purchased. With regard to the same cow being minus a brush on her tail, this is too trifling a matter to deal with as I cannot

W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

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say whether there ^{were} was a few hairs short in the tail or not and if so, no doubt it will grow out again. The only reason the Principal has for complaining is that he wanted Purebred Ayrshires and when he got Holsteins, he started to put in his complaints. I had this verbally from Mr. Waddy when he was here last summer. I am quite sure if the animals that he received were properly looked after and cared for as they should be, they will give good results.

I might mention that these are the same kind of animals that were supplied to the Duck Lake School and Rev. Fr. Delmas is highly satisfied with the cows he got.

Trusting this explanation will be satisfactory,

I have the honor to be,

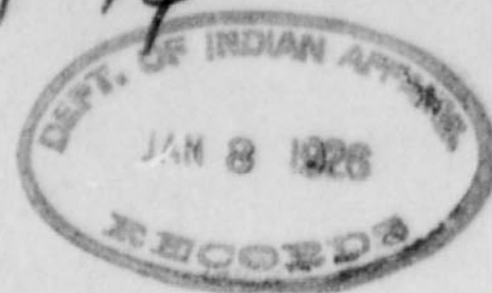
Sir,

Your obedient servant,

M. Christensen
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-M. Christensen.
Inspector of Indian Agencies.



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COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

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REGINA, SASK., January 5th, 1926

Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st ultimo #128-1-14, referring me to Department Letter 128-1-14 of June 25th, and my letter #205-11A of October 8th concerning the purchase of stock for the McKay Indian Residential School.

I note that you are in receipt of a communication in connection with this matter from Dr. Westgate, in which he complains that the animals received were much inferior to those which were destroyed; that one of the cows had a hoof so greatly enlarged as to compel her to walk on the ball of her foot, and that this cow was minus the brush on her tail, also that another of the cows is so hard to milk that it is with difficulty any milk can be extracted from her.

In the first place I would point out that we were only buying grade Holstein cows, not thoroughbred Holstein cows, and that the price which we paid for these cows was about one-third what we would have paid had we been buying thoroughbred Holsteins. However, it was milk producers we were after and I believe that a fine lot of cattle were sent to the McKay School, notwithstanding Dr. Westgate's report to you.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

On receipt of



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On receipt of your letter I took this matter up with Inspector Christianson, who happened to be in the office, and had him write me a report which is enclosed herewith. You will note from the Inspector's report that the seven cows and a bull which were shipped to the McKay School were part of a herd that was purchased by the Department. The other part were sent to the Pine Creek School. You will also note the report which I received from the Principal of the Pine Creek School, whom I believe to be a practical man. He is very grateful for the cattle which he received, and is well pleased with them.

The chances are that if one of the cows at the McKay School has an enlarged hoof it is a temporary ailment. She probably needs her toes trimmed so as to throw the weight on the hoof proper, instead of on the ball of her foot, and I doubt very much whether Dr. Westgate or Mr. Bird would understand this, neither ^{one} of them being a practical man.

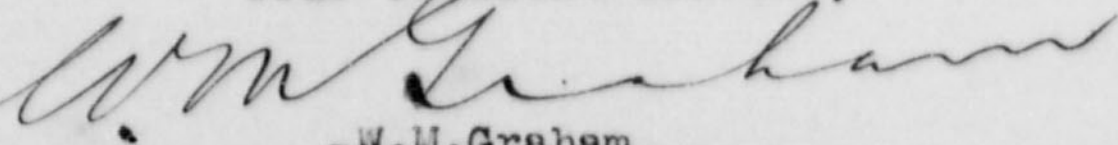
So far as I am concerned, I do not think that the Department should be called upon to replace any of the animals that have been sent there. I have every confidence in Mr. Christianson's judgement in this matter, which appears to be well backed up by the Principal of the Pine Creek School, who received ten out of the seventeen cattle purchased.

Mr. White, who supplied the cattle, was recommended to me by the Department of Agriculture here. I have had dealings with him before; I know the man well, and I know his stock. We bought cattle from Mr. White for other points and the parties who received them were well satisfied.

If Dr. Westgate was expecting thoroughbred Holsteins which would cost the Department in the neighborhood of \$250.00 to \$300.00 a head, he might as well be given to understand clearly that it was never the intention of the Department to supply animals of this type..

I do not suppose that Dr. Westgate can be stopped from making complaints and finding fault, as he appears to be doing wherever he goes, but it is not very satisfactory to have this sort of thing going on all the time. The Department's officers have some intelligence.

Your obedient servant,


W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

Ottawa, January 9, 1926.

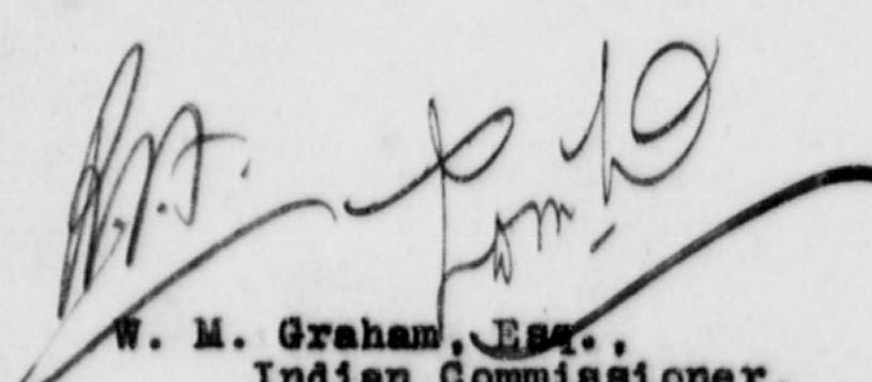
Sir:

I have your 205-11A of the 5th instant, concerning the milch cows which were purchased for the Mackay Indian Residential School. I am informing Dr. Westgate that you have reported the animals supplied were good grade Holsteins and that the Department does not purpose making any replacements.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

EX-101

Ottawa, January 9, 1926.

Reverend Sir:

I have to refer further to your letter of the 16th instant, concerning the milch cows which were supplied to the Mackay Indian Residential School. Mr. Indian Commissioner Graham has reported fully in this connection and it is his opinion that good grade Holsteins were supplied. The officer who made the purchase is quite sure that the animals were all in good condition when shipped to the school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

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J. D. McLean,
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T. B. R. Westgate
Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D. D.,
Field Secretary, M. S. C. C.,
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COPY
FOR YOUR INFORMATION

The Mackay Boarding School,
The Pas, Man.
Dec. 12/25.

Original sent to London

Rev. T.B.R. Westgate, D.D.,
The Bible House,
Winnipeg, Man.

Dear Dr. Westgate:-

With reference to your letter of the 9th instant which arrived to-day, re the cattle supplied by the Department to take the place of those destroyed by order of the Veterinary Surgeon.

When the Veterinary Surgeon visited us the first time, one cow was ordered to be killed, at his second visit, six cows and the bull were ordered to be destroyed, this was done, on his third visit during the first week in July another cow was destroyed by his orders.

The Agent was notified of the results of each visit to the Veterinary Surgeon, the last notification was during the first week in July, when Mr. Bishop the Surgeon and myself informed Mr. Waddy in his office that another cow had been destroyed.

About the second or third week in August, as I arrived in The Pas by Canoe, I observed some cattle being loaded on a barge, on investigation I found that they were for the Mackay School, on seeing the Agent I mentioned what poor condition they were in, and that it was not with travelling, and that one cow had an enlarged hoof and the end of her tail nipped off (minus the Brush). He mentioned that he had milked them that morning, and found one cow was so hard to milk that it took him all his time to milk her as her teats were very hard to squeeze. I asked him how it was that the full number had not been supplied to replace those destroyed, and was surprised to find that the last cow killed had not been reported. He was leaving that day to go to Regina. On the day he returned Mr. Grant and I met him on the Street, and he expressed the hope that I had not put in a very adverse report on the new cows to your office, giving us to understand that he had been up before Mr. Graham, but not telling us what transpired. I mentioned about the cow again and he said that there was plenty of time to report about her at a later period. This is the last I have heard in regard to the cows with the exception of receiving the papers of the bull, which I had applied for at an earlier date. Mr. Grant will corroborate the above statements if necessary.

With reference to the quality etc. I beg to submit the following statements:-

1. The animals supplied are very much inferior to the old stock - take about 30 per-cent more feed to keep up.
2. One cow had an overgrown toe and walked on the ball of the foot (this has improved somewhat)

3. The cow mentioned in No. 2 had her tail cut off at the end, there being no brush on the end, apparently done at a recent date as the end of the tail was raw.
4. One cow is about as hard a cow to milk, as any cow that I have ever milked.

I most certainly do not consider that the animals supplied are in any way equal to the former stock, and this is the opinion of all who knew the former stock.

Trusting this covers all the information required.

Yours faithfully,

(SGD) Rev. E. V. Bird,
Principal.

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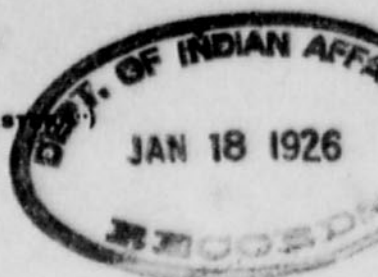
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~~TORONTO, ONT.~~ January 14, 1926
41-43 The Bible House
Alexander Avenue
Winnipeg.



Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:-

RE: MILK COWS SUPPLIED TO MACKAY SCHOOL

With further reference to my letter of December 16th 1925 and your replies of December 21 and January 9th (128-1-14) relative to the stock supplied to the Mackay School to take the place of those destroyed by order of the Veterinary Director General Health of Animals Branch. I now beg to enclose herewith a copy of a letter which was addressed to me by the Principal of the Mackay School on December 12th last, in which is set forth the condition of the stock in question at the time of their arrival at the school. In the light of the information which this letter contains, I beg respectfully to inform you that our Society is unable to accept the statement of the "Officer who made the purchase" that he "was quite sure the animals were all in good condition when shipped to the school". I beg to state further that if Mr. Indian Commissioner Graham was informed that good grade "Holsteins were supplied" to this school in place of the cattle destroyed, this information was not in harmony with the facts. The cattle which were destroyed were "good grade Holsteins," while those which were supplied to take their place are, from my observation, of a very much inferior quality, and possess the defects set forth in the enclosed letter of the Principal.

I beg to request therefore that further consideration be given to the opinion set forth in the last paragraph of my letter of December 16th that three more cows be added to this herd, and suggest that an authorization be forwarded to me for the purchase to be made by the School Management, such authorization to

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specify the amount which might be paid per head, and the amount allowed for transportation expenses.

I have the honor to be Sir,

Your obedient servant,

L. R. Westgate

Field Secretary M.S.C.C.

MB.

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Ottawa, January 21, 1926.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 14th instant, concerning milch cows purchased for the Mackay Indian Residential School. I regret that the Department cannot replace the two animals which have been reported as somewhat unsatisfactory, in view of Mr. Commissioner Graham's report and recommendation. I am asking him, however, to arrange at the first convenient opportunity to supply one cow to the school to replace the extra one that was slaughtered by order of the Veterinary Director General.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

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Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D. D.,
Field Secretary, M. S. C. C.,
41-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

EX-10

Ottawa, January 21, 1926.

Sir:

I have to inform you that the number of milch cows at the Mackay Indian Residential School, which were destroyed by order of the Veterinary Director General, was eight, and, as only seven cows were replaced, the Department has decided to allow an extra one. At the first convenient opportunity, you should see that a good grade milch cow is supplied to this school. A voucher should be forwarded in the usual manner for payment.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

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Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

W. M. Graham
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W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.



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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

NO. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

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REGINA, SASK., April 8th, 1927.

[Handwritten signature]



Sir:-

I have received a letter from Mr. J.W. Waddy, Indian Agent at The Pas, informing me that the bull in use at the McKay Boarding School had to be destroyed on account of its leg having been broken by a kick from a horse.

In January, 1926, the Department gave authority to furnish this School with another milk cow but as no suitable animal could be found in the locality, no purchase was made. The Principal asks if the grant allowed for the purchase of a cow may be diverted to the purchase of a bull. Will you please advise me.

Your obedient servant,

*On condition that
School buy a cow
Bull wasn't total
loss or account
beef*

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W.M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, April 12th, 1927.

Sir:

I have your No. 205-11A C.E. of the 8th instant, informing the Department that the bull in use at the Mackay Indian Residential School was destroyed on account of his leg having been broken. The authority which was granted in January, last, for the purchase of an extra cow may be diverted to the purchase of a bull to replace the animal destroyed. This authority is granted on the condition that the school will themselves purchase the cow. You should see that a young bull of a type considered satisfactory by you is purchased, and the animal secured should be free from tuberculosis.

The animal destroyed was, no doubt, not a total loss, as the carcass could be used for beef at the school or sold, and it is considered that the value received should be applied by the school towards the purchase of the extra cow.

The animal purchased by you should be obtained as cheaply as possible, and certified vouchers covering the cost should be forwarded in the usual manner.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

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EXTRACT
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April 3, 1927.

Handwritten signature

I have the honour to submit the following report on the MacKay, Boarding school, the Pas, Manitoba and Assiniboine Reserve, Sintaluta, Sask.

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MacKay Boarding school.

I must say the children had a well balanced diet with the only exception of too much tea and not enough milk. However Mr. Bird the Principal explained the reason for this as follows: -That the cows sent up to replace the herd destroyed for T.B. did not give half the quantity of milk that the previous cows had done and it now was impossible to supply the large number of children at the school and especially during the winter months, but in the summer the cows give more but not sufficient.

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Elsie Phin.

Travelling Nurse.

Ask Principal to arrange for more milk
ABP

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Ottawa, April 25th, 1927.

Sir:

The Travelling Nurse who visited the MacKay Indian Residential School states, in a report which she submitted to the Department, that, while the children had a well balanced diet, there was not sufficient milk. Please draw this to the attention of the Principal and inform him that the Department requires that an ample supply of milk be furnished the pupils. The younger pupils especially should receive milk each day, as it is one of the most important items in their diet. I shall be pleased to hear later regarding the quantity of milk supplied daily for the pupils' use and whether you consider same ample or not. It is thought that this school should have a sufficient number of cows to give all the milk necessary.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. W. Waddy
J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



The Pas, Man.

May 6th 1927.

Dear Sir;-

In reference to letter #128-1-14 of the 25th ulto regards supply of milk to the pupils at the Mackay Indian Residential School, I beg to state that the Principal informs me that the cows there are now giving more milk than during the winter, but that the animals do not appear to thrive on the rough forage at that place. From the amount of milk he gets it would appear that the pupils are not receiving enough. I asked him if he wanted more cows and he states he has no room for more, unless we culled out a couple and replaced them with others which would be more suitable to the district.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

*very little milk
exchange
MP*

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5737-135.

Ottawa, May 11th, 1927.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 6th instant, relative to the milk supply for the pupils at the MacKay Indian Residential School.

The Principal should do the very best possible to arrange for an adequate supply of milk. If any of the cows at present at the school are unsuitable, they should either be killed for beef purposes or exchanged for new cows of a suitable type. The cost of obtaining any new milch cows should be provided by the school from its per capita grant or other receipts. We will be pleased to have a further report at a later date as to any steps taken to provide the supply of milk necessary at this school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

NO. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

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REGINA, SASK., May 10th, 1927



Sir:-

On the 8th. ultimo I wrote informing you that the Principal of the McKay Boarding School in The Pas agency had made a request to have a new bull purchased for his herd, in lieu of a cow which they were authorized to purchase some time ago. This authority was granted on condition that the school purchase the cow, as an additional cow was considered necessary and I wrote Mr. Waddy to this effect.

I am now in receipt of a letter from Mr. Waddy in which he informs me that the Principal states he is not in a position to purchase a cow and this is, of course, not satisfactory. You are aware that the Nurse reported this school as not having an adequate supply of milk for the children. You are also aware that the Principal has stated that the cows which were sent to the school were not of a good quality. This is absolutely wrong; we have proof to show that he got real good cows from an accredited herd. I sent the Inspector all the way from Regina - a day's trip on the train - to see these cows, and he reported them as being highly satisfactory. Unless cows are properly fed they will not give the milk, no matter how well bred they may be. My own opinion is that they are not getting the proper feed.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, May 14, 1927.

Sir:

I have your 205-11A C.E. of the 10th instant, with reference to the purchase of a cow at the MacKay Indian Residential School. I am today writing Mr. Indian Agent Waddy to the effect that the school must supply this extra animal.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

M. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

[Handwritten signature]

Ottawa, May 14, 1927.

Sir:

With further reference to my letter of the 11th instant, concerning the milk supply at the MacKay Indian Residential School, I have to inform you that the Department lately authorized Mr. Indian Commissioner Graham to purchase a bull for this institution. This authority was granted on the condition that the school, itself, will purchase a cow. Please inform the Rev. Principal that the Department expects this action will be taken.

Your obedient servant.

J. D. McLEAN

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Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. W. Waddy
J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

128-1-14

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604 JARVIS STREET

TORONTO, ONT. May 9th, 1927.

39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave., Winnipeg, Man.

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

I regret to have to direct your attention once more to the stock which was supplied by your Department to the Mackay School in December 1925 to take the place of those which were destroyed by order of the Health of Animals Branch, but a letter which has just been received from the Principal in connection with the milk supply necessitates this action.

On March 16th, last the Principal wrote to Mr. Indian Agent Waddy stating that as the bull had been kicked by a horse and had to be shot, he requested, in view of the fact that as your Department had only supplied 7 cows in place of the 8 which had previously been destroyed by order of the Health of Animals Branch, a bull be purchased in place of the cow which was due, and to replace the bull which had recently been shot.

In the Principal's letter just to hand and dated May 5th, he states that your Department has agreed to buy a bull but accompanied this promise with the request that our Society should purchase another cow as the nurse had reported that the younger children should have more milk.

Before our Society can undertake to meet this additional expenditure, I beg to remind you, as briefly as I can, of the correspondence which has already passed between us in connection with the quality of the animals which were shipped to the Mackay School by Commissioner Graham towards the close of 1925. This correspondence is as follows:-

1. On April 9th, 1925, (letter 13-0-14) your Department agreed to replace animals destroyed by order of the Director General of

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the Health of Animals Branch.

2. On June 25th, 1925, (letter 128-1-14) you informed me that you had instructed Mr. Commissioner Graham to replace the 8 cows and 1 bull which had thus been destroyed.
3. On December 16th, 1925, I informed you that only 7 cows and 1 bull had been purchased to replace those mentioned under section 2 above, and that these were of an inferior quality to those destroyed.
4. On December 21st, 1925 (letter 128-1-14) your Department replied stating that you were referring the matter to Mr. Commissioner Graham.
5. On January 9th, 1926, your Department wrote again stating that the officer who had purchased the animals declared that all were in good condition when shipped to the School.
6. On January 14th, 1926, I again wrote to your Department enclosing a copy of the Principal's letter dated December 12th, 1925, and requested an authorization to purchase 3 more cows. One to take the place of the 8th cow destroyed by order, and 2 to take the place of others which had been sent which were practically worthless.
7. On January 21st, 1926, your Department replied to this letter stating that in view of the Commissioner's report you could not purchase the 2 cows mentioned above but were authorizing Mr. Commissioner Graham to purchase one cow in place of the one which had been omitted from the first shipment.

It is clear from the above correspondence that the animals which were supplied by your representative to take the place of those which were destroyed have never been accepted by our Society as a satisfactory replacement, and in the Principal's letter just received and dated May 5th, 1927, arising out of your request that our Society should increase the milk supply at this School by the purchase of another cow, he offers the following comment on the animals which you supplied:-

"These animals may be called cows by some people, but I can only call them CULLS. Their last year's record has been far below that of the ordinary cow, and this, in spite of them being fed practically as the Agricultural Department would have fed them. We have not room for more animals, but what we require are COWS, and not such animals as we have been obliged to accept from the Department. Although 5 of these cows have freshened since January 20th last, yet from these we receive only 3 gallons of milk a day. We can only call them BOARDERS and I consider that the Department should give us any additional animals required equal to, and to take the place of those destroyed."

In the light of the above correspondence it seems to me to be a reasonable request that your Department should purchase any additional cows required. The animals supplied by Mr. Commissioner Graham were reported at the time of their arrival as utterly unsatisfactory, and our subsequent experience with them has fully confirmed the opinion set forth in that report. It does not seem to me, therefore, quite fair to our Society that we should be asked to meet any additional expenditure in connection with any increase in the milk supply which may be necessary at the Mackay School, and I shall be obliged if you will reconsider this matter and ~~authorize~~ *authorize* our Commission to purchase 2 more good grade cows in the immediate future.

Believe me, Sir,
Yours very truly,

L. A. R. Heston

Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.

TBRW/JF

Ottawa, May 18, 1927.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 9th instant, with reference to the milch herd at the MacKay Indian Residential School. I have read your recapitulation of the correspondence concerning the cows that were supplied by this Department some time ago. I do not consider there is any merit in asking for a further report from Mr. Indian Commissioner Graham, of Regina, who is responsible for the purchase, as this officer's statement has already been secured and has been made known to you. I have lately authorized the purchase of a bull and have written stating that the school authorities should secure one milch cow.

If you will see that one cow is purchased and paid for by the Society, the Department will pay for a second one, and you are authorized to arrange for the purchase. You may forward a properly certified voucher, in duplicate, covering the cost of the animal. I would suggest a price of not more than \$90, f. o. b. The Pas. I should be grateful if you would write to the Rev. Principal immediately, explaining the Department's proposal, so that there will be no misunderstanding.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

T.B.R. Westgate
Rev. T.B.R. Westgate, D. D.,
Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.,
39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

6262/135.

128-1-14
The Pas, Man., Dec. 29th, 1927.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to report that the Acting Principal of the Mackay Indian Residential School reports that they should have fifteen acres more land broken at the school. His explanation is that if he had the land broken he could raise oats and green feed and supply the milk cows and live stock with food at a much less expense than it is done at the present time.

I fully concur with him in his opinion that he should have more land broken. All they have at present being just enough for vegetables and root crop, with a small patch of oats. The school is situated on a very rocky island covered with timber, but most of the timber has been cut off, just leaving the small poplars. Much of the land is very rocky. He asks in the first place to be supplied with a small Fordson Caterpillar Tractor, with a braking plough attached. He would also want an appropriation for cutting off the brush and probably some assistance in tearing out the roots, and for labor breaking the land. The whole appropriation which would be required would amount to about \$2000.00 and for this sum he would have his land cleared and would also have the Fordson Tractor and the plough left over after the operations are completed, and he requires a tractor in order to replace the teams at the school, which are getting very old.

I did not put this in the estimates, as I had not discussed it with the former Principal, but I strongly recommend that if possible this school be supplied with as large a grant as possible for the purpose noted when the funds can be obtained. Mr. Turner is doing the best he can at this school, and is bringing it along in very good shape.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

W. L. G. G. G.
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

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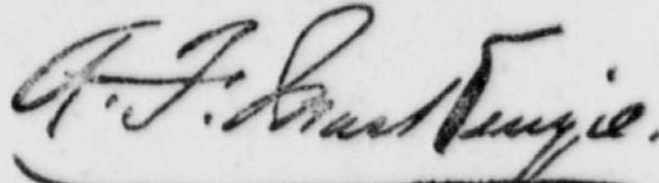
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Ottawa, January 7, 1928.

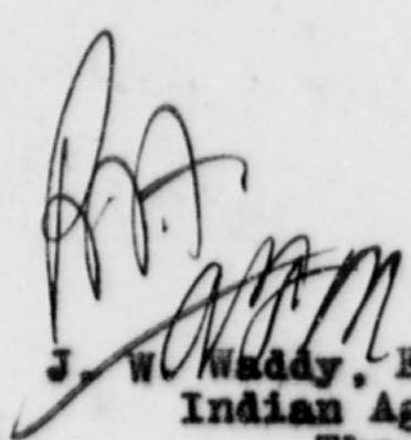
Sir:

I have your 6262/135 of the 28th ultimo, with reference to breaking 15 acres of land at the MacKay Indian Residential School. I note that a Fordson Caterpillar Tractor, with breaking plough, etc., at an approximate cost of \$2,000, would be required. I regret to inform you that there are no funds for this purpose at the present time.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.



J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

EXTRACT
ORIGINAL ON

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AGENTS REPORT RESPECTING MACKAY RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL FOR
THE MONTH OF MARCH 1928.



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Last year the Department told the school
authorities they would supply a cow to the school if the
church authorities purchased one. They have recently
purchased a good cow and they ask me if I will get
authority to supply the one promised by the Department,
the cost would be about \$100.00

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J. W. Waddy.

Agent.

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Ottawa, April 13th, 1928.

Sir:

Referring to that portion of your report on the MacKay Indian Residential School for the month of March, last, relative to the supplying of a cow, it is noted that the Church authorities have purchased and paid for a cow. This Department will approve of an expenditure not exceeding the sum of \$100 in the purchase of a good milch cow, and you may arrange to obtain same. You should see that the cow which you purchase is young, has freshened, and is free from tuberculosis. It might be well to ascertain, before making the purchase, whether the cow has been given the tuberculin test.

After the purchase has been made, please forward an account, in duplicate, properly certified, covering the cost, which should not exceed the above authorized amount.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. W. Waddy
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Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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Account No.
MacKay School,

THE PAS, MAN., June 6th, 1920 19

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IN ACCOUNT
WITH

FRED KERR

Wholesale Fruit and Produce

HAY AND OATS, ETC. FLOUR AND FEED. AGENT FOR NESTLE'S MILK, ETC.

Terms: 15 Days. 8% charged on Overdue Accounts.

DATE	PARTICULARS	FOLIO	DEBIT	CREDIT	BALANCE
	1 milk cow, 6 yrs old, black & white (rean) (Shipped by R.N.Co.)		100.00		
	Cow received price just and fair.				
	Certified correct.				
	<i>[Signature]</i> Indian Agent.				
#77					
	<i>13-6-28</i>				
	<i>1294</i>				
	EXAMINED and found correct.				
	<i>[Signature]</i>				

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Letter No. 77

Office of the The Pas Indian Agency,

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EX-11
June 7th, 1928

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 77,

amounting to \$100.00 in favour

of Fred Kerr, The Pas, Manitoba.

for Cow supplied to McKay Indian Residential School

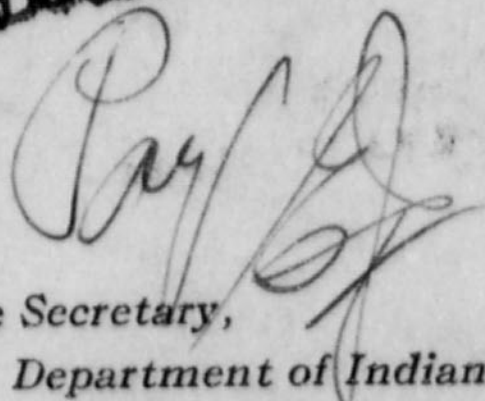
This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 128-1-14 dated April 13th.

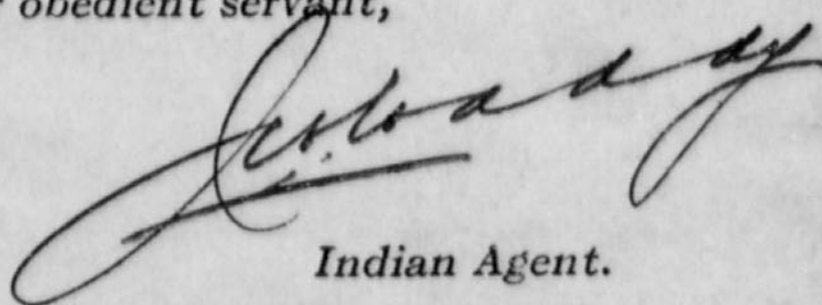
This cow was satisfactory to the Principal of the school and has been certified as being free from Tuberculosis by the Vet. Surgeon.

Your obedient servant,

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



Indian Agent.

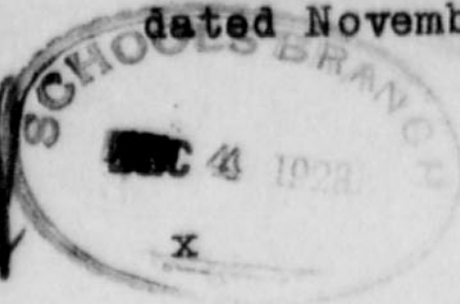
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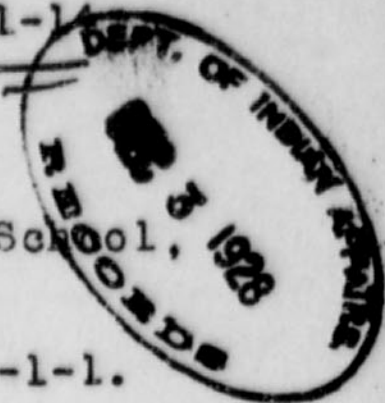
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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF INDIAN AGENT WADDY,
on his visit to the MacKay Indian Residential School,
dated November 24, 1928 - His No. 317-135.

Original on 128-1-1.



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The cows are not giving much milk at present, though nine are milking, so the pupils are not receiving much milk.

The feed for the live stock there is going to be quite a problem this winter. Last summer there was a flood in the Saskatchewan valley and hay could not be procured until late in August, and then it was of very poor quality swamp hay. A little hay was cut on the land given the school two years ago but this was also flooded and is poor stuff.

The cattle and horses are as follows:

Cows in Milk	9
Dry cows	2
Bull	1
Yearling heifer	1
" steers	2
Heifer calf	1
Steer calf	6
Horses	5

To support the above, the supply of hay on hand is only about 50 tons. It would first appear as if we should request the school authorities to beef the young steers, with hay at twenty dollars a ton here it will not pay to raise them just now. This would leave nineteen animals. There are two or three old cows here that could be beefed and cut down the expensive cost of feed also, but they would have to be replaced with others. If the school people eat the beef of the cows they could allow the value of this beef at time new cows are purchased, but I presume the Department would be asked to assume the balance. I am just suggesting these moves to save money, they could be avoided of course by supply of feed.

In any case, the horses should be given a good supply of hay or they will die, they are losing flesh rapidly from lack of nourishment from the swamp hay. At least ten tons of first class hay should be provided for them very soon, and a supply of hay of good quality supplied for a few of the best milking cows.

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Ottawa, December 5, 1928.

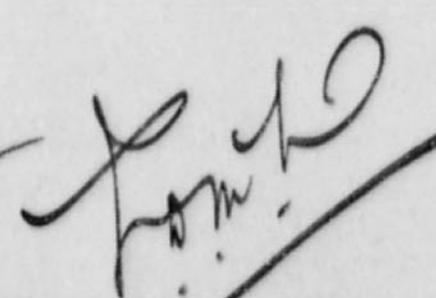
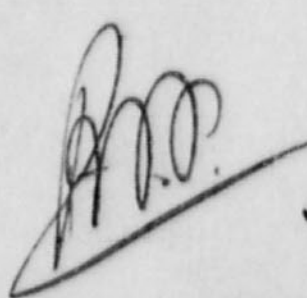
Sir:

I wish to refer to that portion of your 317-135 of the 24th ultimo, which relates to live stock at the MacKay Indian Residential School. I am writing to the church authorities in this connection, and your recommendation will receive their consideration.

Your obedient servant.

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.



J. W. Waddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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Ottawa, December 5, 1928.

Reverend Sir:

Mr. Indian Agent Waddy reports that feed for live stock at the MacKay Indian Residential School will be a serious problem this winter. To support 27 head of horses and cows, there is but 50 ton of hay. Our representative recommends that the school authorities beef young steers and two old cows and that the church authorities apply the value of the beef towards the purchase of new cows at a later date. If you concur, please inform the Department and give instructions to the Reverend Principal.

I wish to add, also, that Mr. Waddy states the five horses should be given a good supply of hay, as they are losing flesh rapidly from lack of nourishment in the swamp hay, which they are being fed. Will you please arrange to purchase at least 10 tons of first class hay for the horses and a suitable supply of hay of good quality for the use of the best milking cows.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

For Mr. Westgate
MA
Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D. D.,
Field Secretary, M. S. C. C.,
39-43 The Bible House,
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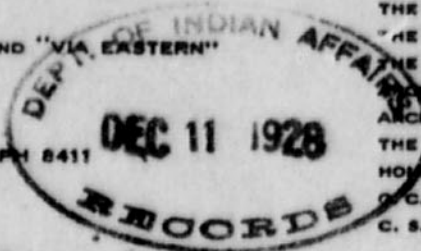
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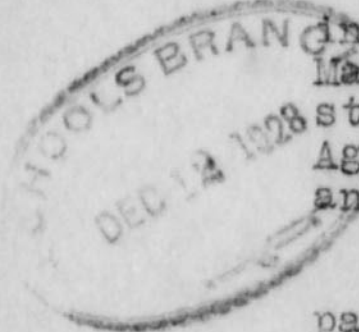


TORONTO 5, ONT. December 8, 1928

39-43 The Bible House,
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The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

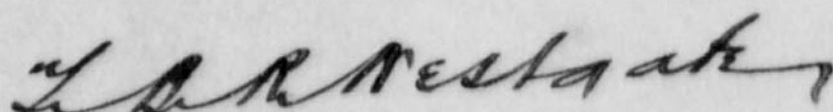
Dear Sir:-


I am obliged to you for your letter of the 5th, inst. #128-1-14, authorizing the purchase of hay for the Mackay School, and beg to state in reply that I have instructed the Acting Principal to confer with Mr. Indian Agent Waddy with regard to the quantity to be purchased, and to forward duly certified accounts to you for payment.

The flooded condition of the hay lands during the past summer created a very serious problem for our Society and for the school management in connection with the winter's supply of hay, and your generous and timely assistance is deeply appreciated.

Believe me, Sir,

Yours very truly,



TBRW/EMW

Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.

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Ottawa, December 12, 1928.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 8th instant, with reference to feed for the stock at the MacKay Indian Residential School. If you will examine my letter of the 5th instant in this connection, you will find that I did not authorize the purchase of hay and the forwarding of accounts to the Department for payment. My request was that the school management make arrangements for a suitable supply of feed to safeguard the stock at this school. Feed for stock and food for children is distinctly in the category of current expenses and, as such, must be met from the per capita grant.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

*Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D. D.,
Field Secretary, M. S. C. C.,
39-43 The Bible House,
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January 28, 1929.

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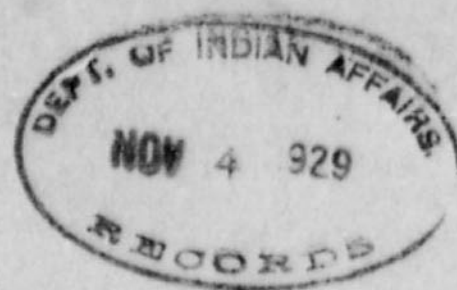
The M. S. C. C. requests for the Estimates, 1929-30, included a truck for the use of the MacKay Indian Residential School. A note has been taken for future estimates.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 205-11A C.E.
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

D REGINA, SASK. November 1st, 1929

Sir:-

I have a letter today from Mr. Tweddell, Indian Agent at The Pas, with which he enclosed a list of cattle that should be disposed of, at the McKay Indian Residential School. I do not know whether you wish Mr. Tweddell to have anything to do with the school or if you wish to deal direct with the Church authorities in this matter.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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Ottawa, November 6, 1929.

Sir:

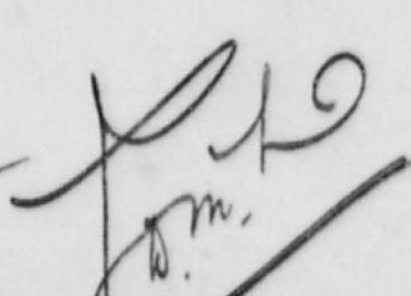
I have your 205-11A C.E. of the 1st instant, relative to the communication which you received from Mr. Tweddell, Indian Agent, The Pas, regarding the disposal of a number of cattle at the MacKay Indian Residential School.

In reply I have to say that the Department desires the Agent to take a direct interest in all activities at this school. However, before the Department can decide regarding the disposal of any cattle, it will be necessary to have a copy of Mr. Tweddell's letter, which it is presumed supplies full information as to the reasons for disposing of the cattle.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

The Pas, Man.,
October 29th, 1929.

Cattle at the MacKay Indian Residential School,
The Pas, Manitoba.

Cows considered as good.

1. Black & White about 8 years very good.
2. Cherry, by name good, calf about January.
3. Holstein good milker 6 years.
4. Black cow good producer, but hard 6 to 7 years.
5. Red cow very good 7 years.

Cows considered as poor.

1. Ayrshire - only $\frac{1}{2}$ milking 11 years. Will have calf about end of year, recommend to be kept till March then killed for beef.
2. Pole Angus black and white, only 2 quarters, not much good but consider good beef. 6 or 7 years.
3. Black & White. Deformed hoof old and poor beef.
4. Red & White. 6 years 3 quarters, very poor producer recommend beefed.

Cows considered to be destroyed.

1. Only sick cow not fit for beef, puss runnign from hind quarters also from shoulder.

The Pas, Man.
October 29th, 1929.

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to enclose list of cattle at the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, Man.

The numbers 2, 3 and 4 would with a little feed make what I would consider good beef. The sick cow I would recommend to be destroyed as it is not in good shape and I don't think even if fed on chop would make good beef. This cow has been injured in some unknown way.

There is a severe abrasion on the left shoulder which is suppurating also on the right hip. I would say that it would take too much time and money to do anything with it.

The above listed cattle I would recommend to be disposed owing to their non-producing qualities.

Kindly instruct me in this matter.

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) W. G. Tweddell,

Indian Agent.

W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

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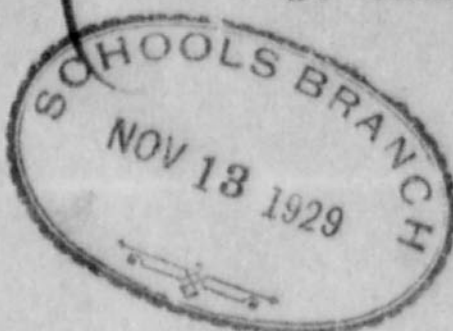
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

W. REGINA, SASK., 9th November, 1929.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER



Sir:-

With reference to Department No. 128-1-14 of the 6th instant, I enclose copy of a letter written by Mr. W. G. Tweddell dated the 29th October to which is attached a list of cows to which he refers.

Your obedient servant

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, November 16, 1929.

Sir:

I have your No. 205-11A C.E. of the 9th instant, enclosing copy of a communication from Mr. Agent Tweddell, The Pas, relative to the cattle at the MacKay Indian Residential School.

In this connection it is considered that it would be advisable for the school authorities to destroy the sick cow referred to by the Agent, and after special feeding of the three other cows referred to they could be used for beef purposes. I would point out that the Department has supplied a number of cattle to this school, and it is considered that replacements in future should be provided by the school authorities from the natural increase or by purchase from their per capita earnings or other receipts.

Your obedient servant,

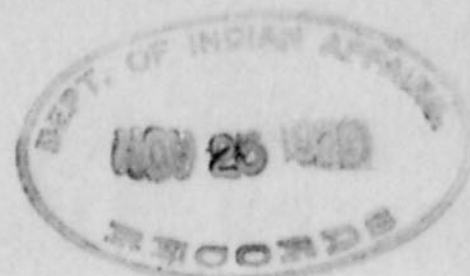
A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

128-1-14



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 205-11A C.E.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

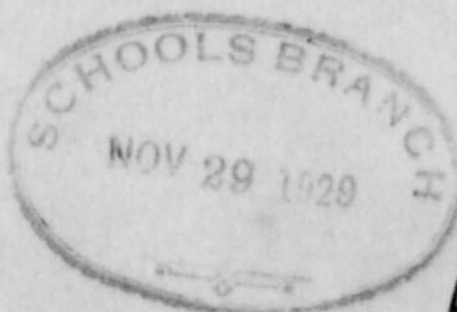
D REGINA, SASK., Nov. 21st, 1929

Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your No. 128-1-14 of the 16th. instant relative to the cattle at the McKay Indian Residential School. I note you consider it advisable that the school authorities should destroy the cow which is suffering from abrasions on the left shoulder and right hip. You also suggest that after special feeding of the three other cows referred to they might be used for beef. I am quite satisfied that by the time the Department buys feed for these cows in order to get them into beefing condition it will not be very profitable. Feed is very expensive this year, and I doubt if they will be able to put much beef on them. Before instructing the Agent to follow out this procedure I would ask if the Department are not putting themselves in the position of having to replace these cattle. Would it not be better to leave it to the Church authorities to decide as to what should be done regarding the matter of disposing of them? I make this statement, as I note from your letter that you think the replacement should be made by the school authorities. Kindly advise me as to this.

*quite
satisfactory
R.H.O.*

Your obedient servant



W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, November 29, 1929.

Sir:

I have your 205-11A C.E. of the 21st instant, relative to the cattle at the MacKay Indian Residential School.

In this connection I have to say that the Department agrees with you that the matter of the disposal of the cows referred to should be left in the hands of the Church authorities, as all replacements should be made by them.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

128-1-14

Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada

GENERAL SECRETARY
REV. CANON S. GOULD, M.D., D.C.L., D.D.

EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY

FIELD SECRETARY
REV. T. B. R. WESTGATE, D.D.
(THE BIBLE HOUSE, WINNIPEG, MAN.)

GENERAL TREASURER
J. M. MCWHINNEY, ESQ.

ACCOUNTANT
R. A. WILLIAMS, ESQ.

CABLE ADDRESS
MARTURIA, TORONTO

("MISSIONS CODE," "C.I.M." AND "VIA EASTERN")

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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THE REV. AND HON. DR. CODY
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G. B. NICHOLSON, ESQ.

39-43 THE BIBLE HOUSE, RECORDS
125 ALEXANDER AVE. EAST

WINNIPEG, MAN.

August 28, 1930

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

For some months past the question of the provision of a motor truck for the Mackay School has been giving our Commission much anxiety. They instructed the Principal to take the matter up with the local Indian Agent and he has made the suggestion that the motor launch be sold and the proceeds applied towards the cost of a truck. As a comparatively good motor road has been made between the school and The Pas since the motor launch was provided some years ago, our Commission instructed me to ascertain if your Department would agree to the suggestion made by the Indian Agent. I am unable at present to state the amount which might be received from the sale of the launch, but the proceeds of the sale would leave a considerable amount still to be found to meet the cost of a truck. I shall be glad to know, therefore, if your Department would be willing to provide the amount still required to meet the total cost of the truck, over and above the amount secured from the sale of the launch.

In the list of requirements submitted by our Society to your Department last autumn, and to be provided this year, the sum of \$1,000.00 was included for the purchase of a motor truck. As the proceeds from the sale of the launch would reduce this amount considerably, I trust that you may be able to provide the balance required.

A prompt reply will oblige,

Your obedient servant,

T. B. R. Westgate

TBRW/W

Field Secretary, M.S.C.C.

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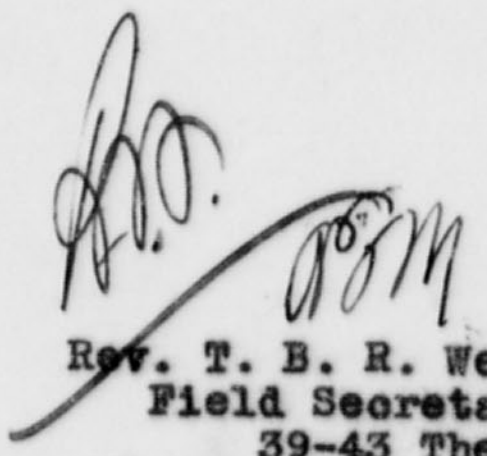
Ottawa, Sept. 3, 1930.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 28th ultimo, with reference to turning in a motor launch and securing a truck for the use of the MacKay Indian Residential School. I note that there is now a motor road. The Department is writing to Mr. Indian Agent Tweddell in this connection and whatever funds are necessary will be provided for next year.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
For Secretary.


Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D. D.,
Field Secretary, M. S. C. C.,
39-43 The Bible House,
Alexander Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

put

Ottawa, September 3, 1930.

Sir:

I have to inform you the church authorities represent that it would be advisable to sell the motor launch at the MacKay Indian Residential School and apply the proceeds on the purchase of a truck. I should be glad to have your recommendation, with estimate of the cost, in this connection. It should be kept in mind that this exchange would not be made until next year, when funds would be provided for the purpose.

W. G. Tweddell

W. G. Tweddell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie

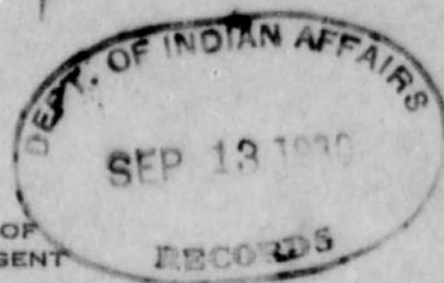
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



296-135



The Pas, Manitoba,
Sept. 9th, 1930.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter No. 128-1-14 of the 3rd, instant, re MacKay School motor launch and truck.

The motor launch at present is of no use whatever to the school, in fact never has been used by them. At present the water is so low that boats are of very little use, and have no sale. Should the water raise there might be a chance to dispose of it at a big sacrifice.

A Ford truck would be very useful, and would cost about \$1050.00 here, set up.

The MacKay Indian Res. School is seven miles from The Pas, and they have been using horses, taking the best part of a day for the trip.

The truck I would recommend, but think that chances for a return from the sale of the launch would be nil.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa Ontario.

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Ottawa, September 18, 1930.

Sir:

I have your 296-135 of the 9th instant, with reference to selling the motor launch and purchasing a truck for the use of the MacKay Indian Residential School. I note you are hopeful that the launch could be sold. The Department wishes the Reverend Principal and yourself to bend every energy towards securing a satisfactory price for the launch. If success meets your efforts, inform the Department, and if funds can be found, the deal will be authorized.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

W. G. Tweddell
W. G. Tweddell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

1188-135



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

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The Pas, Manitoba,
March 24th, 1932.

Dear Sir:-

I have had a call from the Rev. A. Fraser, Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas.

Mr. Fraser asked me for 20 rolls of barbwire and staples, as the school wish to make a fenced pasture for their cattle. The cattle at the present time are allowed to wander where they please, and are quite a trouble to get in when wanted.

I trust this matter will have your consideration.

Your Obedient Servant,

Samuel Lovell
S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.



Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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L.A.D.
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Ottawa, March 30, 1932.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 24th instant, regarding the request of the Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School to be supplied with 20 rolls of barb wire and staples to fence a pasture for the cattle.

In reply I have to say that, owing to the recent orders for strict economy, the Department will have no funds to provide for the expenditure required in the purchase of the above fencing material. It is considered that the school authorities should provide the cost from per capita earnings or farm receipts, and you may inform the Principal accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

S. Lovell
S. Lovell, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

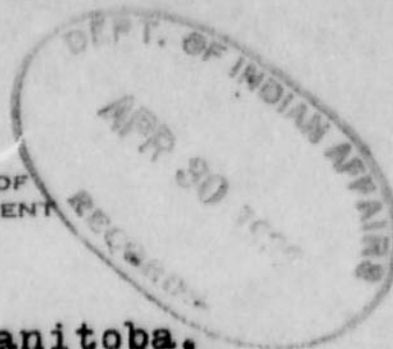
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1253-135



R.

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



128-1-14

The Pas, Manitoba,
April 27th, 1932.

Dear Sir:-

Mr, Fraser, Principal of the MacKay Indian Residential School, The Pas, has called upon me regarding some means of transportation from the school to The Pas.

Mr, Fraser suggested ~~he~~ me a light democrat as the only means of transportation at the present time is by their farm vehicle.

Should this meet with your approval, I will be pleased to procure prices in The Pas for such an article.

I beg to recommend this, and trust same will meet with your approval.

Your Obedient Servant,

Samuel Lovell
S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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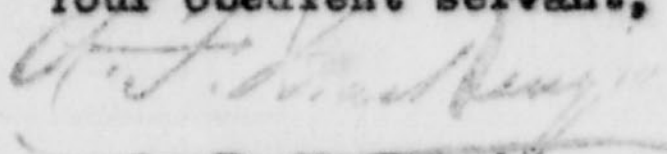
Ottawa, May 2, 1932.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 27th ultimo, regarding the request of the Principal of the Mackay Indian Residential School to be supplied with a light democrat to be used as a means of transportation to and from the school to the Pas.

In reply I have to say that we have no funds to provide the expenditure required for this purpose. It is considered that the school management should be able to supply this equipment from per capita allowance or other receipts.

Your obedient servant,


A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.
Samuel Lovell, Esq.,
Act. Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.



IN ACCOUNT WITH

TRANSPORT LIMITED

CARTAGE - WAREHOUSING - DISTRIBUTING - FORWARDING
GENERAL TRANSPORTATION AGENTS
NORTH OF "53"

TERMS CASH

8% Interest will be added to all overdue accounts

Form 1

THE PAS, April 30th, 1933.
MAN.
Indian Department,
Per Mr. Lovell,
The Pas, Man.

To Statement Rendered

Apr. 21

To Training

787

83.00 *QR*

ALLOT. 2.
TREATY 5.

TO TRAINING OF MACKAY SCHOOL EQUIPMENT FROM SCHOOL
TO THE PAS INDIAN OFFICE. GOODS COMPOSED OF RAKE
PLOW. SLEIGH. HARROWS. SCALE & HARNESS FOR
DISTRIBUTION TO RESERVES IN THE PAS AGENCY.
PRICE FAIR & JUST. CERTIFIED CORRECT.

VOUCHER NO. 31

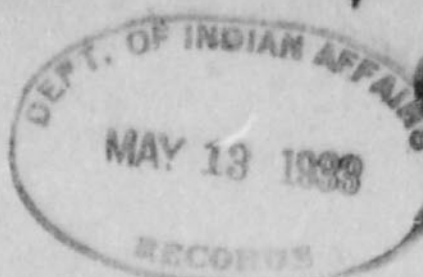
Samuel Lovell.
ACTING INDIAN AGENT.

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128-1-14



Letter No. 31

Office of the Pas Manitoba Indian Agency,

May 9th 1933

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 31,

amounting to \$8.00 in favour

of Transport Limited The Pas Manitoba

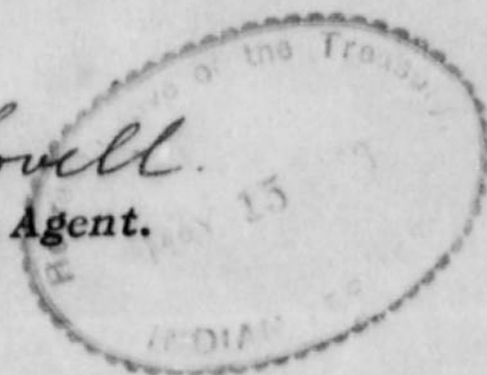
for Teaming from McKay School to Pas Warehouse goods
from school for distribution to Reserves in The
Pas Agency.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated Blanket

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
Acting Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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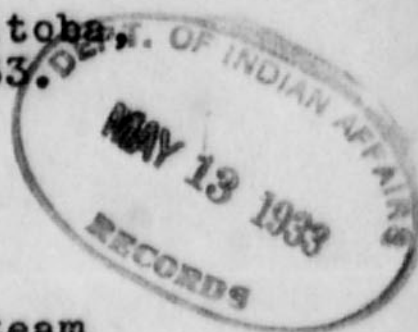
OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

128-1-14

Mr. Cookham

62-111

The Pas, Manitoba,
May 9th, 1933.



Dear Sir:-

I beg to advise you there is a team of horses, a rake, three sections of harrows and a plow, from the MacKay School stock to be sent down to our Moose Lake Reserve.

To get this delivered by launch it would cost \$80.00 this price to include any freight we may have on hand for this Reserve.

I beg to recommend this expenditure, and trust this will meet with your approval.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

How come?

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EX. 4.

Ottawa, May 18th., 1933.

Sir,-

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With reference to your 62-111 of the 9th instant, will you please set out in detail the items constituting the estimated cost of \$30.00 for the transport from The Pas to Moose Lake of horses and other equipment which is being transferred to that point from the Mackay School.

Your obedient servant,

Amant

T.R.L. MacInnes
T.R.L. MacInnes
Acting Secretary.

S. Lovell Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



128-1-14

91-11

The Pas, Manitoba,
May 23rd, 1933.

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to reply to your letter 128-1-14 of the 18th, instant, regarding freight for the Moose Lake Band.

I beg to advise you the \$80.00 covers the hire of a launch and barge to take, a team of horses, one hay rake, one plow, one wagon and three sections of harrows, taken over by us from the MacKay School. This \$80.00 also covers the transportation to Moose Lake of any freight we may have for this Reserve. Would advise we have about three tons of freight here just now for the Moose Lake Band, which if shipped in the usual way would cost at the very least \$51.00.

Trusting this will meet with your approval.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
S. Lovell,
Acting Indian Agent.

Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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128-1-14

Ottawa, May 30th., 1933.

Sir,-

Ac
With reference to your No. 91-111 of the 23rd instant, you have authority to transfer the horses, etc., taken over from the MacKay School for use of the Moose Lake Band, and in due course you should forward the vouchers covering the expenditure, and endorse on the face thereof chargeable to blanket encumbrance requisition No. 412.

Your obedient servant,

A.F. MacKenzie
A.F. MacKenzie
Secretary.

GD
Samuel Lovell Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
The Pas, Man.

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Vote No. 4

Treaty No. 5

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

To THOMAS LAMB, ESQ.

MOOSE LAKE,

MANITOBA.

DATE 1933	SERVICE	AMOUNT
June 5	TO HIRE OF LAUNCH "PREMIER" AND BARGE TO TAKE TEAM OF HORSES, WAGON, RAKE, PLOW, 3 SECTS. OF HARROWS AND ABOUT THREE TONS OF FREIGHT CONSISTING OF FLOUR, SEEDS, CLOTHING ETC.	380 00
VOUCHER NO. 72		
EXAMINED and FOUND CORRECT VOTE 188 AGENCY 128 ALLOT 190 E. R. 412 I certify that the services rendered in this account have been satisfactorily performed, that they were necessary in the interest of the public, and that the charges made are in accordance with contract or agreement authorized by the Department of Indian Affairs, or by resolution, the charges are fair and just. No item in this account has been previously certified by me for payment. I recommend payment.		
Thomas Lamb		
TOTAL,		

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Samuel Lovell
act Agent.

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Letter No. 72



Office of the Pas. Manitoba Indian Agency,

June 5th. 19.33.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 72,

amounting to \$ 80.00 in favour

of Thomas Lamb, Esq. Moose Lake, Manitoba

for freighting cattle & I.D. goods from The Pas. to Moose Lake Reserve by launch.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 412 dated May 30th. 1933. re. 128-1-14



Your obedient servant,

Samuel Lovell
Acting Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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STATEMENT

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Indian Dept

The Pas. Man.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

KEDDIE & FOWLER

GROCERIES & GENT'S FURNISHINGS

PHONE 160

THE PAS. Man.

FISCHER AVE.

July 7 100# Salt

210 R

SALT BOUGHT FOR CATTLE TAKEN OVER FROM THE
MACKAY SCHOOL BY DEPT. AND KEPT IN THE PAS
UNTIL WINTER BEFORE THEY CAN BE SHIPPED
INTO THE NELSON HOUSE RESERVE IN THE PAS
AGENCY.

PRICE FAIR & JUST.

CERTIFIED CORRECT.

A. L. Richardson

VOUCHER NO. 146

CLERK.

AUDITED
FOR PAYMENT
AUG 12 1933

ACCOUNTS BRANCH
INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEPT. OF

I certify that the articles specified in this account
have been received in good condition, that the
quality and prices are according to contract auth-
ority, or, if not, that the prices charged are fair and
that the item in this account has been previously
recommended pay-
ment.

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Letter No. 146

Office of the *Mr. [Signature]* ~~Pas~~ Manitoba Indian Agency

[Signature] August 3rd. 1933

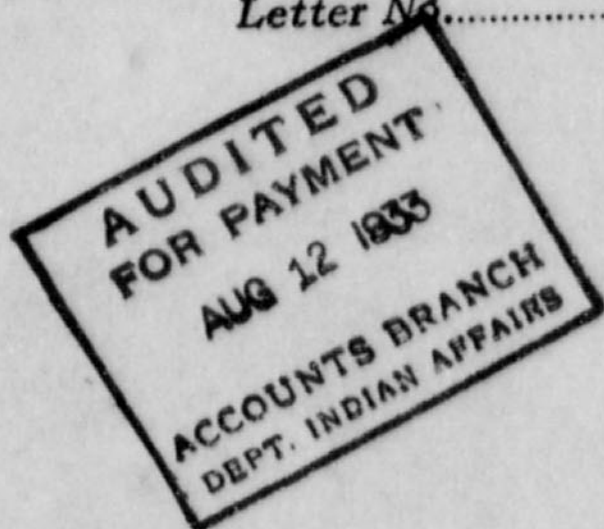
Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 146,
amounting to \$2.10 in favour

of Keddie & Fowler The Pas Manitoba

for Salt for cattle taken over by Dept. from MacKay School
& held in The Pas until winter before they can be
shipped to the Nelson House Reserve in this Agency.
This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated Blanket

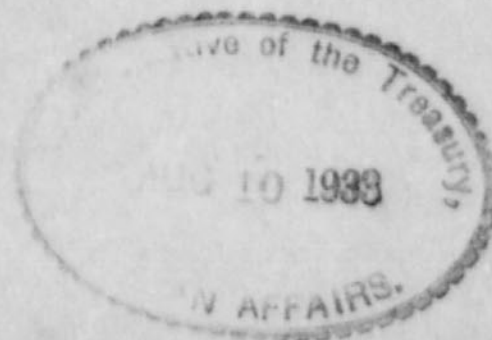


Your obedient servant,

A. L. Richardson

CLERK.
~~THE INDIAN AGENT~~

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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STATEMENT

Sept 28 1933

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Indian Dept

ALLOT.
TREATY4
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The Pas, Man.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

KEDDIE & FOWLER

GROCERIES & GENT'S FURNISHINGS

PHONE 160

THE PAS, Man.

FISCHER AVE

Sept 28 1x50 Pressed Salt 100

SALT RECEIVED FOR THE CATTLE FROM THE MACKAY
I. R. SCHOOL FOR THE NELSON HOUSE BAND WHICH
ARE BRING LOOKED AFTER IN THE PAS UNTIL
THEY CAN BE SENT NORTH OVER WINTER TRAILS
PRICE FAIR & JUST CERTIFIED CORRECT

Samuel Lovell

VOUCHER NO. 223

ACTING INDIAN AGENT.

P. O.	INV
VOTE	
AGENCY	
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Goods Received for	
Services Performed	
Price Fair and Just.	
Approved for Payment	

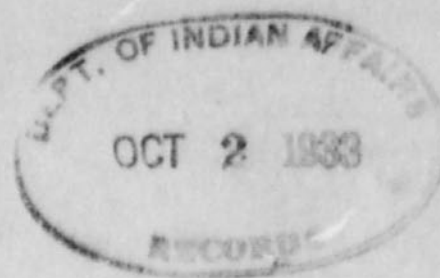
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FOR PAYMENT**

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Letter No. 223

Office of the Pas.....Manitoba Indian Agency,

.....September 29th.....1933..

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 223.....,

amounting to \$ 1.00.....in favour

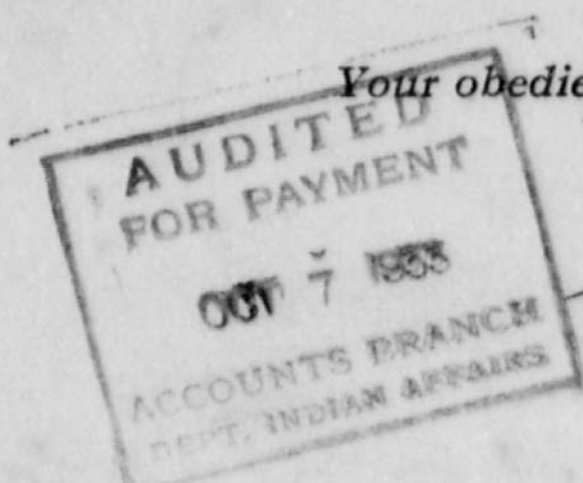
of Keddie & Fowler.....The Pas.....Manitoba.....

for Salt for McKay School cattle for the Nelson House Band
which are being looked after in The Pas until winter
travelling.

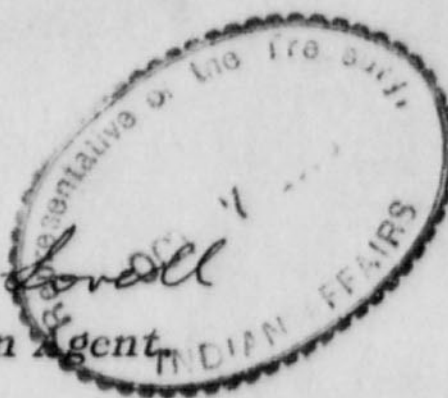
This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No.....dated.....Blanket.....

Your obedient servant,



Samuel Lovell
Acting Indian Agent



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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Norway House

General Correspondence
Norway House Boarding School.

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1889

Extract from letter dated Toronto, 28th
1898. Original on File No 120292

*Immediate
I approve of the proposed Boarding School at Norway House. Provision is to be made for the creation of the building and for making the income for fifty pupils. The other provisions for medical and hospital work are provided for by the Government, I think that we can provide the Doctor and the Nurses. Of the vast importance of work of this kind among the Indians, I need not speak, and perhaps there is no other centre from which so many can be reached as at Norway House.*

Boarding Schools. There are three points in the North West where boarding schools from our point of view are urgently needed. First at Battle River, in Samson's Band; Second, Whitefish Lake, or between Whitefish Lake and Saddle Lake, in connection with Pakan's Band; Third, At Norway House as a centre from which quite a number of bands can be reached. At these points the expenditure need not be very large. In each case probably \$2000 would ^{provide} a building large enough to begin with.

At Norway House, we are very desirous of instituting medical and hospital work, and if the necessary building and outfit are provided for by the Government, I think that we can provide the Doctor and the Nurses. Of the vast importance of work of this kind among the Indians, I need not speak, and perhaps there is no other centre from which so many can be reached as at Norway House.



Your obedient servant,

Sgd A. Sutherland

General Sec

Methodist

The Deputy Supt: Genl:
Of Indian Affairs.

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Ottawa, 19th April,

Reverend Sir :

Referring to that paragraph of your letter of the 28th ultimo in which, amongst other things, you urge the Government to provide for the erection of a boarding school at Norway House, I beg to inform you that the Superintendent General has approved of the insertion in the Supplementary Estimates of an item for this purpose, and also an amount to provide for 50 pupils at \$72 per capita to attend the school to be erected. Of course you will understand that you must not count on these amounts until after the Estimates have passed.

The Superintendent General regrets that he cannot comply with the other requests contained in the paragraph above quoted.

I am,

Reverend Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J.D. MOLEAN

Secretary.

Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D.,
General Secretary,
Methodist Mission Rooms,
Toronto, Ontario.

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GENERAL SECRETARY
METHODIST MISSION HOUSE
TORONTO.



The Methodist Church,
MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

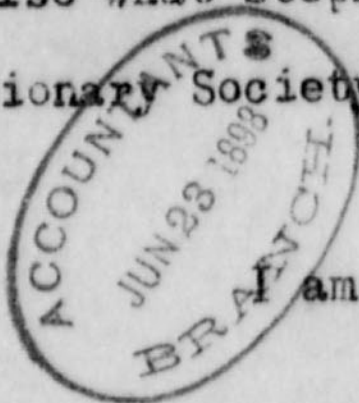
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Toronto, 22nd June, 1898

Sir,-

In your letter of April 19th, No. 198,918, you were good enough to state that the Superintendent General had approved of the insertion in the supplementary estimates of an item for a Boarding-school at Norway House, and also a grant to provide for 50 pupils at \$72 per capita. Will you now be good enough to inform me whether these amounts were voted as recommended; also what steps, if any, the Department expects the Missionary Society to take in carrying out the design?



I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

A. Sutherland
General Secretary.

The Secretary of the
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Lucy's
Amount: Value
Building
50 pupils
@ 72.00
3000.00
2600.00
\$6600.00

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*For B. M.
Sutherland*

J. H. McLean

OTTAWA, 25th June, 1898.

Rev: Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 22nd instant asking whether an amount to erect a boarding school at Norway House and to provide for 50 pupils at the rate of \$72 per capita has been voted, I beg to say that the sum of \$3000 has been appropriated for the former purpose and provision for the pupils at the rate and for the number mentioned has also been made.

The Department will be glad to hear from you when plans for the new school have been prepared and a site selected.

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) J. H. McLean

Secretary

Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D.,

Genl. Secy., Methodist Miss. Society,

Toronto,

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PLEASE REFER TO DATE OF THIS
LETTER, AND ADDRESS
GENERAL SECRETARY
METHODIST MISSION ROOMS,
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

172670

General Secretary
Toronto, 2nd July, 1898.

Dictated

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 25th ultimo, No. 168919, stating that \$3000 had been appropriated to erect a Boarding-school building at Norway House, and provision made for fifty pupils at the rate of \$72 per capita, I beg to say that preliminary plans will be forwarded in a short time; also that I have written to the Missionary in charge at Norway House to report as promptly as possible concerning sites that may be available. When his report comes to hand the information will be forwarded to the Department.

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

A. Sutherland
General Secretary.

The Secretary of the
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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METHODIST MISSION ROOMS,
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

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(Dictated.)

H. R.



Toronto,

2nd August, 1898.



Sir,-

I have the honor to transmit herewith a "Blue Print" copy of a design which has been prepared for the proposed Boarding-school building at Norway House. The elevations are not yet quite ready, but are in course of preparation and will be sent shortly. Instructions have been given that every thing connected with the building should be severely plain, but of good material, strong and substantial. As the summer is rapidly passing it is desirable that work on this building should be pushed forward without unnecessary delay. I do not know what may be the intention of the Department concerning this work; but as the Government has its own trusted agents at Winnipeg, I venture to suggest that the best way may be for them to take charge of the matter, and have the building erected at as early a date as possible. Letters just received from Norway House state that the Indians are very much gratified with the prospect of a boarding-school at that point, and I can assure the Superintendent General that when once the building is ready for occupation nothing will be lacking on our part to make the school a success. I will be glad to be informed if the design which has been submitted meets with the approval of the Department. It will be seen at once that the building as planned will not accommodate more than 50 pupils, and that care has been taken to avoid unnecessary expense.

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

A. Sutherland
General Secretary

The Honorable the
Super't General of
Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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GENERAL SECRETARY
METHODIST MISSION ROOMS,
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church,
MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

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168915
Toronto, 5th August, 1898.

(Dictated.)

AKRO - letters

Sir,-

I have the honor to send you by this mail the second sheet of "Blue Print" plans for the proposed Boarding-school at Norway House. Hoping that these plans may prove satisfactory, and that the work may be begun at the earliest practicable date.

I am, Sir,

Yours Obedient Servant,

A. Sutherland
General Secretary.

*Returned
J.S.
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The Honorable the
Superintendent General of
Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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OTTAWA, 8th August, 1898.

Sir,

I beg to transmit herewith plans for a proposed Indian Boarding school to be erected at Norway House, Manitoba, towards which this Department has contributed the sum of \$3000.

I have to request that you will be kind enough to have these plans examined and to inform me whether they are considered satisfactory for the purpose.

Your obedient servant,

(Signature)
Secretary

E.F.E. Roy, Esq.,

Secretary,

Public Works Department,

OTTAWA.

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Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 8th instant, transmitting plans for a proposed Indian Boarding School to be erected at Norway House, Man., and asking that they be examined for the purpose of informing your Department whether they are considered satisfactory for the purpose.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your obedient servant,
The Secretary,
Department of
Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

E. F. C. Roy
Secretary
per A. E. B.

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GENERAL SECRETARY
METHODIST MISSION ROOM,
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church,
MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

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Toronto, Aug 20 1898.



Sir -

Referring to my letter of the 20th instant respecting the proposed building for an Indian Boarding School at Norway House, I would be glad to learn if my suggestion that the work be undertaken by Agents of the Government has met with the approval of the Department; and if so, whether steps have been taken to push the work this summer. I do not wish to appear unduly persistent, but knowing that building cannot be successfully carried on at Norway House after October, nor sooner in Spring than the latter part of May, and that the grant, if unused will lapse at the end of June next, I am naturally anxious that no time should be lost.

I have the honor to be
Yours obt servant

A. Sutherland
Genl Secy

The Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

OTTAWA 22nd August, 1898.

Sir,

J. M. L.
am

Referring to my letter of the 8th instant submitting for examination and approval, plans of proposed Indian Boarding school to be erected at Norway House, Manitoba, I beg to say that Rev. Dr Sutherland, General Secretary of the Methodist Missionary Society, under whose auspices this school is to be carried on, writes urging the necessity for a speedy decision as to whether this work is to go on, as building operations cannot be successfully carried on at Norway House after October, nor sooner in spring than the latter part of May. As the grant ~~for~~ of \$3000 towards this buildings lapses on the 30th June, it would appear that the work should be undertaken with as little delay as possible, and I should be glad if you would kindly inform me as to whether the plans above referred to are approved of, at your earliest convenience.

Dr Sutherland also suggests that this work be undertaken under the direction of your Agent at Winnipeg, and the Department would like to know ^{whether} ~~whether~~ this plan is feasible.

E. F. E. Roy, Esq.

Secretary,

Department of Public Works

OTTAWA.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

OTTAWA, 22nd August, 1898.

Rev. Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th instant with further reference to the proposed building for an Indian boarding school at Norway House; and in reply I beg to say that the plans submitted by you were forwarded to the Department of Public Works for examination and approval and that Department has been written to and asked for an immediate decision in the matter.

The Department has also made enquiries as to the possibility of the work being undertaken under the direction of the Agent of that Department at Winnipeg.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary

Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D.
Genl. Secretary,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Toronto, Ont.



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Sir,

Having reference to
your letter dated the 8th instant,
I have the honour to return to
you, herein inclosed, the plans of
the Indian Boarding School which
is proposed to be erected at
Kormay House, Man., and to say
that the Chief Architect to whom
these plans were submitted, states
that an intelligent examination
of the same cannot be made with-
out a specification and proper
sections; that the drawing No. 2
shows how the roof is to be con-

Inclosed

The Secretary,
Department of
Indian Affairs,
Manu.

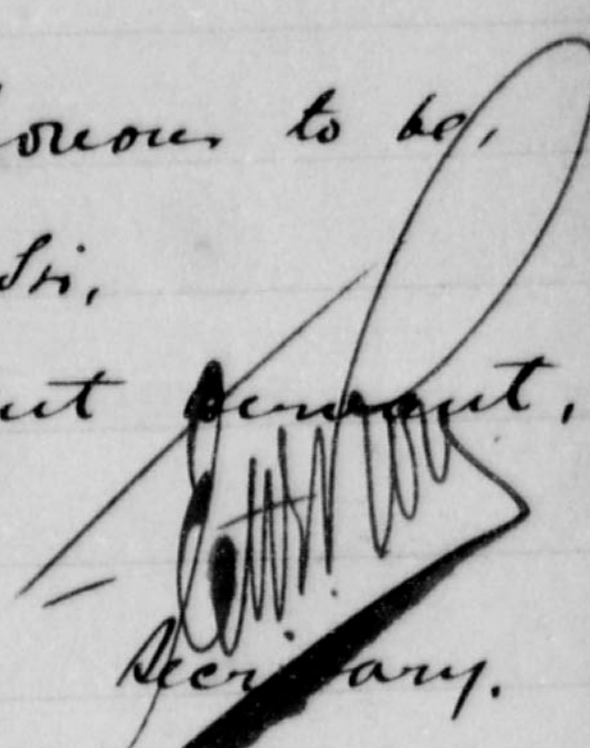
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Constructed and that he is of opinion
that this mode of Construction is
corrective, particularly at the point
marked A.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,


J. C. A. M.

OTTAWA, 29th August, 1898.

Rev. Sir,

Referring to my letter of the 22nd instant relative to the proposed building for an Indian boarding school at Norway House, I beg to say that the Chief of the Public Works Department Architect, to whom the plans were submitted for examination, states that an intelligent examination of them cannot be made without a specification and proper sections and that he is of opinion that the mode of construction of the roof, shown in drawing No. 2, is defective, particularly at the point marked "A".

The drawings forwarded by you are returned herewith.

Jim L. 2
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Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D.
Genl. Secretary,

Secretary

Methodist Missionary Society,
Toronto, Ont.

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METHODIST MISSION HOUSE,
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

168918
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(Dictated.)



Toronto, 1st Sept.,

1898.



Sir,-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 29th ultimo, No. 168918, returning tracing for proposed Boarding-school at Norway House, and stating the the chief Architect of the Public Works Department requires specifications and proper sections in order to reach an intelligent conclusion.

Permit me to say it had not been our intention to send some complete plans and specifications, but merely sufficient to indicate what size and kind of building we judged to be necessary for the work at Norway House; nevertheless we will send on a complete tracing of sections as soon as it can be prepared. If the work is to be done by the Public Works Department, we could not very well go further than this. If, on the other hand, it is finally decided that we should do the work, the plans as already provided, with the outline of specifications which I will send herewith, would have been sufficient; because where work is to be done at a place like Norway House, it is practically impossible to cover every thing by minute specifications, and much will have to be left to the judgment of the builder. If we were doing the work it is not likely that a contract would be asked except for materials; but we would select a thoroughly competent and trustworthy builder, pay him reasonable wages for the time he is employed, and entrust him with the task of getting up such a building as is required, not to exceed certain limits as regards cost. We have found ~~that~~ in other instances that by this plan we got better work, better material, and at less cost, than by the ordinary contract plan. This will explain why the specifications

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sent herewith are much less minute than they would have been under other circumstances; indeed they are intended rather as general directions for the builder that may be employed than as complete specifications upon which to base a contract. We would much prefer that the Public Works Department would carry through the undertaking.

Permit me again to express the hope that there will be no unnecessary delay, - otherwise the grant may lapse before work can be far advanced.

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

The Secretary of the
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

A. Sutherland
General Secretary.

Herewith

OTTAWA, 6th September, 1898.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, Ref. No. 194421 of the 27th ultimo, returning plans of an Indian boarding school proposed to be erected at Norway House, Man., and informing me that the Chief Architect had stated that an intelligent examination of the plans could not be made without a specification and proper sections, &c.

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In reply I beg to say that the Rev. Dr Sutherland, representing the Methodist Church, under whose auspices the school is to be conducted, having been informed of the remarks of the Chief Architect, has sent in the specification required, which is now enclosed herewith, and in so doing he gave the following explanations:-

"Permit me to say that it had not been our intention to send complete plans and specifications, but merely ~~an indication~~ sufficient to indicate what size and kind of building we judged to be necessary for the work at Norway House; nevertheless we will send on a complete tracing of sections as soon as it can be prepared. If the work is to be done by the Public Works Department, we could not very well go further than this. If, on the other hand, it is finally decided that we should do the work, the plans as already provided, with the outline of specifications which I will send herewith, would have been sufficient; because where work is to be done at a place like Norway House, it is practically impossible to cover everything by minute specifications, and much time will have to be left to the judgment of the builder. If we were doing the work it is not likely that a contract would be asked for except

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"than they would have been under other circumstances
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"rections for the builder that may be employed than
"as complete specifications upon which to base a
"contract. We would much prefer that the Public
"Works Department would carry through the undertaking
"Permit me again to express the hope that
"there will be no unnecessary delay, - otherwise
"the grant may lapse before work can be far advanced?

I shall be glad to hear from
you at your early convenience, as to whether your Depart-
ment will undertake the erection of this school building,
*the contribution of this Dept. towards
the building being limited to \$3,000.00.*

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary.

OTTAWA, 6th September, 1898.

Rev. Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 1st instant enclosing specifications for the proposed boarding school to be erected at Norway House and explaining that you had not previously thought it necessary to go so much into detail, on the understanding that the work was to be conducted under the direction of your Church, but stating that you would prefer that the Department of Public Works would undertake supervision of the work.

In reply I beg to say that the purport of your letter will be conveyed to the Public Works Department, and on hearing further from that Department I shall communicate with you promptly.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MCLEAN

Secretary

Rev. A Sutherland, D.D.,
Methodist Mission Rooms,
Toronto,

168918

No. 111491

July 7

Ref. 195270



175314



Ottawa, 10 Sept 1898

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant enclosing specifications with explanations from Revd. Dr. Sutherland re Indian Boarding School proposed to be erected at Norway House, Man.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Secretary

J. D. McLean, Esq.

Secretary

Dept of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

This Dept. would be
glad to see the suggestions of the
P.W. Dept. carried out; but as
it desires to avoid asking for
anything that might ^{be considered as} ~~interfering~~
preventing ~~with~~ the work of construction
being proceeded with at once
it does not insist on ~~this being~~
~~done~~ these suggestions being
complied with.

The grant of \$3,000 will
be paid either on completion
of the whole building or in
instalments on properly certified
Vouchers presented as the
work proceeds.

Yours, &c.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

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ALSO TO THE DATE OF THIS LETTER



ADDRESS REPLY TO THE
SECRETARY DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OTTAWA.

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OTTAWA, 12th September, 1898.

Rev. Sir:-

With further reference to your letter of the 1st instant in respect to plan and specification for the proposed boarding school at Norway House, I beg to say that the Chief Architect of the Public Works Department states that in the case of buildings that will become the property of the Government and to which the Government is contributing the largest share of the cost, his Department undertakes the supervision of the construction; but as in the present instance \$3000 will probably be only a small proportion of the cost, and the building, when finished, will not be the property of the Government, he does not think his Department would undertake the construction.

The Chief Architect adds, however, that it is his opinion that complete plan and specifications and an estimate of the whole cost ought to be furnished for the satisfaction of the Government, and that a guarantee should be given of the time within which the building will be finished, whether one, two or three years, as the case may be.

Rev. A Sutherland, D.D.

General Secretary,

Methodist Mission Rooms,

Toronto

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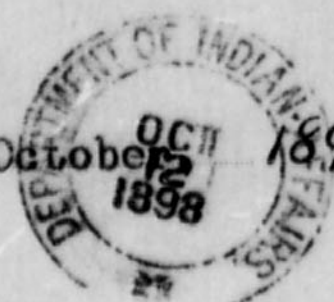
The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

176441

(Dictated.)

Toronto, 11th October 1898.



HAR
Sir,-

I am forwarding by today's mail new sections plans of the proposed Boarding School building at Norway House. When these are received you will have in your possession all the information or suggestions that we can give respecting this undertaking.

Referring now to your letter of September 13th, No. 168918, I have no doubt that the Chief Architect of the Public Works Department is correct in supposing that \$3000 will be only a part of the cost; but ~~he~~ is mistaken in assuming that the building when finished would not be the property of the Government. Our understanding has been that buildings erected with Government money must necessarily be Government property, as, for example, the Institute building at Muncey, or the Institute at Brandon. As before explained we sent plans and general specifications merely to indicate the size of the building that we thought necessary to accommodate 50 pupils, and general arrangement that will be the most convenient for the work to be done.

I presume that it is now too late for any part of the work of construction to be done this season; but if the Agents of the Government were instructed to proceed with the preparation of material a great deal might be done this winter, and the material all be got ready for shipping with the first opening of navigation next spring. Then if

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the work were pushed with reasonable rapidity, the building would ~~not~~ be ready for occupation in the early autumn of 1899.

Trusting that these explanations will be satisfactory, and that contracts will be speedily given out for the necessary material,

I am, Sir,

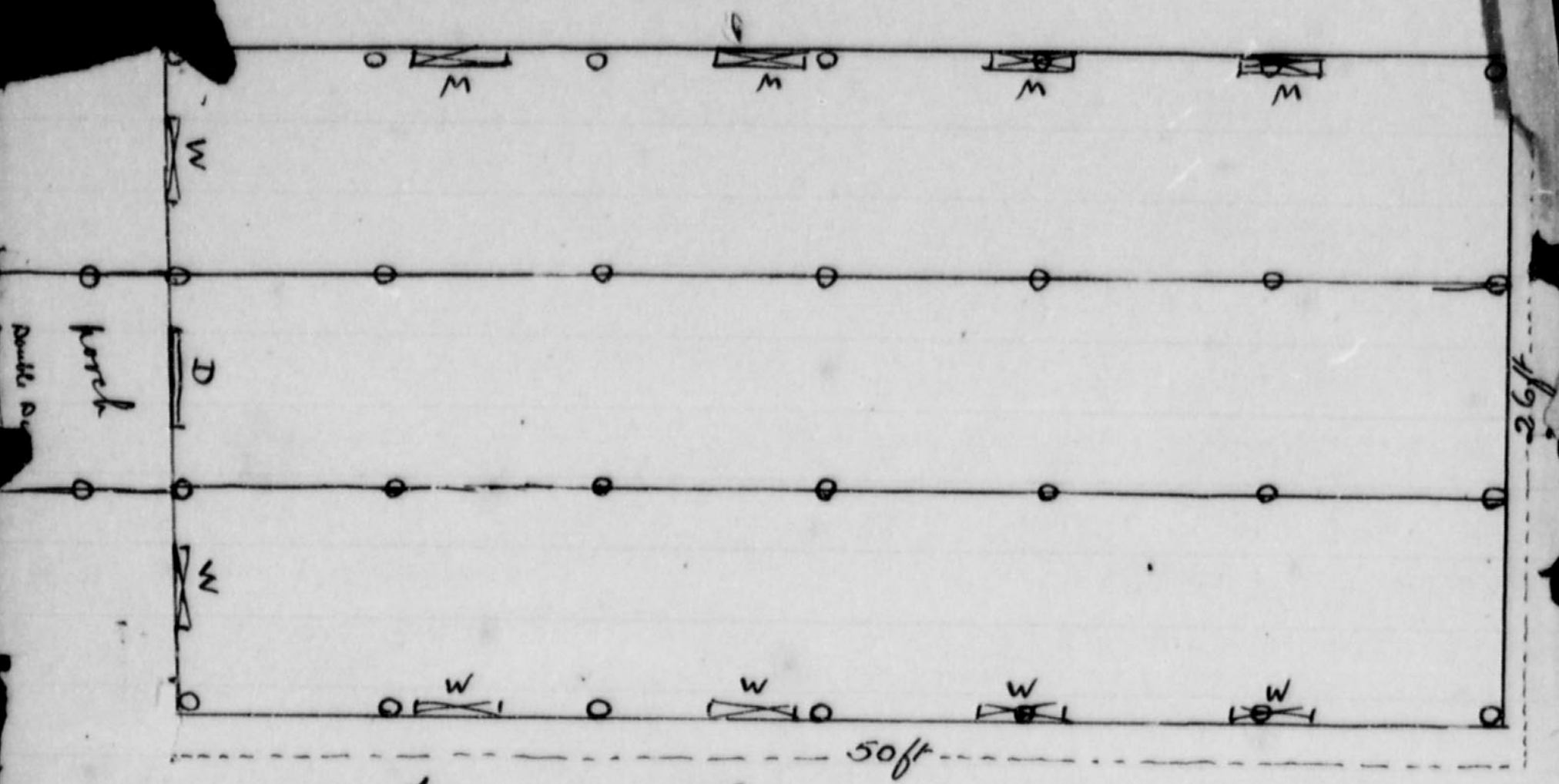
Your Obedient Servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

The Secretary of the
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Foundation plan



Side view



Sectional view

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Ottawa, 17th October, 1898.

THE SECRETARY.

The Rev. Dr. Sutherland has just forwarded new section plans of the boarding school proposed to be erected at Norway House, Manitoba, towards which the Department is contributing \$3000.

I beg to remind you of the position of this matter.

No reply having been received from the Department of Public Works to the letter from this Department of the 6th September explaining the desire of the Methodist Church that the Government should supervise the erection of the building, with your consent I went over and saw the Chief Architect about the matter; and on the 13th September the following letter, in accordance with the Deputy Minister's verbal instructions, was written to the Rev. Dr. Sutherland.

"With further reference to your letter of the 1st instant, in respect to plan and specification for the proposed boarding school at Norway House, I beg to say that the Chief Architect of the Public Works Department states that in the case of buildings that will become the property of the Government and to which the Government is contributing the largest share of the cost, his Department undertakes the supervision of the construction; but as in the present instance \$3000 will probably be only a small portion of the cost (which it is presumed will be in the neighbourhood of \$12,000), and as the building when finished will not be the property of the Government, he does not think his Department would undertake the construction.

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"The Chief Architect adds, however, that it is
"his opinion that complete plan and specifications
"and an estimate of the whole cost ought to be fur-
"nished for the satisfaction of the Government,
"and that a guarantee should be given of the time
"~~within~~ within which the building will be fin-
"ished, whether one, two, or three years, as the
"case may be.

"This Department would be glad to see the sug-
"gestions of the Public Works Department carried
"out ; but as it desires to avoid asking for any-
"thing that might be construed as preventing the
"work of construction being proceeded with at once
"it does not insist on these suggestions being com-
"plied with.

"The grant of \$3000 will be paid either on com-
"pletion of the whole building or in instalments
"on properly certified vouchers presented as the
"work proceeds."

In his last letter, ^{in reply to the above} ~~new under consideration~~, Dr.
Sutherland again urges that the Government undertake
the work of erection ; but as he does not state what
the total cost of the building is estimated to be,
nor how the Church will pay the money, I do not think
the Public Works Department will be in a position to
give an answer in the matter without further informa-
tion, judging from what the Chief Architect told me,
even if this department should decide to ask that
Dr. Sutherland's request be complied with.

*Do not think the
Dept. should
have more than
the authority to
ask for the
plans & if approved
the Public Works
Dept. should
proceed with
the work which
will cost \$3000 - as
approved*



Ottawa, 18th October, 1898.

Reverend Sir :

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th instant, transmitting section plans of the boarding school proposed to be erected at Norway House, Manitoba, and again urging that the Government undertake the erection of the building.

Your letter having been submitted to the Deputy Minister, I am directed to inform you in reply that it is not thought that this Department ought to do more than authorize that the work be proceeded with after the approval of plans by the Public Works Department. The plans now received will, therefore, be submitted to that Department.

I may explain here that the opinion of the Chief Architect of the Public Works Department as to the probable total cost of the building was founded on the plans accompanying your letter of the 5th August.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary.

Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D.,
General Secretary,
Methodist Mission Rooms,
Toronto, Ont.

Ottawa, 18th October, 1898.

Sir :

With further reference to your letter No. 111,342 of the 27th August, I beg to transmit herewith section plans of the Indian boarding school proposed to be erected at Norway House, Man.

The Rev. Dr. Sutherland, on behalf of the Methodist Church, in forwarding these plans, again urges that the Government undertake the erection of this building, although he was advised, on information received from the Chief Architect, that, while in the case of buildings that will become the property of the Government, and to which the Government is contributing the largest share of the cost, the Public Works Department undertakes the supervision of the construction, as in the present instance \$3000 (the amount contributed by the Government) will probably be only a small proportion of the cost, (which it is presumed will be in the neighbourhood of \$12,000) and as the building when finished will not be the property of the Government, it was not thought that the Public Works Department would undertake the construction.

Dr. Sutherland has been informed that this Department does not think that it ought to do more than authorize that the work be proceeded with after the plans have

E. F. E. Roy, Esq.,
Secretary,
Public Works Department.

been

been approved.

The section plans are, therefore, submitted
for approval by your Department.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary.

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Ottawa, 22 Oct. 1898.

*Put for
H.R.*

Sir,
I have the honour to
acknowledge the receipt of your letter
dated the 18th instant, referring to
mine of the 27th August last, and
transmitting, for approval, section
plans of the Indian boarding
school proposed to be erected at
Norway House, Man.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Secretary.

The Secretary,
Department of
Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Winnipeg Man 4 th November 1898.

J.D. McLean ,

Sec'y Indian Dep't,

Ottawa Ont.

What provision should be made for
Pupils Boarding School Norway House.
no information here Vide Supplementary .

F.H. Paget.



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Send the following Message, subject to the above terms, which are hereby agreed to:

To *Hon David Laird*

Indian Commr.
Winnipeg

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Provision should be made fifty pupils
at seventy two dollars Norway
House

J. M. Doyle
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READ THE NOTICE AND AGREEMENT AT THE TOP.

R.E.



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Ottawa, 5th November, 1898.

Memo. Mr. McLean,

Note for estimates that \$2,000 formerly appropriated for the Morley School is to be re-voted; and that there is to be a re-vote of the amount provided as a grant towards the erection of a school at Norway House and for the per capita contribution.



Clifford Vignar

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Exd.

Ottawa , 15th November, 1898.

Sir,

I beg to inform you that the Superantendent General has desired that a note be made of the fact that ~~the~~ \$2,000.00 formerly appropriated for the Morley School is to be re-voted ; and that there is to be a re-vote of the amount provided as a grant towards the erection of a school at Norway House ,and for the per capita contribution.

I have the honour to be ,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

Secretary.

The Hon. D. Laird,

Indian Commissioner,

Winnipeg, Man.



IN REPLY REFER TO DATE OF THIS
LETTER, AND ADDRESS
THE GENERAL SECRETARY
METHODIST MISSION ROOMS,
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church,
MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,
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(Dictated.)

Toronto, 29th November, 1898.

H. H. R.



Sir,-

Referring to previous correspondence respecting plans,
&c, for the proposed Indian Boarding school at Norway House,
I would be glad to be informed what decision has been reached
regarding the plans that we submitted; that is, whether
they are approved by the Department, and what steps will be
taken to proceed with the building in the spring.

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

The Secretary of the
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

A. Sutherland
General Secretary



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*To communicate with
Dr Sutherland upon
reel. of reply to this letter.*

OTTAWA, 2nd December, 1898.

Sir,

I beg to refer to my letter of the 18th October last enclosing for the approval of your Department, section plans of the Indian boarding school proposed to be erected by the Methodist Missionary Society at Norway House, and I should be glad if you would inform me at your earliest convenience, whether the plans referred to are approved of.

*Sam. L.
M. L.*

Your obedient servant,

ED. MOLEAN

Secretary

E. P. E. Roy, Esq.

Secretary,

Department of Public Works,

OTTAWA.

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PUBLIC WORKS CANADA.

Chief Architect's Office,

Ottawa, 26th October, 1898.

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Sir,

In re the plans and specification for the Indian Boarding School at Norway House, Man., the Department of the Interior has asked by letter dated 8th August last, (Ref. I9442I) to have the plans examined and to be notified if they are found satisfactory for a building of the purpose mentioned; I beg to report as follows:-

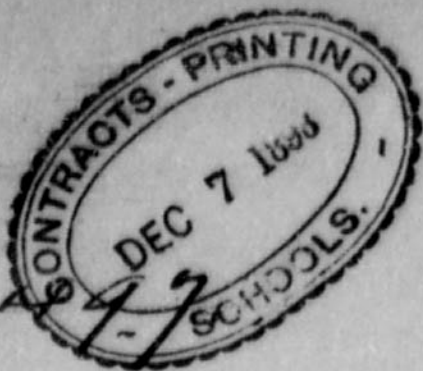
The arrangement of the rooms, dormitories, &c., I consider satisfactory but in some parts of the structure a number of the joists that carry the dining room and dormitories' floors are too light; they are specified to be 2" X 10" and the span between the supports is 18 feet. However, the Revd. Dr. Sutherland, as per extract from letter in I95270, states:- "It had not been our intention to send complete plans and specifications, but merely sufficient to indicate what size and kind of building we judged to be necessary." I would, however, consider it important that a proper specification should be prepared, as for instance in the present specification, the plumber's clause merely states that provision is to be made to properly fix 2 baths and 12 wash-basins in the girls' wash room and the same number in the boys' wash-room, but is neither stated whether these baths, &c., are to be made of iron, copper, slate or other material and no mention is made as to whether the pipes are to be of iron or lead. These remarks apply equally to the other works specified in the specification referred to.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
(Sd.) D. Ewart,
Chief Architect.

E. F. E. Roy, Esq.,
Secretary,
Dept. Public Works,
Ottawa.

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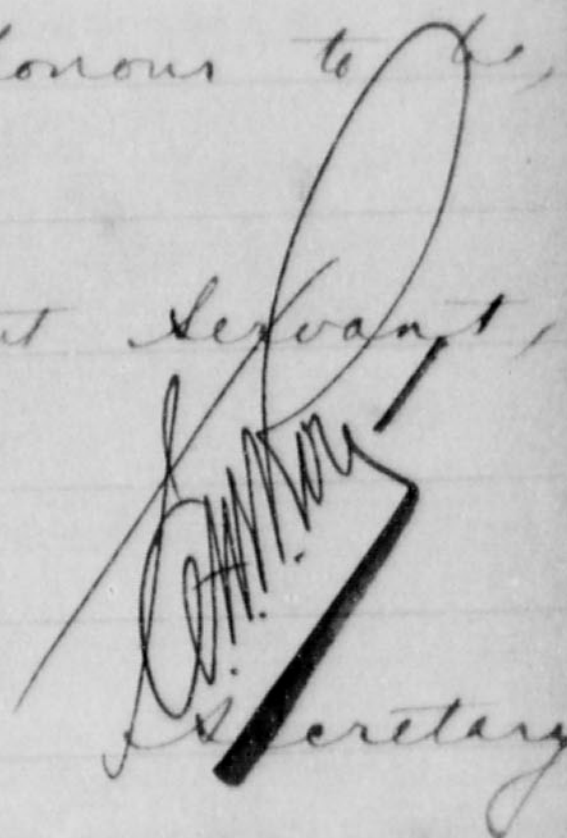
Referring to your letter
of the 2nd instant re plans of
Indian boarding school at Norway
House, Man. I beg to enclose here-
with a copy of a report by our
Chief Architect on the subject.

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I have the honour to be,

Res,

Your obedient servant,


Secretary

J. D. McLean, Esq.,

Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa

~~168,918~~

Ottawa, 10th December, 1898.

Reverend Sir :

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 29th ultimo, asking what decision has been reached regarding the plans submitted by you for the proposed boarding school at Norway House, and what steps would be taken to proceed with the building in the spring.

In reply I beg to remind you, with reference to your second question, that on the 18th October last you were informed, by direction of the Deputy Superintendent General, that it was thought that this Department ought not to do more than authorize that the work be proceeded with after the approval of plans by the Public Works Department. I may say that this Department has not seen any reason for altering its opinion since the date of that letter.

I now enclose herewith a copy of a letter of the 6th instant from the Department of Public Works transmitting a report from the Chief Architect on the plans submitted by you.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Secretary.

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J. D. McLean
Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D.,
General Secretary,
Methodist Mission Rooms,
Toronto, Ont.

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The Methodist Church.
Department of Missions.
Toronto 1st April 1899

Immediate
response
Acol Dear Mr Smart:-

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Some time ago The Superintendent
General stated that he would
include in the estimates a
revote of the amount
for the proposed Boarding
school at Norway House. I
sincerely hope that these two
items will pass without fail.
I am also informed by the
Rev. John McDougall that the Indian
Commissioner for the North West
strongly favours our wish for
a Boarding school at White
Fish Lake, Alta, and has promised
to recommend the matter to the
favourable consideration of the
Superintendent General if we wish
to do Boarding school work at
the place mentioned. I may
say that we consider this project
not only important but essential.

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Nothing
promised
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some time ago a plan for the proposed boarding school at Norway House was sent to the Department and it was estimated by the Chief Architect that it would cost \$12000. whereas the proposed grant is \$3000. Of course it would be out of the question to build a \$12000. house on a grant of \$3000. and I will be glad to know if the Department will concur in the expenditure of the \$3000 under the inspection of their own Agent on a building such as we may be able to erect for that sum leaving it to the future to make any enlargements that may be necessary

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(sgd) A. Sutherland

act
Please let me
have the information
asked by St. Fustellat
Morley
Whitefish Lake
Norway House

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OTTAWA, 12th April, 1899

Rev. Sir,

In reply to the concluding portion of your letter of the 1st instant I beg to say that the sum of \$2000 has been placed in the estimates for 1899-1900 as a re-vote for the enlargement of the Morley school, but it was not found possible to provide a sum for the erection of a Boarding school at Whitefish Lake.

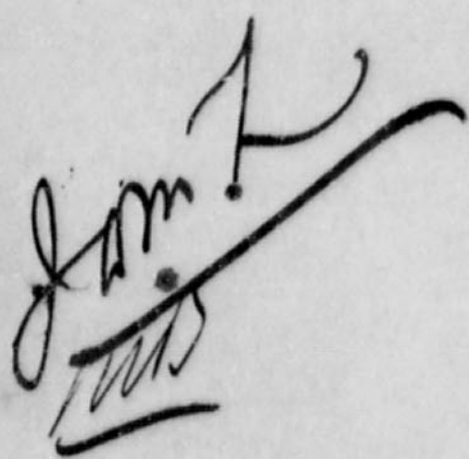
The sum of \$3000 has also been placed in the Estimates for next year as a re-vote towards the erection of a building for Boarding school purposes at Norway House, and in connection with this item I beg to say that as you have already been informed the estimate of the Chief Architect of the Public Works Department of \$12000 for the proposed building was based upon the plans and specifications submitted by you, and the sum of \$3000 to be provided by the Department is simply a grant to assist in defraying the cost. If your Society does not feel prepared to expend the balance required to put up the building in accordance with these plans and specifications, modified plans to agree with the amount available

Rev. A. Sutherland D.D.

would

Methodist Mission Rooms,

Toronto



Sgt. J. H. [Signature]

Deputy Supt:
of Indian Aff

Deputy Supt: Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

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LETTER, AND ADDRESS
THE GENERAL SECRETARY
METHODIST MISSION ROOMS,
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church,
MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

168918



(Dictated)

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Toronto, 15th April, 1899.

Sir,-

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 12th respecting revote for enlargement of the building at Morley, and for the erection of a building at Norway House.

I have communicated with the Rev Mr McDougall respecting modified plans, and trust that he will give prompt attention to the matter.

I am quite aware that Boarding schools are all, or nearly all, denominational, and we only wonder why it is so exceedingly difficult to get one in connection with the Methodist denomination. To say that there are 32 schools of this class, only one of which is under Methodist control, although we have been pressing our claim for many years, is one of the evidences of discrimination against the Methodist Church of which we have complained. Whether the Department has contributed the full cost of such buildings, in any case, is not the question; we simply take the figures as published from time to time in the Departmental Blue Books, and ask that we receive similar grants to those given in the case of other denominations for a similar class of buildings. I do not understand your reference to the Brandon and Muncey Institutes, as I have no recollection of mentioning these Institutions in connection with the question of Boarding schools.

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

The Honorable the
Deputy Super't General of
Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Department of Indian Affairs,

OTTAWA, 25th April, 1899

*Noted
W. J. P. M.*
Memo. Mr McKenna, -

About a year ago Rev. Dr Sutherland applied for the establishment of three boarding schools, two in the North-West and one in Manitoba at Norway House. The Minister approved of providing for the proposed boarding school at Norway House, and for making the usual per capita grant for 50 pupils. He also decided that the other two schools asked for could not be provided, nor could anything be given for the Hospital. Three thousand dollars was placed in the Estimates for last year for the Norway House school and Dr Sutherland was asked to furnish plans. The plans, when supplied, called for an expenditure of about \$12000 and a great part of the summer was spent in correspondence on this subject.

Dr Sutherland urged that the Government undertake the erection of the building and nothing has been done so far towards commencing operations. The sum granted is to be revoted for next year, and unless something is decided upon immediately, as to who is to put up the building and what it is to cost. I do not see how it is to be completed next year.

Dr Sutherland wishes to know if the Department would concur in the expenditure of the money under the inspection of its own Agent on a building such as could be erected for that amount, leaving it to the future to make any enlargements that may be necessary.

It has not been the practice of the Department

*Mr McKenna tells
me that Dr Sutherland
has been informed that
letter of 12th March*

MSB

Department to contribute the whole cost of boarding school buildings, although I do not see that there is any objection to its doing so, if the title is vested in the Government, as boarding schools could in many cases, be made quite as serviceable as the so-called industrial schools and at nearly half the cost.

Dr Sutherland complains that his Society has been discriminated against in the past in regard to boarding schools, and although there are only two Methodist institutions of this class I do not think that this Department is to blame, as the Society has been slow to take the initiative. The boarding schools now established, have, in every instance, been started by the different churches, many of them being the result of the growth of the day schools originally established in connection with the missions. The Methodist Missionary Society has had missions established along the northern portion of Lake Winnipeg for a number of years and if they have not succeeded in establishing a boarding school in that locality I think it was more for ~~want of funds~~ want of funds on their part, than from any undue discrimination on the part of the Department.

As the matter stands now, Dr Sutherland apparently wants the Department to assume the responsibility for putting up the building. Plans, specifications and an estimate will be necessary and I think no time should be lost in obtaining them, either from the Society or from the Department of Public Works.

Martin Benson

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Winnipeg Man 4th May 99

J. D. McLean,

Indian Dept.,

Ottawa.

Am I authorized to certify expenditure for Norway house methodist boarding school up to three thousand dollars.

D. Laird.



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Send the following Message, subject to the above terms, which are hereby agreed to.

Ottawa 6th May, 1892.

To

Hon. D. Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

Munich has agreed to provide
Department's full contribution to Methodist Boarding

School Norway House three thousand dollars, my certify

Vouchers to that amount.

Deputy Supt. Genl. of Indian Affs.

Charged Dept. I.A.

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Ottawa, 6th May, 1899.

To

**Honorable David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.**

Minister has agreed to grant as Department's
full contribution to Methodist Boarding
School Norway House three thousand dollars.
May certify vouchers to that amount.

Jas. A. Smart.

(Charge Ind. Dept.)

Read the Notice and Agreement at the Top.

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--Copy:--

Winnipeg, 10th June, 1899.

Dear Sir,

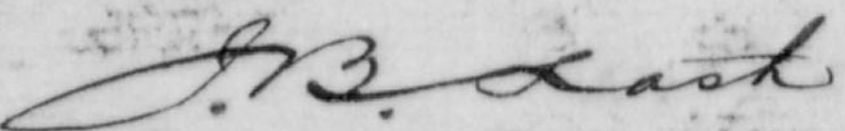
In compliance with the understanding reached in our conversation a few days since, re erection of Boarding School at Norway House, I now respectfully submit invoices of provisions purchased to be used in the utilising of "Indian labour" for the erection of same.

Yours faithfully,

sgd. John McDougall.

Note:

This refers to a conversation had with the Commissioner previous to his departure for the North.


Secretary to the Indian Commissioner.

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Selkirk, Man. May 7 1899

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656 " <i>1x2 blind Stop</i>	109 ft.	20	2 18	
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16 " <i>1x8x18</i>	192			
4 " <i>1x6x18 facings</i>	36			
16 " <i>1x5x18</i>	170	738	18 45	
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Eight per cent. charged on overdue accounts.
Claims for Shortage must be made on receipt of Lumber.

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4 pcs. 4x4 Shingles
16 " 3 1/2 x 3 1/2 "
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1 " 3 " " "
1/2 " 4 " " "
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J. O. B. Norway House.

Ref. Defpts Letter
No. Telegram
Date 6th May 99.



Material supplied,
Prices charged fair and just.

APPROVED,

SECRETARY TO THE INDIAN COMMISSIONER.

John M. Dougall

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West Selkirk, Man., June 9 1899

Mr. J. M. Dargall

Berens River Agency.

Harvey House

Bought of Wm. Robinson, 517

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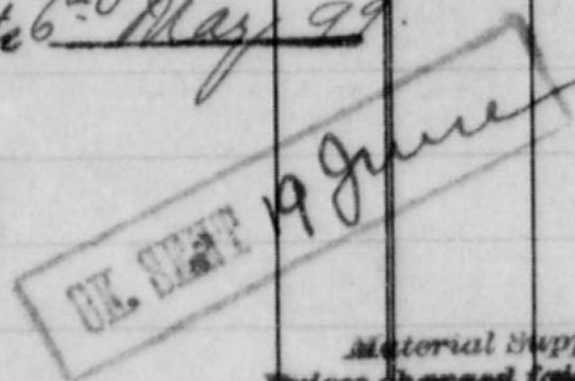
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201 1/2 " Dry Apples	9	18	13
81 " Tea	23	18	63

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Ref. Dept's letter

to Telegram

Date 6th May '99Material supplied,
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 SECRETARY TO THE COMMISSIONER.

John M. Dargall

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Office of the Indian Commissioner,

Winnipeg, JUN 12 1899

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Berens River Agency.

SIR:—

Ref. Depts. Letter
to Telegrams
Date 6th May '99.

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 516 and 517, amounting to \$2979⁶⁹/₁₀₀ ¹¹⁸/₁₀₀ 2983⁸⁶/₁₀₀

for material to erect Boarding
School at Norway House.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. B. Lusk

SECRETARY TO THE INDIAN COMMISSIONER.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa.

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Note 7

West Selkirk, Man., 22 June 1899

Mr. Rev J. Mc Dougall



Berens River Agency,

544

Bought of Wm. Robinson,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GENERAL MERCHANT.

For Norway House Boarding School.

June 16	To 2 picks (75) ^{1.50}	1 Shovel 85	1 Shovel 65	3 00
	1 Grind Stone 1 ⁴⁰	1 Set Fixtures 50		1.90
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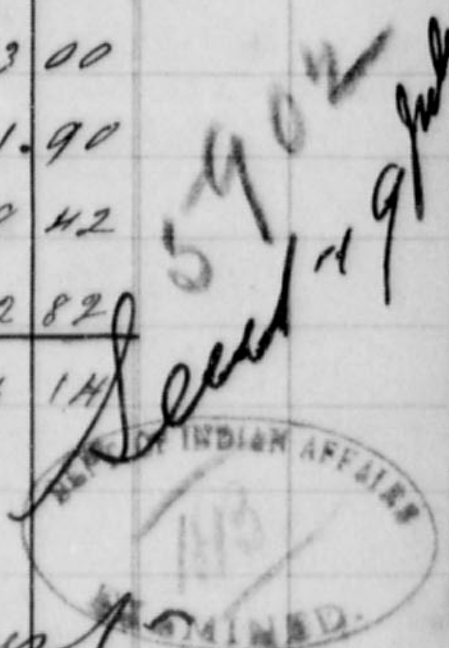
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Date 6th May 99. Material Supplied

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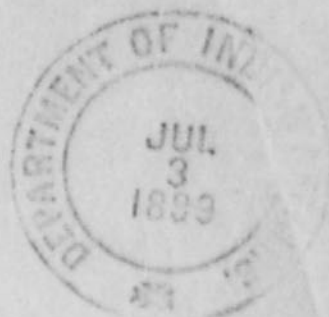
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Office of the Indian Commissioner,



Winnipeg, JUN 29 1899

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Berens River Agency

SIR:-

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*Ref. Dept's letter
by Telegram
Date of May '99*

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 544, amounting to \$ 16¹⁴/₁₀₀

for material for Norway House
Boarding School.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

19 July
W. B. Lusk

SECRETARY TO THE INDIAN COMMISSIONER.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa.

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Ad

OTTAWA, 19th August, 1899

Rev. Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that the sum of \$3000, voted by Parliament towards the erection of a boarding school at Norway House to be conducted under the auspices of your Society, is now available.

Provision is also made for 50 pupils at \$72 per capita for this school.

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Your obedient servant,

J. D. MCLEAN

Secretary

Rev. A. Sutherland,
Methodist Mission Rooms,
Toronto, Ont.

Ottawa, 22nd August, 1899.

Sir:-

In further reference to the proposed erection of a boarding school at Norway House to be conducted under the auspices of the Methodist Missionary Society, I beg to say that the Rev. Dr. Sutherland has been informed that the sum of ^{3000.00} ~~2000.00~~ voted by Parliament toward the erection of this school is now available, and he has also been informed that provision is made for 50 pupils at \$72.00 per capita.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary.

J. B. Lash, Esq.,

Secretary to the Indian Commissioner,

Winnipeg,

Man.

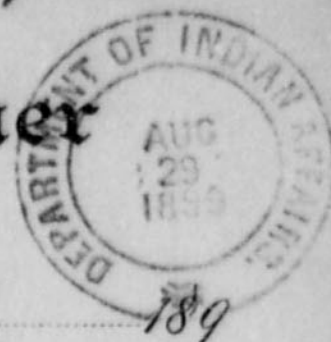
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Office of the

Indian Commissioner

for Manitoba and the North West Territories,

Winnipeg, 28 Aug. 1899



In your reply refer to
No. 122/78
and date of this letter and
address

Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

168,918

Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 22nd. instant, advising me that the Rev. Dr. Sutherland has been informed that the sum of \$3000.00 voted by Parliament towards the erection of a boarding school at Norway House is now available, I beg to request to be informed if the above amount is to be expended on this building in addition to the sum of \$3000.00 which has already been expended from the past fiscal year's appropriation, under authority of the following telegram from the Deputy Superintendent General of the 6th. May last, viz:-

"Minister has agreed to grant as Department's full contribution to Methodist Boarding School Norway House three thousand dollars. May certify vouchers to that amount."

On receipt of this telegram steps were taken to proceed with the erection of the building under the supervision of the Rev. John McDougall, who purchased all the material required and proceeded to the locality to superintend the work. The Rev. gentleman returned recently to the city and informed me that the building

The Secretary

was

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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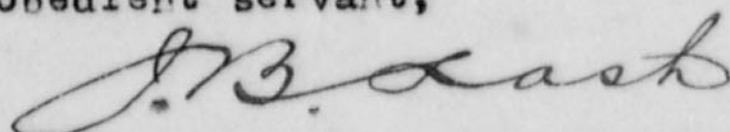
was well under way when he left Norway House.

He also asked if a further amount had been authorized by the Department for the heating apparatus, and he was informed that I understood that the sum of \$3000.00 already expended was the Department's full contribution.

The vouchers were forwarded to the Department as follows,-

June 12/99.	Wm. Robinson & Co.	Voucher No. 516 =	\$2722.43
" "	do	" " 517 =	281.43
" 29th.	do	" " 544 =	<u>16.14</u>
		Total -	<u>\$3000.00</u> =====

Your obedient servant,



Secretary to the Indian Commissioner.

Ottawa, 29th August, 1899.

Sir:-

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I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th instant, and in reply I beg to say that the \$3,000.00 included in this year's Estimates for the proposed erection of a boarding school at Norway House, to be conducted under the auspices of the Methodist Missionary Society, is, as you suppose, simply a re-vote of the amount provided for last year for this purpose, and, if that amount has already been expended, no further contribution is to be made and the Methodist Church authorities should be so informed.

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Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary.

J. B. Lash, Esq.,

Secretary to the Indian Commissioner,

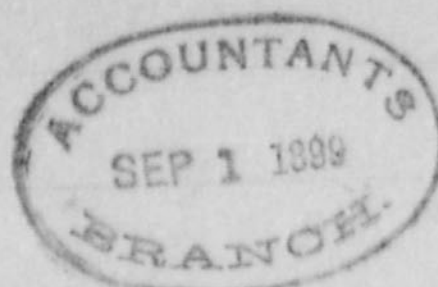
Winnipeg,

Man.

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SCHOOLS.
Aug 18 1899

Ottawa, 29th August, 1899.



Reverend Sir:-

Jam. H. M. S.

In reference to my letter of the 19th instant, informing you that the sum of \$3,000.00 voted by Parliament towards the erection of a boarding school at Norway House, to be conducted under the auspices of your Society, is now available, I beg to say that this sum is simply a re-vote of the amount provided for last year for this purpose, and, if that amount has already been expended, no further contribution is to be made by the Department.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAÑ

Secretary.

Rev. A. Sutherland,
Methodist Mission Rooms,

Toronto,

Ont.

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From the above it will be seen that there is great need at the present time for these two things,- an enlarged school house and an assistant teacher. The Boarding school, I understand, is quite full, and there is no room in that building that could be utilized for school work. The alternative would seem to be an enlargement of the present school building. To provide for the necessary assistance in teaching, we would provide a teacher in connection with the Boarding school; but it would seem to be a needless expense to have two separate buildings for the school work, as all could be accommodated by the enlargement of the present day school building.

Trusting that this will receive the favorable consideration of the Superintendent General, I

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

The Honorable the
Super't General of
Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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THE GENERAL SECRETARY
METHODIST MISSION ROOMS,
TORONTO.

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The Methodist Church,
MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

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Toronto, 6th December,



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SCHOOLS.
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Sir,-

Recent correspondence from Norway House conveys the impression that there is some misunderstanding at the Winnipeg Indian office respecting school work on the Norway House Reserve. It will be remembered that some two years ago a new school building was erected. When this was done I was given to understand by the Rev Mr McDougall that the school building was put on the present site with a view to the future needs of the Boarding school which was in contemplation; that is, it was our understanding that the Boarding school pupils would be taught in the new school building, leaving the whole of the main building for the accomodation of the Boarding school pupils and staff. It was also our understanding that the ordinary day pupils would be received and taught in the same school building. The matter to which I ask special attention is the fact that the attendance at the school has been too large for the capacity of the building, and for one teacher to manage successfully. Mr Lowes, the teacher, informed me that previous to last summer's vacation he had an attendance of over 60 nearly every day, and sometimes over 70. In another letter, dated October 3rd, 1900, he informed me that during the preceeding quarter he had 56 Boarding school pupils and 42 day pupils enrolled, and that this was a number entirely too large for him to teach properly.

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Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA, 13th December, 1900.

The Secretary:-

Rev. Dr. Sutherland applies for a grant to enlarge the present school building at Norway House, which he states is too small to accommodate the boarders and day pupils. The building was put up before the boarding house was erected for day school purposes and has accommodation for no more than fifty pupils. The last return received shows that they have forty-six pupils at the boarding school, which is authorized to take up to fifty and they have a day school attendance which reaches to twenty and over. Dr. Sutherland's information is later than that received by the Department and he states that they have fifty-six boarders and forty-two day pupils enrolled with only one teacher. The Church authorities would engage another teacher if additional accommodation were provided. There is no accommodation in the boarding school for class-room work.

The Department contributed \$3000 to assist in erecting the boarding school building, and at the time that it was granted, Dr. Sutherland was advised that no further contribution was to be made by the Department.

Charles D. Sutherland

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Est.

OTTAWA, 28th December, 1900.

Rev. Sir,

Ham. L. [unclear]

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant applying for a grant for the purpose of enlarging the present school building at Norway House ; and in reply I am directed to say that the Department regrets that it cannot accede to your request, as at the time of its contribution of \$3000.00 to assist in erecting the building, you were advised that no further contribution was to be made by the Department.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MCLEAN

Secretary

Rev. A. Sutherland D.D.

Methodist Mission Rooms,

Toronto

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METHODIST MISSION ROOMS,
TORONTO.

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The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT

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(Dictated.)

SCHOOLS.
JAN 5 1901

Toronto, 3rd Jan.

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Sir,-

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th ultimo, No.168918, and beg to say that there would seem to be a slight misapprehension in the case. What we recommended was not the enlargement of the Boarding school (though that may be very necessary in the near future) but the enlargement of the day school building, which was erected before the Boarding school was begun. The attendance at the day school is now considerably beyond the capacity of the building to accomodate comfortably, and there are other children whp would attend if there was room for them. We recommend the enlargement of this day school building as the cheapest and easiest was of providing for the children of school age.

Permit me also to say that while it is true that we were advised that \$3000 to assist in erecting the Boarding school building would be all that would be allowed, we are unable to see why we should accept this as a final decision. We ask for no special favors; but while we are doing the work that the Department is bound to do in the matter of education, we see no reason why we should be put off with grants very much inferior to those given to other parties doing similar work. As this may have to come before the

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Department in the near future, I do not enlarge upon it
any further at the present time.

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

The Secretary of the Department
Of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Indian Commissioner

for Manitoba and the North-West Territories,

Winnipeg,

19 Apl. 1901.

In your reply refer to
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and date of this letter and
address
Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

SCHOOLS.
APR 25 1901



Sir,

I have the honour to forward the quarterly returns of the Norway House Boarding School for the September and December quarter; also Mr. Agent Short's report for March on the Rossville Day School and his report of his last inspection of the Boarding School at Norway House. These documents show a peculiar state of affairs which is intensified by comparing the returns of the Boarding School and those of the Rossville Day School for September and December quarters forwarded to the Department on the 11th instant.

I had had an inkling of the facts some months ago but as the returns were not received there was no necessity to call the attention of the Department just then.

All the children of the Boarding school get their class training at the Day School and are shown on the returns of that school and the teacher, I presume is paid accordingly. On the other hand the building at the Boarding School is too small to allow of any kind of a room for class purposes. It should more properly be called a Boarding House than a Boarding School.

The question is therefore whether, if the Day School is paid for the tuition of the boarders, these should also receive tuition grant at the Boarding School. I understand that \$60.00 a year is the grant for the maintenance of the pupils, whilst \$12.00 is allowed for tuition. If it is so, I consider it my

duty

The Secretary

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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duty to point out that the tuition grant is paid ~~over~~ twice for the boarders, and I will leave it to the Department to decide whether this is the proper course to follow.

Your obedient servant,

David

Indian Commissioner.

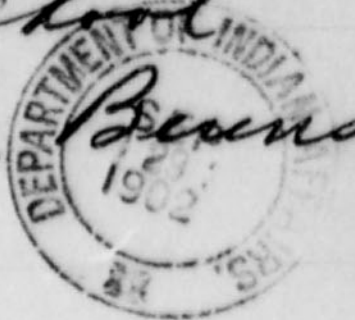
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Extract from Annual report of
 E. F. Hardiman, Principal of the
 Norway House Boarding School
 Dated from Norway House,
 River P.O. June 30, 1902.



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General Remarks. - + + + I think
 it only right to bring to your notice the
 fact that as far as education on this Reserve
 is concerned, the Indians do not seem to
 appreciate as they ought; what is being
 done for their children, and in many cases
 their influence is decidedly against the
 interests of the school.

As far as this reserve is concerned (some
 most drastic laws are needed) (there are
 no laws at present) and I trust the
 Department will at once urge the necessity
 of bringing into operation laws that will enable
 the Principal of this school to be supreme
 in his work in the school, and not to be
 openly defied by certain members of the
 Band without having the least chance
 of redress (sgd) I have
 E. F. Hardiman
 Principal

Ottawa, 21st October, 1902.

Sir:-

I beg to submit for your information and report an extract from the annual report of the Principal of the Norway House Boarding School, in which that gentleman calls the attention of the Department to the necessity of enforcing the school regulations.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

Assistant Secretary.

The Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

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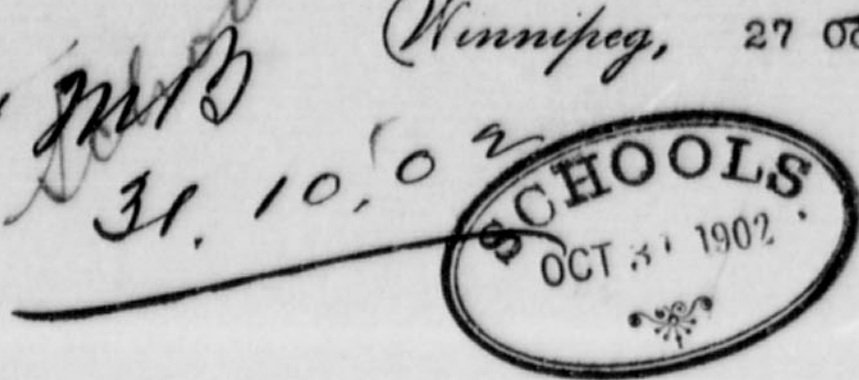
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for Manitoba and the Northwest Territories,

Winnipeg, 27 Oct. 1902.

In your reply refer to
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and date of this letter and
address
Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.



168,918-I Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 21st. instant enclosing an extract from the annual report of the Norway House Boarding School referring to certain difficulties between the Principal of this school and the Indians of the reserve in regard to the education of the children.

I may say that Mr. Hardiman was evidently not on very good terms with the parents and was consequently unsuccessful in his dealings with them - however, he has since been superseded. Mr. Hardiman was greatly in favour of compulsion as provided by law. Unfortunately Section 8 of the Regulations issued in 1894 does not include this institution as a recognized school as per clause 137 of the Indian Act. Therefore strictly speaking, compulsion cannot be enforced legally at this point. The Regulations could of course be amended, but I think the Indian Act itself should first be revised and consolidated.

Further, even if compulsion could be exercised legally, there is no machinery for the purpose - no magistrate or constable to be found within reasonable distance.

I have not heard of any trouble there since Mr. Hardiman left the school.

The Secretary

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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That the Indians take hardly any interest in the education of their children applies to all the reserves more or less, even where the Indians are more advanced.

Your obedient servant,

D. L. Smith
Indian Commissioner.

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230 Claremont St.

Toronto Ont.

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The Commissioner of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,

I am going out
this Fall as a teacher
in the Indian Boarding
School at Norway House.

I would like information
as to the method of conducting
such institutions, course
of study, etc.

Yours respectfully,
Fred. G. Joblin.



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Exd.

OTTAWA, 19th August, 1903.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 10th instant I beg to refer you to the Principal of the Norway House boarding school for information in regard to the management of that institution.

*Exd.
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Your obedient servant

J. D. McLean

Secretary

Fred G. Joblin, Esq.

230 Claremont St.

Toronto,

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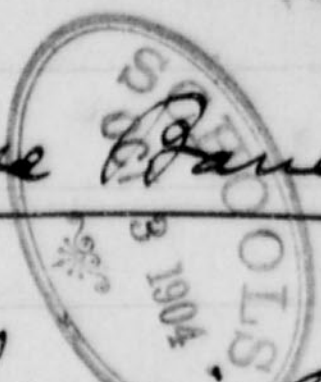
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Extract from annual
report of Inspector S. J. Jackson
June 30, 1904.



Schools

Norway House Band.



Education. — x x x I was informed by the boarding school teacher, Mr. Joblin, that orders had arrived from the department to separate the day and boarding schools. Now, this would be a great mistake, as from my report of last year it will be seen that the day school at Norway House reserve was in a forward condition compared with all the other day schools in the Claudeboye and Norway House agencies. If this so-called improvement recommended by the late agent, Mr. Reetham, be carried out, the day school at Norway House will fall back again and be no better than those at the other reserves.

Ex'd.

OTTAWA, 20th October, 1904

Sir,

I have to call your attention to the following remarks of Mr Inspector Jackson under the heading of Education in his annual report on the Norway House Band for the year ended 30th June last:-

"Education. X.X.X.X.X.I was informed by the boarding school teacher that orders had arrived from the Department to separate the day and boarding schools. Now, this would be a great mistake, as from my report of last year it will be seen that the day school at Norwat House reserve was in a forward condition compared with all the other day schools in the Clandeboys and Norway House Agencies. If this so-called improvement recommended by the late Agent, Mr Fleotham, be carried out, the day school at Norway House will fall back again and be no better than those at the other reserves".

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. STEWART

Assistant Secretary

Hon. David Laird,

Indian Commissioner,

Winnipeg, Man:-

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Office of the

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Indian Commissioner

for Manitoba and the Northwest Territories,

Winnipeg,

25 Oct. 1904.

In your reply refer to
No. 126/100

and date of this letter and
address

Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

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Sir,

I have your letter of the 20th. instant quoting a paragraph of Mr. Inspector Jackson's report upon the day and boarding school at Norway House, and would refer you to Mr. Agent Fleetham's report upon these schools of the 8th of April last, which was transmitted to you. Upon that report the Principal of the Boarding School was advised on the 6th. ultimo that if there was an advantage in having the lower standards in one place and the higher in another, the Commissioner would agree to the arrangement, with the stipulation that the registers should clearly show who are day pupils and who boarders.

Your obedient servant,



J. G. Henderson
Asst. Indian Commissioner.

Secretary,

Dept. Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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THE GENERAL SECRETARY,
METHODIST MISSION ROOMS,
TORONTO.

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*The Methodist Church,
Department of Missions.*

REV. A. SUTHERLAND, D.D.
GENERAL SECRETARY.

REV. JAS. HENDERSON, D.D.,
ASSOCIATE SECRETARY.

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SECY. Y.P. FORWARD MOVEMENT

H. H. FUDGER, ESQ.,
REV. A. SUTHERLAND, D.D., } TREASURERS.

33 RICHMOND ST. WEST,

Toronto, August 8th, 1905.

Memo of Income and Expenditure at the

Norway House Boarding School. 1899 to 1904 - five years.

	Expenditure.	Government Grant.	Difference.
1899-1900	2899.48	765.60 (six months)	2133.88
1900-1	4856.66	4252.80 (15 ")	603.86
1901-2	5242.18	3547.20	1694.98
1902-3	5543.36	2498.40 (9 months)	3044.96
1903-4	5507.80	3199.20	2308.60
Five years.	\$24049.48	\$14263.20	\$9786.28

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LETTER, AND ADDRESS
THE GENERAL SECRETARY
MISSION ROOMS,
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church,
MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,



Dictated - Dr. S.

Toronto, August 8th, 05. 1897

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Dear Sir,-

In conversation with you a few weeks ago I promised to write you in regard to various points that came up in the conversation, especially with regard to the Indian Institute at Red Deer and the Boarding Schools at Morley and Norway House.

Accompanying this you will find a memo of the income and expenditure of the three Institutes above named, covering a period of nine years at Red Deer, six years at McDougall Orphanage, and five years at Norway House. From these figures you will see at a glance that the Institutions referred to have been carried on for a number of years at a very heavy loss to the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church.

So far as the Red Deer Institute is concerned, the deficit occurred largely on account of the limited number of pupils in attendance. When the present Principal took charge in 1902, he found supplies at a very low ebb and the equipment in very poor condition, but he thought that his best policy was, first, to give the greater part of his time to securing additional pupils, and this accounts almost entirely for the deficit in 1902-3, as almost the whole amount was expended in travelling expenses. The very large deficit in 1903-4 was incurred in replenish-



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on 116815-1

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ing the plant, with additional teams of horses and bringing a large amount of the land under cultivation; and I think on this point it would be quite legitimate for the Department to ask the Principal for a statement of the various objects on which the expenditure was incurred so that it may be determined if any part of it would properly be chargeable to Capital Account to be provided by the Department.

EXTRACT
on 116963-1

In regard to the McDougall Orphanage you will see that the shortage there, which we had to make good, aggregates for the six years nearly twenty thousand dollars, and the greater part of this deficit is owing to the simple impossibility of maintaining a school of the kind on the present per capita grant. You have, I think, in the Department a copy of the report prepared by the Rev. Dr. Woodsworth and the Rev. T. Ferrier, showing the amount of outstanding bills on the 30th of June last. You are also aware of the recommendation made by Mr. Ferrier that the Missionary Society pay the balance due to members of the staff on the date above mentioned, and that the Department make a grant to cover the other outstanding accounts. On this point permit me to say that the creditors are pressing very strongly for payment, and it is needful that a settlement be made without delay. I sincerely trust that the Department will accept Mr. Ferrier's recommendation, and even then you will see that

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our loss has been an enormous one.

At Norway House the deficit has been less, averaging as you will see a little under two thousand dollars per annum, but the amount has varied considerable in different years. In this case also the deficit arises from the impossibility of maintaining the school on the per capita grant.

To sum up the whole, you will see that the loss to the Society on the three Institutions covering the respective periods mentioned aggregates nearly forty-one thousand dollars. In the case of similar Institutions, managed by other Societies, where serious deficits have occurred in the past, the usual practice of such societies or churches has been to appeal to the Department to recoup the entire amounts thus expended over and above the per capita grant, and in a good many cases (possibly all of them for aught I know), the demand has been met. I am not disposed to urge a claim of that kind, but I do think that the Department might very well bear one-half of the deficiencies that have been incurred. One thing is certain, we cannot proceed further on the present basis, and so far as I am concerned, I would rather abandon these schools altogether than have to provide a large

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annual deficiency out of money which our people have
given for a different purpose.

Bespeaking prompt and favorable consideration of
these matters by the Department, I remain,

Yours faithfully,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

The Deputy Superintendent

General of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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OTTAWA, 15th August, 1905

Rev. Sir,

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I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th instant with regard to the financial affairs of the Red Deer Industrial school and the boarding schools at Morley and Norway House; and in reply I beg to say that these matters will be brought to the notice of the Deputy Minister upon his return to Ottawa early next week.

Your obedient servant,

REMOLEAN

Acting Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

Rev. A. Sutherland D.D.

General Secretary

Methodist Mission Rooms,
Toronto.

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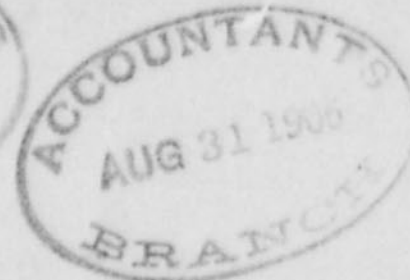
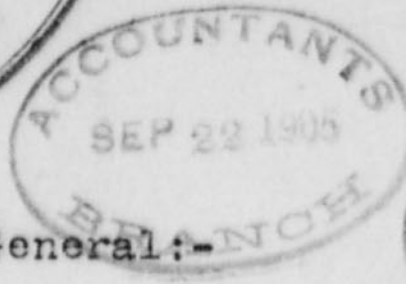
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Department of Indian Affairs,

OTTAWA, 21st August, 1905



The ~~Acting~~ Deputy Superintendent General:-

In referring to a conversation had with you a few weeks ago, Rev. Dr Sutherland has forwarded memoranda of income and expenditure in connection with the Norway House boarding school for the five years 1899-1904 inclusive, which show ~~a deficit~~ an excess of expenditure over the Government grant of \$9786.28. This he attributes to the impossibility of maintaining the school on the per capita grant.

Dr Sutherland, in summing up the financial condition of this and the other two schools referred to (Red Deer and McDougall Orphanage) says that he thinks that the Department might very well bear one-half of the deficiencies that have been incurred. One thing he says is certain, his Church cannot proceed further on the present basis and so far as he is concerned, he would rather abandon these schools altogether than have to provide a large annual deficiency out of money which has been given for a different purpose.

Norway House boarding school is in receipt of a per capita grant of \$72.00 for 50 pupils and there would appear to be no doubt that this amount is wholly inadequate to pay for the maintenance and management of a school in this locality. In fact the boarding school grants are claimed by all the missionary societies carrying on institutions of this class

to be much too low and these societies claim that where they have not already incurred a deficit, their resources have been over-taxed to maintain them. It would appear that the time has arrived that these grants should be readjusted and it would be far better to give them a reasonable living allowance than be called upon to pay deficits, which they claim have been incurred ^{through} ~~that~~ lack of sufficient funds being furnished by the ~~the~~ Government for their economical management. These boarding schools have all been started in the first instance by the missionary societies who accepted the conditions offered by the Government and it is for the Department to decide whether they will hold them to this arrangement. If the Department recognizes the right of the Methodist Church to be reimbursed for their outlay over and above the per capita grant, every other missionary society in the Dominion carrying on similar work will make like claims, and it would take at least \$100,000.00 to meet their demands.

Garth Brown

P.X.H



MEMORANDUM:

Deputy Superintendent General.

The Department could not refuse to consider the liquidation of the deficit at the Norway House boarding school. So far as I am aware there were no special obligations placed upon the Methodist Church with reference to this school. The Department, therefore, occupies its old position in the matter. If we ever come to a re-arrangement of the terms under which these schools are conducted and formulate a definite future policy with reference to schools, and there certainly seems to be likelihood of being able to do this at an early date, there is no doubt that we should have to begin by wiping off all existing deficits, at least so far as they exist by reason of small per capita grant and not owing to mismanagement.

As there is no question of closing the school as there was in the case of Emmanuel College where the deficit was wiped out the other day, I think we might be content to allow the deficit to grow for a few months until we consider the broad question. The claims of this school as well as the others will then come up for consideration.

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Accountant.

Ottawa, 4th October, 1905.

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ADDRESS REPLY TO THE
SECRETARY DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OTTAWA.

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Ottawa, October 14th, 1905.

Memorandum,

Mr. Scott.

Dr. Sutherland should be written to and advised that the funds at the disposal of the Department will not permit of the deficit being paid and that the question is still left for further consideration, so that if it is decided to favour payment the sums required can be placed in the Estimates for the coming year.

A handwritten signature in ink, appearing to be "D. S. G. I. A.".

D. S. G. I. A.

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HxH

Ottawa, 16th October, 1905.

Revd Sir,

I beg to inform you that the funds at the disposal of the Department will not permit of the deficit at certain Indian Schools conducted under the auspices of the Methodist Missionary Society being paid, and the question is still left for further consideration.

Your obedient servant.

FRANK PEDLEY.

Deputy Supt. General
of Indian Affairs.

Revd A. Sutherland, D.D.
General Secretary,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Toronto, Ont.

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THE GENERAL SECRETARY
METHODIST MISSION ROOMS,
ONTARIO.

The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

D.H.

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Dictated - Dr. S.

Toronto, Oct, 19th, 05. ~~1905~~

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Dear Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of yours
of the 16th instant, #168918/1 to the effect that
the funds at the disposal of the Department will not
permit of the payment of deficits at certain Indian Schools.
I notice, however, that the general question is open
for further consideration, and I shall be glad to talk
the matter over at some suitable time.

Your obedient servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

The Deputy,

Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, January 18, 1906.

Rev. Sir,-

The return from the Norway House boarding school for the September quarter, last, shows that none of the senior pupils were in the class-room during that quarter. The Principal explains that this was owing to the failure of the teacher who was engaged to put in an appearance.

The Department considers that better arrangements should have been made and trusts that it will not occur again.

From L. J. [unclear]
It is also noticed in the return of admissions that a pupil was taken in whose age is given as three years. The Department does not consider that a child of this age is entitled to the per capita grant without some very good reasons being furnished for admitting him to the school, and till such information is furnished the grant will be withheld.

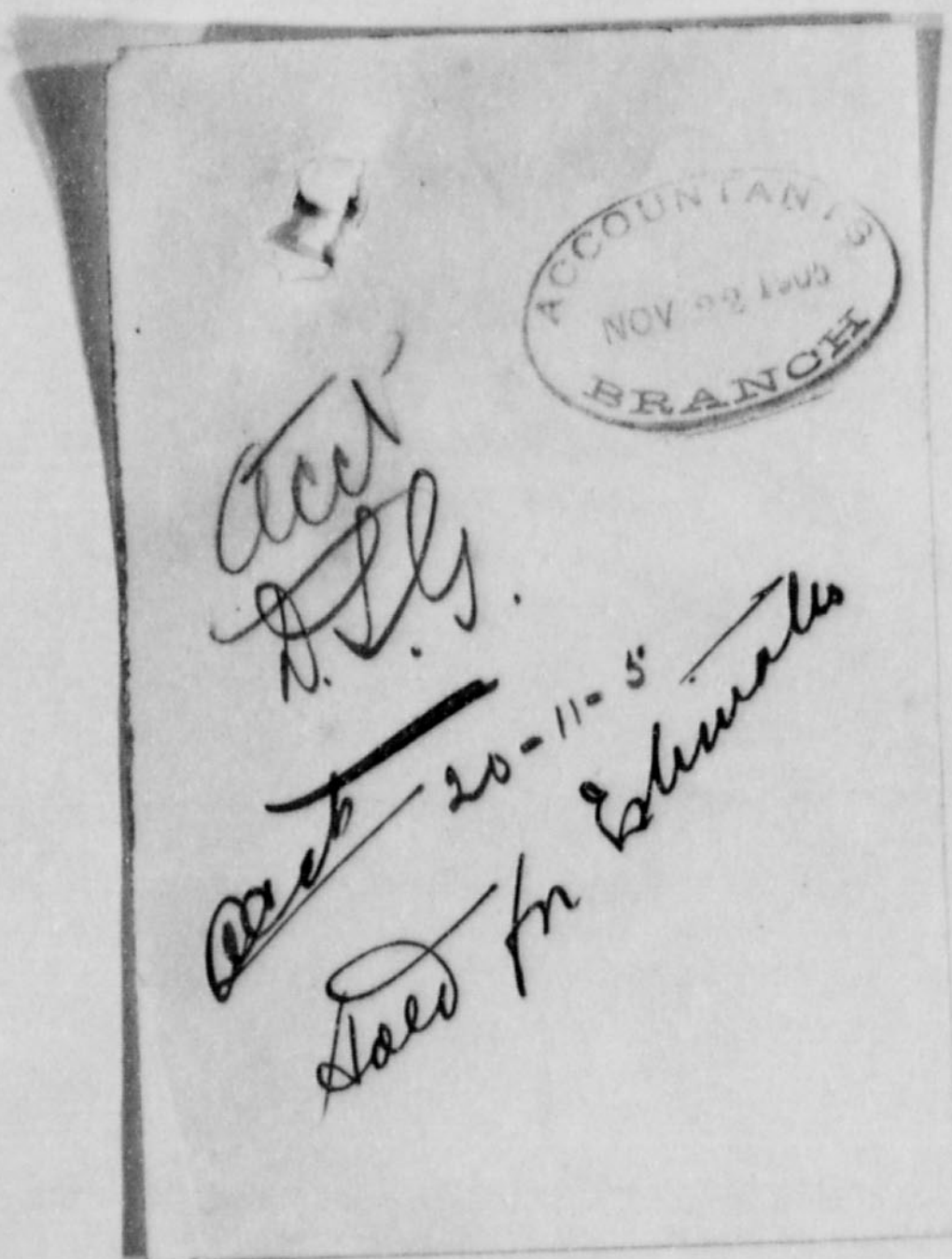
Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary.

Rev. Dr. Sutherland,

General Secretary of the
Methodist Missionary Society,
Toronto, Ont.



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AT MISSION ROOMS,
TORONTO.

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The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

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Dictated - Dr. S.

Toronto,

Jan 24th, 06 ~~1906~~

TO THE

Sir
Dear Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 16th instant, #168918, referring to the fact that none of the senior pupils were in the class-room at Norway House Boarding School during the September Quarter, owing to the non-arrival of an expected teacher; also to the fact that a pupil three years of age has been taken into the Boarding School.

I have not been informed of the circumstances which prevented the teacher who had been engaged from arriving at Norway House, but will ascertain the facts as speedily as possible. I will also communicate with the Principal respecting the young child that has been taken in. When information on these points has been received I will communicate with the Department.

I have the honor, Sir to be

Your obedient servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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Norway House, Apr. 9, 1907.

Sir,

In accordance with your instructions I have investigated the charge against Mr. Lousley re Charles Clyne. I find that the boy was dressed in a heavy suit of clothes bought from the H. B. Co. less than five weeks before. He had on a pair of woollen under sox and a heavy pair of shanty sox under a good pair of moccasins. He with others were engaged that morning in carrying water from the lake to the house and had an opportunity to warm himself about every five minutes. There was a small hole in his pants and he went upstairs to change them at the time the matron was examining the dormitory. On turning down his bed clothes she found his bed all wet. He seemed to be too lazy to get up at night to use the urinal. When punished for this he would refrain for some time and then start again until again punished. On turning down the mattress this morning the Matron found three pair of pants and two or three shirts (whether two or three is not clear) which had been stolen from the school supplies. She reported this to the assistant principal, Mr. Bell, who went up and with the regulation rubber strap struck Charles Clyne twice over the clothes. The ~~cap~~ culprit evidently got angry and ran away to the bush. He slept out in a shanty that night and came back next day with both feet frozen. The staff did what they could for him and let his people know of the condition of the boy. These relations took him home and refused all assistance from the school staff after the first day. The boy will lose the toes on both feet but the blame in my opinion rests with himself.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

(sd.) C.C. Calverley,
Agent.

To The Hon. David Laird,

Indian Commissioner.

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via Icelandic River.

Norway House Reserve,

Norway House,

Lake Winnipeg,

Feb. 14.

To The Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg.

Dear Sir,

I wish to write and inform you or ask if you are aware of the proceedings going on at the Boarding School on this reserve--there is now a boy named Charles Clines lying and will probably not live, his feet and hands being badly frozen and have gone black and unless they could be amputated it is hardly likely the boy will live. I went down to see the boy and found him in a very bad way, and the boy himself told me he was working outside and was very cold only having a thin pair of pants on and he went to put another pair on of his own and for this he was thrashed and was told if he did this again he would be chained up and thrashed and put in prison, so the boy was afraid and ran away and was out all day and night, and this is how he got cold, also where he got thrashed the cold got in and his body began to swell, when I saw him, he is in a very bad way and I don't think he will live. I also think the children are being worked far too hard in the Boarding school, it is very good for the children to be learnt to work, but not so much as they are working them there. I hope that you will kindly enquire into this matter and oblige

Yours sincerely,

(sd.) Chief Sincalir,

Norway House Reserve.

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Winnipeg, 3 July 1907.

Sir,

On the 14th. February Chief Sinclair, of Norway House, (a copy of whose letter I enclose) reported that a boy named Charlie Clines (or Clyne) was severely thrashed at the school, that he ran away and as a consequence was badly frozen. Mr. Agent Calverley was instructed to investigate and his report of the 9th. of April is before me. I send a copy thereof for your information. The matter is a very grave one and to my mind is not disposed of by Mr. Calverley's report.

There are as all men of experience know very many cases in which the cause of the punishment would have been involuntary and there should be very good reason for attributing it to laziness and therefore deserving of punishment. The result of the punishment is shocking. That a boy should so feel the injustice and severity of his punishment as to run away from school and sleep out in weather so severe that his toes were frozen and ^{that} he will now lose them, is certainly a most serious matter.

These schools are ^{supported} ~~started~~ out of public monies of Canada for the benefit of the Indians, and such a result as this must be regarded as off-setting much of the benefit which the public expect to flow from the expenditure in the maintenance of the institution.

I should be pleased if you would make a thorough investigation and report. Your report should show what measures were taken for the treatment of the boy by the school authorities and the Agent, and the extent of the injury which the boy suffers.

Rev. John Semmens,
Insptr. of Indian Agencies,
Norway House,
via Selkirk.

Yours truly,

Asst. Indian Commissioner.

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Office of the

Indian Commissioner

for the Northwest Provinces and Territories.



In your reply refer to

No. 122/78

and date of this letter and
address

Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

Winnipeg, 3 July 1907.

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Sub

Sir,

I send for your information a copy of a letter
which I have to-day addressed to Mr. Inspector Sem-
mens, in regard to a very grave outcome ^{of punishment} inflicted upon
a pupil at the Norway House Boarding School, together
with a copy of the complaint of Chief Sinclair and Mr.
Agent Calverley's report.

Your obedient servant,

J. A. G. M. M.
Asst. Indian Commissioner.

Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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Ottawa, July 10, 1907.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd inst., inclosing a copy of a communication addressed by you to Mr. Inspector Semmens in regard to a case of punishment at the Norway House Boarding School, together with a copy of Chief Sinclair's complaining and the Agent's report; and in reply I beg to say that the Department will await the result of Inspector Semmens's investigation into this matter.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. MOLEAM

Secretary.

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The Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

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Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

Winnipeg, 15 July 1907.

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Sir,

In acknowledging your letter of the 10th. instant respecting the punishment inflicted upon a boy of the Norway House Boarding School, I would say that Mr. Semmens was unable through illness to go to Norway House, and therefore will not for some considerable time be in a position to make the investigation. I thought it well to send a copy of the papers to Rev. Mr. Ferrier, the Superintendent of Methodist Missions, who was on his way to Norway House, so that the matter might be gone into in the meantime by him.

Your obedient servant,



J. A. G. M. M.
Asst. Indian Commissioner.

Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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Ottawa, July 30, 1907.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 15th inst. I beg to say that the Department approves of your action in sending a copy of the papers respecting the punishment which was inflicted upon a boy of the Norway House school to the Rev. Mr. Ferrier, Superintendent of Methodist Indian Schools, who was on his way to Norway House, so that he might make enquiries into the matter.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary.

The Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

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I inquired into the cause of a pupil of the Boarding school at Norway house having his feet frozen some time last winter.

The first person I interviewed was the boy himself in the presence of only his mother and an interpreter. I also asked a few questions of his mother and made some inquiries from the Principal of the school, and further requested the boy and his mother that if they had any one else they would like me to hear I would be pleased to do so, but no others came.

The boy is going about the reserve and appears to be in a fair way for complete recovery as far as his general health is concerned. I examined his feet and found all the toes gone from the right foot and three from his left. The right foot is not yet completely healed, but the left about so.

The boy's statement was secured by answers to questions I asked of him and is as follows:-

"My name is Charles Cline.

I am about 17 years of age. My Mother says I was born in the year the soldiers were drowned in Lake Winnipeg. I have been a pupil of the Boarding school eight years. I had my feet frozen some time after the New Years. I was in the woods when my feet were frozen. I left the school for the woods because Mr Bell whipped me. He whipped me with a rubber strap. He hit me two times on my seat without my pants on. He whipped me because I stole a pair of pants. The pants I took were my Sunday pants. This was in the morning after cutting wood and before going to school. The pants I had on were torn. Mr Bell did not say he would whip me again. I did not go to school but ran away to the woods. I stayed there all day and one night. I was not cold during the day. The next day I went to Angus Monia's house. I had nothing to eat from the time I left the school until I got to this house. I did not come back to the school because the whipping made me senseless and I did not know

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know my way back. I knew a little in the morning so found my way to the house. I was whipped before in the school. Mr Bell whipped me when we dug the potatoes. Mr Lousley whipped me last winter. I was doing right all the time I was in the school. There was never any reason to whip me. I told lies sometimes and still lie sometimes. I am not lying now. I stole things at the school sometimes. I stole food but no clothing. I ate the food myself. I wet my bed sometimes twice a week. I was not lazy; it was only when I was a little boy I wet my bed when Mr Bell was in the school. I was before the Indian Agent for running away before this happened. He did nothing to me. He said if I did it again he would put me in a jail. Mr Bell did not say he would put me in a jail nor did Mr Lousley nor did any other at the school. No one ever whipped me at the school but Mr Bell and Mr .Lousley. I had to work at school too hard and too long. I had to work from eight to 9 in the forenoon and from 4 to 6 in the evening, and on Saturday from 8 to 12. On Saturday we bathed at 3 o'clock and I had to help get wood after we were bathed. I blame Mr Bell for my frozen feet, and no one else because he whipped me."

The Mothers Statement.

" I do not blame my son for having his feet frozen. I blame Mr. Bell; he whipped my boy when he did not do much that was wrong. I know nothing about it except as I have been told by others.

Mr Lousley as treated me and my boy well ever since. He has done all for us that he could do. I do not blame Mr . Lousley for any part of the trouble. I have never said so against Mr. Lousley. The school has given me and my boy food ever since his feet were frozen and given my boy some clothing, underwear, socks, moccasins and rubbers."

Mr. Lousley's Statement.

I read over to Mr. Lousley the boy's statement and asked him if it were not true.

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" It is true in the main but very contradictory.

He stole a great deal more than he has admitted and on quite a few different occasions.

When whipped, he had hidden under his bed clothing, two pair of pants, three shirts, two pair of socks. On another occasion he stole a good suit of clothes and ran away taking a number of camping utensils. He has been one of the most dishonest and untruthful boys of the school.

He wet his bed when small and quit it for two years but started again this winter and would stop it for weeks at a time after punishment for it. It was on account of the nature of his bed ~~wet~~ that the stolen articles were discovered.

I never knew M^r. Bell to whip a boy severely and he usually did it under my instructions but he had no instructions on this occasion; had I given instructions or administered the punishment it would have been very much more severe.

The boy had no good reason for leaving the school. He was well clothed and well fed but whipped more frequently than any other boy. At the time he left his clothing consisted of, one new suit, bought at the H.B.Co., two new suits of woollen underwear, two heavy black twilled canton flannel shirts, pair of ordinary hose, pair of over socks, pair of moccasins. His socks were renewed on Saturday. He ran away on Monday a.m. His socks had holes in them when he returned. He had an overcoat but not on at the time. He grabbed his cap and ran.

I sent for his brother to hunt for him but the brother would not come. I was afraid to send othermen for fear he would see them and take to the bush and thus run a chance of being frozen."

Respectfully submitted.

(sdg) T. Ferrier.

J.A.J. McKenna,

Asst. Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg.

Office of the

Indian Commissioner

for the Northwest Provinces and Territories.

Winnipeg, 30 July 1907.

In your reply refer 122/78

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Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

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Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 20th. instant, I beg to enclose herewith for your information copy of a report received from the Rev. Mr. Ferrier, Superintendent of Methodist Indian Schools, giving, without comment, the result of his enquiries respecting the punishment which was inflicted upon a boy of the Norway House Boarding School.

I may add that Mr. Inspector Semmens has sufficiently recovered from his recent illness to allow him to undertake a trip to Split Lake, and he will, while passing Norway House, investigate the matter, as previously instructed. I have furnished him with a copy of Mr. Ferrier's report.

Your obedient servant,



Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

J. J. Semmens
Asst. Indian Commissioner.

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Indian Commissioner

for the Northwest Provinces and Territories.



Winnipeg, 11th September, 1907.

In your reply refer to

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Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

Schools

Sir, -

Referring to your letter of 13th July last respecting the case of punishment at the Norway House Boarding School, in which you stated that you would await the result of Inspector Semmens' investigation into this matter, I beg to forward a copy of his report, which has been delayed owing to the Inspector's illness and absence at Split Lake.

The Department has now the facts of this lamentable case before it; and I hope for a pronouncement thereon which will be a guide to the staffs of all our Schools in the matter of corporal punishment. It appears to me that if a boy is incorrigible after one moderate whipping or two, he should be expelled from the school rather than be repeatedly severely punished when it does not prove a restraining discipline.

Shall I instruct the Indian Agent at Norway House to supply during the winter food for the lad and his mother which Mr. Semmens recommends?

Yours truly,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

D. Laird

Indian Commissioner.

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Office of the

INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES.

Lake Winnipeg and Rat Portage Inspectorate,
Stonewall, Man., September 7th, 1907

Sir,-

I am in receipt of your letter, No. 122/78, of the 3rd of July directing me to investigate the case of Charlie Clyne, a pupil of the Norway House Boarding School, who was whipped and subsequently ran away from School and suffered from cold and hunger.

With your letter was a copy of a letter from Chief Sinclair, of the Norway House Reserve, relating the facts and asking your intervention, and another from Indian Agent Calverly of Norway House dealing with the case.

I also received your letter of the same number dated the 25th of July, enclosing for my information a report signed by the Rev. Thompson Ferrier of the Brandon Industrial School furnishing evidence taken by him from several persons.

In reply I beg to submit the following observations, viz:-

(1) I interviewed the Rev. Mr. Lousley, the Principal of the School, at Selkirk on the 26th of July.

He seemed surprised that the Department should desire any further information on a subject which had already been so well looked into, and expressed the opinion that the circumstances had been very much exaggerated.

He admitted that he had thrashed this boy a great many

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many times, indeed more than any other, but contended that the boy deserved all he received as he was the very worst pupil in the School. He was a dirty boy, his statements could not be relied upon, he was a thief, and was generally hard to manage, in fact he was quite undesirable in almost every way.

He further claimed that at this particular time he had no knowledge of the punishment administered by his assistant, Mr. Bell, and had not delegated to Mr. Bell the right to punish the pupils. However, he asserted that he should have punished the lad had he known the circumstances and might have handled the boy more roughly than did Mr. Bell.

He said that he had no further information to offer than that already incorporated in Mr. Ferrier's report.

(2) On the 28th of August I interviewed Chief Sinclair at his own home in regard to this case, and found him still of the opinion that the boy had been overworked and otherwise harshly treated while at the School. The Chief did not seem to think kindly or speak favorably of the work done at the School. I thought I recognized some personal animus on the part of the Chief toward the Principal.

(3) On the 30th of August I met the boy Charles Clyne at Warren's Landing. He was accompanied by his Mother and by his Uncle and Aunt.

I examined his left foot and found that it had been badly frozen and was still somewhat discolored and swollen.

swollen. Three toes had fallen off in the course of treatment, leaving only the two smallest intact. The foot is tender, and pains the lad in cool and very warm weather.

The right foot was in a very much worse condition. All the toes are gone, and the wound at the outer end of the stump has not yet healed, though about six months and a half have passed since the freezing. It requires daily dressing and cleansing. It is inflamed and swollen, and the boy suffers much pain, and can only walk with difficulty.

I also examined the right hand which has completely healed, and found that it is bent at the second joint and cannot be straightened out as the other. All the fingers are inclined inwards from the second joint, and the hand is stiff and comparatively useless.

There are still marks on the back where the sores reported in the Chief's letter were found, but the back is completely healed and will give no further trouble.

The pupil's general health is not good. He appears to have weakened from protracted suffering and the continued discharge from the right foot. He appeared to me to be anemic, disheartened, discouraged.

I was convinced from my interview with the lad that he was not mentally strong and that his will power was correspondingly weak. Although his statements were made with much weeping I considered that allowance must be made for possible over-coloring.

The testimony offered showed that since the boy
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was admitted to the School he had been repeatedly whipped, and had been frequently threatened with various punishments if he transgressed again. He says that he lived in a state of constant dread of the lash. In consequence of this he had no interest in his School work and only desired to run away.

He says that when he left the School he was excited, confused, and indignant, and hardly realized what he was doing. In the darkness of the night which followed, his chattering teeth brought him to his senses, and he made for the nearest house and reached it just in time to escape death.

He stated that after the accident, assistance both in food and medicine was given by the School authorities, but this kindness had been discontinued. He said he was unable to work and expressed regret that his widowed mother must work for him instead of his working for the support of the family.

(4) Conclusions.

I was forced to the conclusion that the Principal of the Norway House Boarding School is not spending enough time in direct and personal supervision of his charge. He is needed there more frequently than he now visits it. My last inspection report intimated this, and I here repeat it.

Because he is not about, subordinates are tempted to take matters in their own hands, as Mr. Bell did in this case, and may not always exercise the cool judgment which might reasonably be expected from a

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Principal. -----

I think that more effort should have been put forth to have found the boy on the day when it was known that he had run away. The only action taken so far as known was to ask a married brother to follow him. For some reasons the brother considered that the boy would return in good time. -----

It seems but reasonable that an undesirable such as Charlie Clyne should have had an early dismissal. It is hard to understand if he were as bad as represented why he was retained as a pupil. -----

The charge of bed-wetting preferred against the boy may have called for medicine. Perhaps careful medical treatment might have obviated the painful necessity of frequent whippings, and it might have been more in accordance with Christian methods. -----

No defence can be offered for stealing. However it would be difficult to prove stealing unless there were a witness. The fact that the goods were in his bed in the School did not necessarily prove that he put them there or that theft was the intention. In justice to the boy it should be said that he denies knowledge of anything being there which did not belong to him as a pupil, but this statement does not establish his innocence. -----

Wherever blame may lie, the fact remains that a most unfortunate circumstance has occurred which is not likely to promote the best interests of the School, and
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which does not properly represent the purpose of the Government of the Dominion of Canada.

Mr. Bell, the person who of his own accord administered the punishment which resulted so unfortunately, has left the service of the School and of the Church which controls it.

It is clear to my mind that the Department must now make arrangements to support the lad and his mother for the ensuing winter, and I recommend that a bag of flour or its equivalent be allowed them each month from November 1st to June 1st next following.

I have the honor to be,

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) John Semmens,
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

The Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg,
Manitoba.

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Ottawa, September 28, 1907.

The Deputy Superintendent General,-

On July 3, 1907, the Indian Commissioner forwarded a communication from Chief Sinclair, of the Norway House reserve, addressed to him, regarding the outcome of punishment inflicted upon a pupil of the Norway House Boarding School, named Charlie Clyne, in consequence of which he ran away and had his feet and hands severely frozen, together with a copy of a letter addressed to Mr. Inspector Semmens, directing him to make a thorough investigation and report in regard to the extent and injury suffered by the boy.

Mr. Semmens, through illness, was unable to take up this matter at once, but the Rev. Mr. Ferrier, Superintendent of Methodist Missions, who was on his way to Norway House, was requested to make enquiries into the matter. A copy of his report is attached hereto, from which it will be seen that Mr. Ferrier did not consider that he had any good reason for running away, as the punishment he received was not severe. Mr. Ferrier examined his feet and found all the toes gone from the right foot and three from the left, the right foot not being completely healed at the time he examined him, but the left was about so. This was in July, last. He left the school some time in the

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early part of February and was out one night and came back the next day in the condition above stated.

Shortly after Mr. Ferrier made his report Mr. Semmens held an enquiry into the case and the Commissioner has forwarded a report from that officer, from which it would appear that the boy had been thrashed a great many times previously, but the Principal claimed that he deserved all he received, as he was the worst pupil in the school, being dirty, unreliable, thievish and generally hard to manage, and undesirable in almost every way. He further claimed that on this particular occasion he had no knowledge of the punishment, which was inflicted by his Assistant, Mr. Bell, and that he had not delegated to him the right to punish pupils. However, he asserted that he would have punished the lad, had he known the circumstances, and might have handled him more roughly than did Mr. Bell. Mr. Semmens interviewed the Chief, who was of opinion that the boy had been overworked and otherwise harshly treated while in the school. The Chief did not think much of the work done at the school, but Mr. Semmens thought he recognized some personal animus on the part of the Chief towards the Principal.

Mr. Semmens examined the boy and found that he had been badly frozen and that his condition was about as stated by Mr. Ferrier. All the toes were gone from the right foot and the stump had not yet healed, although the freezing occurred about six months ~~xxxxxxxx~~

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Previous. The stump required daily dressing and cleansing, being badly inflamed and swollen, and the boy suffered much pain and could only walk with difficulty. His right hand, which had been frozen, was completely healed, but all the fingers were inclined inwards from the second joint and the hand was stiff and comparatively useless. He found marks on the back, where the sores reported in the Chief's letter were, but the back is completely healed and will give no further trouble. He states that the boy's health was not good, and he appeared to have weakened from protracted suffering and the continued discharge from the right foot. He considered him anemic, disheartened and discouraged.

The opinion that Mr. Semmens formed of this boy was that he was not mentally strong and that his will-power was correspondingly weak and that his statements might possibly be overcolored. Mr. Semmens learned that the boy had been repeatedly whipped and frequently threatened with punishment if he transgressed again. He lived in constant dread of the lash and consequently had no interest in school work and his only desire was to get away. Mr. Semmens in summing up says he was forced to the conclusion that the Principal of the Norway House Boarding School is not spending enough time in direct and personal supervision of his charge, allowing subordinates to take matters into their own hands, as was done in this case. He thinks that more effort should have been made to look for the boy when he ran away

away, and that if the boy was as bad as represented he should not have been retained ~~xxxxxx~~ as a pupil.

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The boy is crippled for life and Mr. Semmens says that the Department will now be forced to support the lad and his mother during the ensuing winter, and he recommends that a bag of flour, or its equivalent, be allowed them each month until next June. The Commissioner asks whether he shall instruct the Agent at Norway House to carry out Mr. Semmens's suggestion. He also hopes for a pronouncement regarding this case, which will be a guide to the staffs of all ^{our} schools in the matter of corporal punishment. He says that it appears to him that if a boy is incorrigible after one or two moderate whippings he should be expelled from the school rather than be severely punished when it does not prove a restraining influence.

I fully agree with the Commissioner in this and would suggest that he be authorized to issue instructions to Principals of boarding and industrial schools on these lines regarding corporal punishment. I also think that the attention of the Methodist Church should be specially called to this case and that they should be told that the Principals of their schools should not allow outside work to interfere with the duties they owe to the schools.

You will see in another memorandum, of even date, on the Norway House school, that Mr. Semmens says he is disposed to recommend that the school be closed for a year, for the reasons therein stated, and, if his recommendation is carried out, I would suggest that, on its reopening, a new Principal be placed in charge.

Martin Benson

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Ottawa, October 7th., 1907.

Memorandum:

Mr. Benson.

Mr. Pedley decided to approve of your memorandum of 28th September. Funds will be found to maintain the boy referred to in your memorandum and the Commissioner should instruct Agent Calverley to carry out Inspector Semmen's suggestion.

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Accountant.

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Ottawa, October 8, 1907.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th inst. in further reference to the case of Charlie Clyne, a pupil of the Norway House Boarding School, who, as an outcome of punishment inflicted upon him, ran away in February, last, and had his hands and feet severely frozen, and inclosing a copy of Mr. Inspector Semmens's report on the investigation held by him in regard to the extent and injury suffered by the boy.

In reply I beg to say that the Department concurs in your opinion, that, if a boy is incorrigible after one or two moderate whippings, he should be expelled from the school rather than be repeatedly severely punished, when it does not prove a restraining discipline; and the Department would like you to issue instructions to principals of boarding and industrial schools on these lines regarding corporal punishment.

In view of the crippled condition of the boy, the Department approves of Mr. Inspector Semmens's suggestion, that he and his mother should be allowed

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The Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

rations during the ensuing winter and until June 1,
next, and you will be good enough to instruct the
Agent at Norway House accordingly.

Your obedient Servant,

S. STEWART

Asst. Secretary.

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REPORT,

AGENT, C. C. CALVERLEY,

NORWAY HOUSE AGENCY.

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(10th July)
According to instructions received from the Department,

I beg to submit herewith report of the day schools in this Agency, more particularly those in the out-lying portion of the Agency, which have not, and cannot be regularly inspected under present conditions.

On the 17th of June I inspected the Black River school. The building itself is in fair condition. It should be, however, painted, but although \$200.00 was estimated for general repairs to the various schools in this Agency, I was doubtful in my own mind whether the work accomplished by the school warranted the expenditure. The school was closed, but I had the teacher Mr. Slater call in the children. Six boys and eight girls were present. They were all small, possibly from six to eight or nine years of age, and had made practically no progress in English, except knowing some of their letters, and in mathematics had made practically no progress.

A few general remarks might be made here, which would apply to most of the schools, namely Black River¹⁵, Hollow Water¹⁵, Jack Head¹², Poplar River³⁰, Grand Rapids²⁴ and Norway House Anglican school. There are two reasons why progress is very slow in these schools. First and greatest the teachers themselves have never learned the method of teaching. If it were possible to have a short model, or normal course for these teachers where they might have two months training in the art of teaching, their efforts would then be far more successful, but without that professional training their efforts ^{ough} they well meant are not effectual. The second reason, is that it is very hard to teach an Indian child a foreign language as with few exceptions they are very slow pupils. Added to this irregular attendance, and lack of interest, the result generally speaking is unsatisfactory. Berens River²² and Fisher River⁴⁵ are on

the contrary successful schools. At both of these places are qualified teachers with professional training, and as the bands are residents on their reserves most of the time, the attendance is more regular, therefore the pupils are more interested in their school work, and progress is good. The Norway House Methodist day school is between the two extremes. The fact is that the boarding school is situated right close to the day school, and that a large number of the Norway House children attend the boarding school. The attendance of day school is therefore small, but an interchange is made of day school pupils. The advanced day school and boarding school attend the boarding school class room, while the beginners of both boarding school, and day school pupils attend the day school. This to my mind is not to the advantage of the day school pupils, but is advantage to the band, as a whole.

During the trip I saw that the lumber and shingles asked for at Berens River were on hand, and urged the Chief to have the work done there as quickly as possible. I also instructed the Methodist Missionary to have the school painted, and glass for the windows bought before navigation closed. The same was done at Poplar River. Fisher River school will require some fixing to the shed, and also to the roof of the school house. Hollow Water school, Black River school and Norway House Anglican school should be painted, if the Department considers it advisable to expend money for that purpose. I would like instructions in that matter.

Norway House boarding school has undoubtedly accomplished much good, but as this does not come under my inspection I have not placed it in the report.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

THE SECRETARY,

Your obedient servant,

Department of Indian Affairs,

OTTAWA.

AGENT.

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Norway House, April 7th. 1910.

The Honorable Frank Pedley,
Deputy Supt. General of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,

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Last Fall a pamphlet was received by the Indian Agent also one by myself setting forth compulsory education for the Indian children. I have heard that the Agent wrote to you about it and received instructions to take no action. Would you be kind enough to let me know if that is your attitude with regard to the contents of that pamphlet?

I have had great difficulty here in securing regular attendance of registered pupils of the Boarding School. Parents will, for the most insignificant reasons, keep their children home after the July Holiday, and when allowed home on account of sickness. At present time there are five of our pupils out of school and have been out all year despite every effort to get them in. Our actual attendance is only forty *per my fault* while our roll calls show fifty three names on the Register. These children are all out simply because of some paltry notion of either the child or its guardian. In none of the cases of these children is there sickness of either child or Parents, nor can need of any description be urged as a reason for keeping them home.

Neither is there anything of local circumstances to warrant no action. Of course if the Government's Policy all over the Dominion is with regard to this subject, no action, there is no reason to make an exception of Norway House, neither is there any reason apparent to me to justify an exception in the case of Norway House if the Government's policy is to enforce the Order.

The Indians in all this country between Winnipeg and Hudsons Bay are hunters, fishermen, trippers. During the Summer they reside on the Reserves or near them and in some cases cultivate small gardens and raise cattle. A great deal more of this could be done than is done with great advantage to the Government's Wards. But at present scores of families are away in the bush for eight months of the year, during their stay on the Reserve there is one month's holidays which leaves only three months of school for their children, if they are regular in attendance, but as you may know human nature in child or man cannot take much interest in anything at which it works for three months and follows its own inclinations for the other nine of each year. The Boarding school is here and the children could be left in attendance just as well as not while the parents are away hunting in Winter.

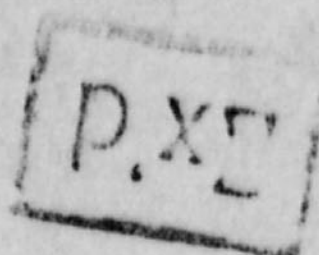
Of course the Fur Companies and all who are under their influence are opposed to the policy of encouraging the Indian to build fixed places of abode in connection with which he is expected to cultivate the ground. This, of course, is to be expected and I am not making any complaint about the conduct of any one here, but simply relating facts which need to be borne in mind when any action is contemplated with regard to the Indian. The motive behind this opposition to settling the Indian on the land is a desire to make business profitable as far as possible and it may even include, to some small extent the welfare of the Indian for the present time but it does not take into consideration in the least, his future.

What is the extent of my authority over Children of the school while in their Parents homes? Have I authority to bring to school any truant or detained scholars?

Yours Sincerely,

J. A. Lonsley

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Ottawa, June 20, 1910.

Rev. Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 7th of April, last, I beg to say in regard to the Regulations Relating to the Education of Indian Children, a copy of which was sent you last fall, that when the Agent was instructed to take no action reference was simply made to the compulsory clause relating to the attendance at day schools, but where pupils desert from or fail to return to boarding schools they may be enforced.

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Your obedient servant,

[Stamp: J. A. Lousley]

Secretary.

Rev. J. A. Lousley,
Principal,
Norway House Boarding School,
Norway House, Keewating.

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Memo.

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Ottawa, April 10th. 1911.

The new agreement for the ^{future} maintenance and management of the Norway House ----- Boarding School, was sent to the Rev. T.E.E. Shore, Secretary of the Methodist Missionary Society of Toronto for his signature on the above date.

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IN REPLY REFER TO DATE OF THIS
LETTER, AND ADDRESS
THE GENERAL SECRETARY
METHODIST MISSION ROOMS
TORONTO.

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The Methodist Church.

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,



Adm
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Toronto, April 13,



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Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letters of April 9th and 10th, and also the forms of agreement re Norway House, Port Simpson Boy's Home, Port Simpson Girl's Home, Kitamaat Boarding School and the Mount Elgin Institute. Mr. Shore, our General Secretary, who is now absent from the office, is expected home in about two weeks, when this matter will receive his immediate attention.

We thank you for the reply and information contained in your letter of April 8th in answer to the enquiry of our General Secretary re a Roman Catholic Boarding School at Norway House.

Extract made
Our attention has been drawn to an item in the "Toronto Globe" of April 11th, which states that a bill to amend the Indian Reserves Act had been introduced by the Government, providing that where a reserve was located in proximity to a growing city and proved an impediment to that community, application might be made to the Court of Exchequer to dispose of the reserve and locate the Indians elsewhere on terms set by the Court. This may be of some interest to us. May we ask you if this would be likely to interfere or have any reference to the reserve near the town of Sarnia? We will appreciate any information relative to this case which you may be able to give us.

I have the honor to be,

Your obedient servant

Allan C. Farrell

Associate Secretary of
Foreign Missions.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,

Sec'y Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

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Mr. J. J. [unclear]
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Ottawa, April 24, 1911.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th instant in which you refer to the agreements to be signed in connection with the management of certain boarding schools conducted under the auspices of the Methodist Church; a letter from the Department in reference to the establishment of a Roman Catholic Boarding school at Norway House; and also asking for information in regard to proposed amendments to the Indian Act.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will await the return of Mr. Shore to execute the agreements and the last part of your communication will be dealt with in a separate letter. In this connection I would remind you that for purposes of filing it is necessary that only one subject be dealt with in each communication to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Allan C. Farrell, Esq.,
Associate Secretary,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Toronto, Ont.

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on file 123-5-1.

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This Agreement made this.....**First**.....
day of.....**April**.....one thousand nine hundred and ~~eleven~~.....by
and between His Majesty The King, represented by the Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs of Canada, of the first part, (hereinafter called the 'Superintend-
ent General') and **Reverend T. Egerton E. Shore, M.A., B.D.,**.....
General Secretary of the Methodist Missionary Society in.....
Canada.....
of the second part, (hereinafter called the.....**"Management"**.....
.....).

WITNESSETH that the said parties have covenanted and agreed, and by
these presents do covenant and agree, to and with each other as follows:—

I. The.....**Management**.....for and
in consideration of the compensation hereinafter named agree:—

1. To support, maintain and educate, in a manner satisfactory to the Super-
intendent General, at the Boarding School at **Norway House, in the North**
West Territories and Dominion of Canada,.....
known as **Norway House Boarding School**.....
not more than **Fifty.. (50)**.....Indian
pupils, and not to allow more than an excess of one pupil for every twenty or
fraction of twenty of the above number of pupils to remain in the said school at
any one time.

2. (a) That no child shall be admitted to the said school who is under seven
years of age.

(b) That no child shall be allowed to remain in the said school who is over
eighteen years of age unless by special permission of the Superintendent General.

3. That no child shall be admitted to the school by the **Management**.....
.....until, where practicable, a physician, to be
named by the Superintendent General, has reported that the child is in good
health and suitable as an inmate of said school, and the Superintendent General
has authorized the acceptance of such child.

4. (a) That no child shall be admitted to the said school without the special
authority of the Superintendent General unless he or she is the child of a duly
enrolled member of.....**a recognized**.....

.....Band of
Indians of the **Norway House Agency**.....~~irregular Band of~~
~~Indians~~ now under the supervision of... **C. C. Calverley**....., Indian Agent.

(b) That no Half-breed child shall be admitted to the said school unless Indian children cannot be obtained to complete the number authorized by Article I, Sec. 1, and Sec. 4 (a) of this agreement, in which event the Superintendent General may in his discretion permit the admission of any Half-breed child; but the Superintendent General will not pay any grant for any such Half-breed pupil provided under Article II, Sec. 1 of this agreement nor any part of the cost of its maintenance or education whatever.

5. That no child who has been in attendance at any other boarding school during the twelve months preceding the date of the application for admission to the said school, though otherwise eligible, shall be admitted to the said school without special authority from the Superintendent General.

6. That the said school shall be conducted under such regulations as may from time to time be approved of by His Excellency the Governor General in Council.

7. To provide for the said school such sufficient number of teachers, officers and employees as may in the opinion of the Superintendent General be necessary for its satisfactory conduct and management.

8. Not to employ except on probation for a period not exceeding six months at said school any teacher or instructor until evidence satisfactory to the Superintendent General has been submitted to him that such teacher or instructor is able to converse with the pupils under his charge in English and is able to speak and write the English language fluently and correctly and possesses such other qualifications as in the opinion of the Superintendent General may be necessary.

9. To provide at the said school teachers and officers qualified to give the pupils religious instruction at proper times; to instruct the male pupils of the said school in gardening, farming, and care of stock, or such other industries as are suitable to their local requirements; to instruct the female pupils in cooking, laundry work, needlework, general housewifery and dairy work, where such dairy work can be carried on; to teach all the pupils in the ordinary branches of an English education; to teach calisthenics, physical drill and fire drill; to teach the effects of alcoholic drinks and narcotics on the human system, and how to live in a healthy manner; to instruct the older advanced pupils in the duties and privileges of British citizenship, explaining to them the fundamental principles of the government of Canada, and training them in such knowledge and appreciation of Canada as will inspire them with respect and affection for the country and its laws.

10. To supply the pupils of the said school to the satisfaction of the Superintendent General with suitable and sufficient clothing, subsistence, lodging accommodations, and all other articles necessary to their personal comfort and safety; also to supply the said school with mechanical tools, seeds and all other articles and equipment necessary for its proper conduct except as hereinafter otherwise provided.

11. To keep the pupils clean and free from vermin both in their clothes and persons.

12. To keep and maintain the school buildings and premises, to supply proper sanitation and sanitary appliances, and to keep the buildings free from flies, insects and vermin.

13. To maintain the buildings at the said school and the school premises when they are the property of the..... **Management**..... in good condition and repair, the whole to the satisfaction of the Superintendent General.

14. To observe appropriately the King's Birthday, Victoria Day, Dominion Day and Thanksgiving Day at the said school.

15. To have school-room exercises on five and industrial exercises on six days in each week, legal holidays excepted; and excepting also a vacation not to exceed one month between the first day of July and the first day of October in each year, unless some other course is expressly sanctioned by the Superintendent General. During the vacation the pupils may, in the discretion of the.....
..... **Management** be permitted to visit their homes, but the Superintendent General will not pay any part of the cost of transportation either going or returning.

16. To make to the Superintendent General such reports upon the said school as he may from time to time require.

17. To permit the Superintendent General and any person or persons named by him for that purpose to inspect the said school, school buildings and premises, and to afford the Superintendent General and such person or persons every facility for making such inspection thorough and complete.

18. To make any change or alteration in the school building or premises or in the management or control of the said school rendered necessary to comply with the intent and spirit of the agreement, and to remove for cause from the said school any teacher, officer, employee or pupil when required so to do by the Superintendent General.

19. Not to assign this contract or any interest therein without first obtaining the written consent of the Superintendent General.

II. The Superintendent General, in consideration of the faithful performance by the..... **Management** of the above covenants and stipulations, agrees:—

1. To pay the..... **Management**
at the rate of.. **One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00)** per annum for each pupil, but the number of pupils so to be paid for shall not exceed **Fifty (50)** ..

..... in accordance with the restrictions hereinbefore set out; the payments shall be made quarterly and each quarterly payment shall be computed on the average attendance of each pupil; provided, however, that the said grant shall be allowed and paid during the vacation; but no payments will be made until returns have been received by the Superintendent General duly certified by the **Indian Agent for the Norway House Agency** that the said school has been maintained and managed according to the true intent and meaning of this contract.

2. To provide the pupils of the said school with medicines, school-books, stationery and school appliances.

3. To maintain the buildings at the said school and the school premises, when they are the property of the Government, in good condition and repair, and provide for proper sanitation and sanitary appliances.

III. The Superintendent General shall have the right to cancel and rescind this contract if in his opinion the..... **Management**..... has failed to comply with any of the covenants and stipulations of this contract by giving six months' notice in writing to the..... **Management**..... and such notice shall be sufficiently served by sending it by registered mail addressed to the **Rev. T. E. E. Shore, M.A., B.D.**..... at **Toronto, Ontario**.....

IV. Pursuant to the statute in that behalf, it is hereby expressly agreed that no member of the House of Commons of Canada shall have any share or part in this agreement or any benefit to arise therefrom.

V. Should the amount voted by Parliament and applicable towards payment by the Superintendent General of the grant for each pupil in the said school hereinbefore provided for or towards payment of anything to be supplied, provided or done by the Superintendent General under this contract, be at any time expended during the continuance of this contract, the Superintendent General may give the..... **Management**..... notice to that effect, and thereafter the..... shall not be entitled to any payment under this contract, and the Superintendent General and His Majesty shall not be liable to supply, provide or do anything under this contract for which the expenditure of money may be necessary, until the necessary funds shall have been voted by Parliament in that behalf, and in no event shall the..... **Management**..... have, make or prefer any claim against the Superintendent General or His Majesty for any damages or compensation.

VI. In this contract the word..... "**Management**"..... shall mean and include the **Rev. T. E. E. Shore, M.A., B.D.**..... and **his successors and assigns**..... and the words 'Superintendent General' shall mean the Superintendent General or acting Superintendent General of Indian Affairs for the time being; and the words 'His Majesty' include His Majesty's heirs and successors.

VII. This contract, unless rescinded by the Superintendent General under the provisions hereinbefore mentioned, shall continue in force for a term of.....

.....**Five (5)**.....years to be computed from the.....**First**.....
day of.....**April**.....**A.D. 1911.**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned have hereunto subscribed their names and affixed their seals the day and year hereinbefore written.

WITNESS:

Winifred Churchill

For the party of the First Part.

James'ally

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

Violet Seriver

For the party of the Second Part.

J. E. Egerton Shore

General Secretary of the
Missionary Society of
the Methodist Church.

DEPARTMENT
OF
INDIAN AFFAIRS

AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

HIS MAJESTY THE KING

AND

Rev. T. E. E. Shore, M.A., B.D.
General Secretary of the
Methodist Missionary Society
..... of Canada.

REGARDING THE

..... Norway House Boarding
SCHOOL.

Dated *First* day of *April* A.D. 19*11*.

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(Schools)

Norway House, July 8th. 1911.

Secretary of Department of
Indian Affairs, Ottawa, Ontario.

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Sir,

Beg to notify you that I have this
forwarded the June Quarters Report for the Norway House Boarding
School to the Office of your Indian Agent here.

I notify you because your Agent has been away
since June 20th. and will not be back till about August 4th. or
5th. and I feared that the Reports lying here so long might dis-
turb your equanimity as the failure of the Post Office Depart-
ment to get a mail through here from March 28th. last to May 30th.
did in connection with the Annual Report.

Yours Sincerely,

J. A. Lausley

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IN REPLY REFER TO DATE OF THIS
LETTER AND ADDRESS
THE GENERAL SECRETARY
MISSION ROOMS
TORONTO.

~~15500T-~~
The Methodist Church, 168918
MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

Toronto, April 13, 1922.

409755

[Handwritten signature]
Dear Sir:

I have your letter of March 25th,
No. 155 001-1, referring to Norway House
Boarding School agreement.

I have had a conference today
with Rev. Thompson Ferrier, and we feel
that in view of the spirit of cooperation
with which the Department is taking up the
matter of buildings and equipment for the
School at Norway House, we are justified
in entering into the agreement respecting
the per capita grant. We are strongly of
the opinion that the circumstances of the
location and cost of supplies at Norway
House justify special consideration.

We assume now that in making
this agreement with the Department, the
per capita grant will continue on the
same basis as at present when the new
building has been completed.

Yours respectfully,

J. E. Egerton Shore
per v.8.
General Secretary.

TEES-VS

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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168918

Ottawa April 24, 1912.

EXD

Rev. Sir,-

I beg to return herewith \ duplicate of the agreement for the future maintenance and management of the Norway House boarding school duly executed by the Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

[Handwritten signature]

Your obedient servant

[Faint stamp]

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

[Handwritten initials]

Rev. T.E. Egerton Shore, M.A., B.D.,
General Secretary
Methodist Missionary Society
Methodist Mission Rooms
Toronto, Ont

168918

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,



Norway House.

Sept 27th 1912. 191

422273

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No.

ALSO

TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,—

Would you kindly inform me what is the Govt Grant to the Boarding School Teachers and also to the Day School Teachers here and at other reserves.

Your obedient servant.

J. G. Stewart.

Indian Agent.

The Secretary.

Dept of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa.



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EXTD.

Ottawa, October 25, 1912.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 27th ultimo I beg to say that the teachers of boarding schools are paid by the church authorities. The Department pays a per capita grant for the maintenance of boarding schools. Day School teachers receive salaries of from \$300.00 to \$500.00 per annum according to their qualifications and experience.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

Assistant Secretary.

J. G. Stewart, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Norway House

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. **I68918/1**

ALSO

TO DATE **Oct. 25th, 1912.**

January, 2nd, 1913. 191

Letter, No, I71.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the above number and date, I beg to state that I note what you say in regard to salaries of teachers of Boarding schools and Day schools.

Your obedient servant,

J. G. Stewart

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Dept of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.



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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools in Canada

168918

Brandon, March 20th., 1913.
Man.



[Handwritten signature]

To the Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,-

433209

I am enclosing to you extracts
from letters received from the Rev. J. A.
Lousley, Principal of the Norway House
Boarding school, relating to the destruction
by fire of that building on the 26th. of
February.

Mr. Ferrier is at present at
the Coast and has asked me to forward you
this information.

Yours sincerely,

EL.

ENC.

E. M. Lee
for T. Ferrier



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Copy.

Norway House, Feb. 26th., 1913.

Rev. T. Ferrier,

Brandon, Man.

Dear Brother Ferrier,-

Our boarding school is gone. Burned to the ground this morning. Started at eleven o'clock. Everybody and nearly everything saved. Some boys clothing and some of the largest stoves and most of the bedsteads lost. Miss DeWolf and Mr. Wildgoose lost everything.

We are fixing up the hospital for staff and girls and have quartered all boys two by two in the native houses around the point and am intending to get the use of that H. B. Co's building here for boys dormitory and can keep classes going and will be able I think to make things fairly comfortable for all in a few days.....

Copy.

Norway House, Feby. 27th., 1913.

Rev. T. Ferrier, etc. etc.

Dear Brother Ferrier,

It occurred to me to-day that I had not given you any account of the origin of the fire in my hasty note yesterday. You see the fire broke out at eleven o'clock and I was on the scene until after two fighting the fire, getting out the contents of the school storing it all and getting a place for each child to go for shelter and food. The mail closing at six at the Fort made me somewhat hurried.

The fire started in the Northwest room upstairs which had been occupied by Miss DeWolf. On leaving to go to classes she left some wood in the stove and at about eleven o'clock she sent a girl to renew the fire, inside of ten minutes from that time it was impossible to enter her room on account of the dense smoke filling it. There was no person in that part of the building at the time. Boys all in school with Miss DeWolf and Mr. Chapman, girls and staff that were in the building were all either in the kitchen or the sewing room. Mr. Kerley had gone out to the bush to measure wood. Mr. Wildgoose was just coming up with the horses and a load of wood. The people nearest to the room were in the infirmary, one of our girls and Rebecca Frank. The smoke traversed two rooms and into theirs and burst upon them quite suddenly and they gave the alarm. The big bell was rung

at once and we all, as well as neighbors, gathered quickly, but not one of us was able to get into the room to do anything. Miss Armstrong, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Wildgoose, and myself all tackled it in turn but were driven back. We tried to get at it through the window but flames scorched Mr. Wildgoose as he lifted the window. So we closed the rooms as best we could and started getting out the sick people and goods. You will remember that in order to get at the door of the room one had to pass through that narrow dark hall leading from the head of the boys stairs past the room previously occupied by Mr. Bolster. Then we found the door locked and from the first that hall was dense with smoke and one could not breathe in it but had to hold their breath while passing through it and doing anything at the fire. I had run up from here as fast as I could and so could not hold my breath for more than a few seconds at a time.

We hurried all children outside, took the three sick ones to the nearest native house, and had a crowd of the staff and grown up people throwing out the bedding, clothing and furniture. Then the food stuffs from the pantry, the supplies from the office and the stoves. Meanwhile the children and women were carrying the stuff away from the building to a safe distance. By the time we had the south end cleared the north end had fallen in but we wrenched off doors and cupboards that were nailed to the walls. The flames were now shooting clear across to the ice house and we were cut off from our freshly killed beef. Woodshed with about twenty cord of wood ready for the stove could not be saved.

We had the animals turned out of the stable and a guard set to prevent it from catching fire and so saved the stable and other building close to it, the root house.

The wind was very cold and quite a few of us were nipped about the face and hands but none seriously. Myself, Mrs. Lousley, and Mr. Chapman had ears frozen. Mrs. Denny and Mr. Wildgoose had feet bitten.

We at once started to fix up the vacant hospital building which the Indian agent put at our disposal and also the old store belonging to the H. B. Co. We will be able to put all the boys to sleep in the latter building and also three of the male members of the staff. Here, too, we can store clothing and supplies and do out office work. The kitchen, sewing room, dining room, and girls dormitory will be in the former building. In this way we will be able to keep the school going. The building burned on Wednesday and we will be able to start classes again on Monday, I think.

This will demonstrate to you at once the absolute necessity of having our main store house separate from the school building. We are still able to go on with the work because of the one fact of having our supplies at a safe distance.

.....

Of the staff Miss DeWolf and Mr. Wildgoose are the heaviest losers. Mr. Chapman and Mr. Keith next. The two former lost everything that they owned in the country except the clothes they wore and as they were at their daily work at the time you will understand that it was not their best that was saved. Miss DeWolf's loss was heavy because it was in her room that the fire started and not one of us succeeded in entering her room before the after the fire was discovered. Mr. Chapman's room was next but he succeeded in hauling out his trunks, but lost nearly everything else. Mr. Wildgoose's room was next and while it was thick with smoke had access to it but hearing me call for workers to clear the boys dormitory which was in most danger he left his own things and never thought of them afterwards. He lost by saving the school property.

3.

This is the second big loss sustained by Bro. Wildgoose this winter. In the burning of the Oxford House Mission he lost about two hundred dollars worth of goods which were stored there on their way to God's Lake.

I cannot speak too highly of the efforts of staff and neighbors. All worked to their utmost and obeyed others wonderfully well. The Chief of the band appeared on the scene soon and although he was just recovering from rheumatism he gave himself freely to help look after things and see that the goods were housed and the children cared for.

We have started classes again to-day, which means only three days loss of time. The girls and staff are quartered fairly comfortably in the building used last winter as a hospital while the boys are still by twos at the native houses close around the mission. We expect to have them all in the Hudson's Bay Company store which the Company kindly put at our disposal, within a few days. We will in this way be able to carry on the entire work of the school with but small modifications in some ways occasioned by the cramped nature of our ~~condition~~.position.

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Yours sincerely,

Sgd. J. A. Lousley.

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Ottawa, April 2, 1913.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th ultimo enclosing a communication from the Principal of the Norway House Boarding giving details as to the destruction of the building by fire.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. MOLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

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Rev. T. Herrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

Brandon, June 21st., 1913.
Man.



To the Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

39986

Dear Sir,-

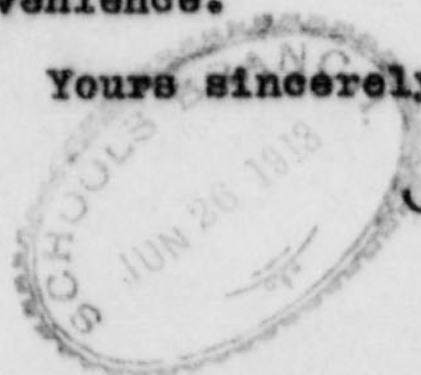
Rev. Mr. Lousley of Norway House has been here attending the Conference, and he informs me that great difficulties have been experienced in carrying on the work, so much so that he fears the opening of the school until the new building is completed. When he dismisses them for holidays some of them will cost the management for their keep until the time of their return to the school. The management is not in a position to forego the quarter's per capita grant. The school has cost over \$5,000 during the past year over and above the per capita grant. What I would like would be that permission be given by the Department for the dismissal of the pupils until the new school is built and ready for occupancy, and at the same time the Department pay the per capita grant for the pupils that are enrolled at the present time and who are not to be discharged during this coming summer.

Let me have the mind of the Department upon this at your earliest convenience.

Yours sincerely,

EL.

TF.



T. Herrier

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Return to Mr. Schools.

Ottawa, June 27, 1913.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st instant in which you state that you are advised by Mr. Lousley, Principal of the Norway House Boarding School, that it is not his intention to re-open the school until the new building is put up and asking that the Department pay the per capita grant for the pupils remaining on the roll.

In reply I beg to say that the Department regrets that it is impossible to comply with your request, as under the terms of the agreement for the maintenance and management of this school the per capita grant can only be paid for the actual time the school is in operation. However, the grant will be paid for one month, the usual summer holidays, over and above the June quarters earnings. As you are aware the grant is paid on the quarterly returns, which have to be submitted to the Auditor. As there would be no returns the Auditor would take exception to any payment.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLENNAN

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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*The Sec. Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.*

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168918- July 3rd. 1913.
Norway House
The Sec. Dept. Ind. Affairs, Ottawa! Ont.
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Sir,
The reports of Norway House
Boarding School, & Medical Dispensary, are
ready to be forwarded to you but your
agent is away & not likely to be
home till Aug. 7th. What shall I
do?
Yours sincerely,
J. A. Lousley

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Ottawa, July 16, 1913.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your post card of the 3rd instant, and in reply I beg to say that it will not be necessary to hold the quarterly school report for the return of the Indian Agent, but the Department would like to have the report of medical dispensing forwarded through his office.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEANS

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. J. A. Lousley,
Principal,
Norway House Boarding School,
Norway House, Man.

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Rev. T. Herrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Missions in Canada

168918-1

Brandon, August 16th., 1913.
Man.

To the Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

443430

Dear Sir,-

When out at Norway House the question of continuing the work of the day schools and the boarding school was considered very carefully by the Principal, Mr. Lousley, and myself. We concluded that it would be a mistake to allow these children, especially those who are from such places as Oxford House, God's Lake and Island Lake, to return to their homes for a year, so we have arranged for them to be kept in the homes of the people.

Mr. Lousley and I went over their needs from the food point of view and made out a list of rations that we thought should be given each week to those keeping the children. The clothing will cost us more than if made in the school, in-as-much as we will have to buy it ready made.

We are retaining two male officers at a salary of \$600 each, one to look after a team of horses, and cattle, secure a stock of wood for the coming year, and attend to all other outside duties. The second man will have his time largely occupied in looking after and distributing these rations as they will be needed from day to day. It will cost the management fully as much, if not more, per pupil, to look after the children in this way than if they were kept in a properly equipped building. This was about the only solution we were able to arrive at as soon as we discovered that it was impossible to complete the new building this year.

The Quarterly Reports will be sent in as usual by the Principal and I trust that the usual grant will be paid by the Department for the coming year.

Yours sincerely,

EL.
TF.

T. Herrier

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Ottawa, August 21, 1913.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th instant, and in reply I beg to say that the Department approves of the arrangements made by you and Mr. Lousley for the care of the children at Norway House and payment will be made upon receipt of the usual quarterly returns.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Hospitals in Canada

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Brandon, August 15th., 1913.
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To the Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,-

I have just returned from Norway House. I enclose you copy of a letter I am sending to your architect, Mr. Matthews.

I trust that the Department will see that the architect is sent up there to decide the exact site that the building shall be built on. I see no other way for a satisfactory solution and there is no one else that will assume the responsibility.

Yours sincerely,

EL.
TF.
ENC.

T. Ferrier

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August 15th., 1913.

Mr. H. Matthews,
Architect, Public Works Department,
Winnipeg, Man.

443276

Dear Mr. Matthews,-

I tried to reach you by phone when passing through Winnipeg on Monday last on my return from Norway House.

The site selected for the boarding school presents the problem of blasting rock. My own thought in looking at it is, to make the basement as frost proof as possible that at least three feet of rock ought to be blasted out in most of the basement for a proper depth. This of course would depend entirely upon what you make the grade line, but I would not like to see the building go on that site unless it went deeper than what appears to be possible without blasting rock. Should it be decided to build on that without blasting rock a cement wall on the south and west sides some six feet from the building, sufficiently high to fill in with earth and using it for a flower bed would overcome the difficulty of frost.

The old school being burned and the old site clear, if the problem of sewage, drainage for the basement and water supply can be successfully solved, the old site has certainly many advantages. Or, it might be that if the building were placed about 150 yards further North than the old site right in the middle of the potato patch and directly west of the stables the problem might be as easily solved from there as on the old site and removing the objection that the present Principal has to having their playground next to the public road where they have been considerably bothered with men passing to and fro and having an opportunity of conversing with the pupils of the school. If that field were used for the site and play ground the south end of the present playground could be utilized for a garden.

Mr. Bunn, the Inspector, suggests the ground used for the first time as a garden and situated between the old building belonging to the Hudson Bay Company and the Mission House. To my mind this has two or three serious objections. One is it is too low. Another is there is not sufficient

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play ground room. And another, it would be too close to a number of other buildings in case of fire.

Now that the old building is burned, I would not assume the responsibility of stating where the new building should be built. Mr. Snyder, on behalf of the contractors, would not assume this responsibility. In my judgment, you, being the architect, should decide the spot upon which the new building should be erected. In order to do so it will be absolutely necessary for you to go to Norway House. This is not only my opinion, but it is the opinion of Mr. Snyder and Mr. Little.

Can you inform me as to the whereabouts of Dr. Roche? I saw in the public press before going North that he was to visit the West, but have not noticed anything since my return.

I would like to hear from you.

Yours sincerely, .

E.L.
T.F.

NIGHT LETTER

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SEND the following NIGHT LETTER subject
to the terms printed on the back hereof,
which are hereby agreed to.

Ottawa, August 20, 1913.

H. E. Matthews,
Architect,
Public Works, Canada,
Winnipeg, Man.

[Handwritten signature]
Department has copy of letter sent you by Mr.
Carrier. Can you arrange to visit Norway House as suggested?
If so advise Department when.

J. D. McLean.

[Handwritten initials]
Charge to Dept. of I.A.

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Ottawa, October 30, 1913.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 23rd instant I beg to inform you that the Department approves of the site selected by yourself and Mr. Matthews for the new boarding school at Norway House.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
STEWART

Assistant Secretary.

[Handwritten initials]
J. R. Bunn, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg, Man.

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Ottawa, October 30, 1913.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 4th instant I beg to inform you that the Department approves of the site selected by yourself and Mr. Inspector Bunn for the new boarding school at Norway House.

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SS
Your obedient servant,

own
STEWART

Assistant Secretary.

H. E. Matthews, Esq.,
Architect,
Public Works, Canada,
Winnipeg, Man.

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Extract from Agent's Report on the Norway House
(Meth) Boarding School for the month of November,
1914. Original on File 168918-7

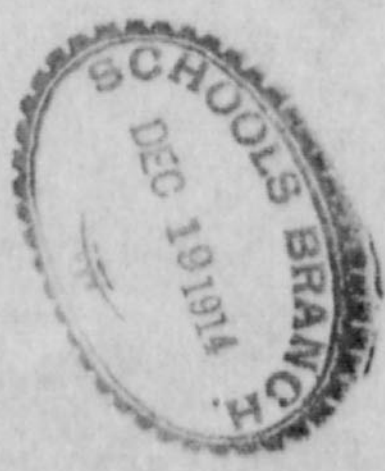
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At present there is no duly qualified teacher appointed for this school by the Methodist Church authorities, Assistant Principal Mr. Jones has assumed these duties for the present. I trust that this will be remedied next term, and that a certified teacher will be appointed for the education of the pupils of this school. There are fifty one resident pupils in the school at present.

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Sgd. J. G. Stewart,
Indian Agent



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Ottawa, December 21, 1914.

Rev. Sir,-

Mr. Agent Stewart in his report on the Norway House Boarding School states that at present there is no duly qualified teacher appointed for this school and that the assistant principal, Mr. Jones, has assumed these duties for the present.

The Department trusts that you will be able to provide a qualified teacher for this school in the near future.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLELLAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

Rev. T. Herrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian and Hospitals in Canada

168918

Brandon, December 28/14.
Man.



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The Secretary Department,
Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

414145

Dear Sir/-

Replying to your favor of the 21st, No. 163918/2,
re the teacher for the Boarding School at Norway House,
as the Department is aware, we were not sure that the school
would be open for work until late in the fall, so we would
not engage a teacher until we were sure that we were
needing one.

I may say that Mr. Jones, who is assistant Principal
is an ordained Minister of the Methodist Church, and quite
able to look after the interests of the school-room until
mid-summer, when we will see that a teacher is placed in
charge.

Yours sincerely,

T. Herrier

TF/JM.

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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

168918-1
Brandon, December 18, 1914.

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Duncan C. Scott,
Deputy Superintendent General,
Indian Affairs, Ottawa.



Dear Sir:-

You will remember when I was in your office, I put in a request for the per capita grant for the Norway House Boarding School, being raised from One Hundred to One Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars. I have waited up to the present to see how the accounts will stand for the year. I have before me at the present time, accounts amounting to about \$10,000 for settlement. These goods have been purchased and sent in to supply the School until next July, over and above this there will be the salary of the staff to pay which will amount to over Four Thousand Dollars. It is true that in some lines, there may be more goods purchased than will actually be needed until next June, but it will take between \$14,000.00 and \$15,000 annually for maintenance, with an attendance of eighty pupils. You will see from this that if the Government pay only \$8000.00, the balance is more than our Church is willing to assume. I would suggest that this school be placed in the northern class for the following reasons:-

1st. All our fuel has to be cut and hauled such a great distance from the school that it costs just about as much for fuel as though we were in the heart of Manitoba.

2nd. The freight. All goods purchased in Winnipeg have three distinct freight rates, first, the local rate from Winnipeg to Selkirk via train, second, from Selkirk to Warren's Landing via boat, and third, from Warren's Landing to Norway House. Putting these rates together, the cost of freighting and transport comes very high.

3rd. Food and Clothing at Norway House. The people have been in close touch with civilization through fishing, freighting, and visitation, consequently they are using food and clothing that is copied largely from the white man's standard, rather than that of the Indian people, and we cannot satisfy them in a school of this kind by feeding and clothing them on what might be called "native production." So a school situated at Norway House has all the disadvantages of being isolated from the base of supply, and has nothing of the advantages of Indian habits and customs to offset the expenditure for maintenance.

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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
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I sincerely hope that the Department will place this school in the Northern class on a per capita grant of One Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars.

Yours respectfully,

T. Ferrier

TF/JM.

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January 19th. 1915.

Dear Mr. Ferrier,

I have your letter of the 18th. ultimo, and have given careful consideration to your request that the Indian boarding school at Norway House be classed in the Northern district, and your representations, in view of the location of the school, as to the cost of management, etc., and have decided to accede to your request. The school will be ranked in the Northern division from the 1st. January, 1915, and a grant paid at the rate of \$125.00 per capita from that date.

Wm. C. M.
Yours sincerely,*W. C. M.*
Deputy Superintendent General.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent of Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL

OTTAWA

January 19th. 1915.

MEMORANDUM

Schools Branch -

Please note letter hereunder placing the Norway House boarding school in the Northern division from the 1st. January, 1915.

Rev. Father Cahill, Winnipeg, should be written to and informed that the Norway House Roman Catholic school will also be placed in this class from the same date and for similar reasons, and that when the school is moved to Cross Lake, the grant will be continued at the rate of \$125.00 per capita.

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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools in Canada

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Brandon, January 28, 1915.
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[Handwritten signature]

Duncan C. Scott,
Deputy Superintendent General,
Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

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Dear Mr. Scott/

Replying to yours of the 19th No. 168918/1
re the proposition to place the Norway House Boarding School in
the Northern division, and to give a grant of \$125.00 per pupil.
This will be very satisfactory and on behalf of the Methodist
Church, I extend you my sincere thanks for the same.

Yours sincerely,

T. Ferrier

TF/JM.

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SEPERATE REPORT ON COMPLAINTS, INDIAN BOARDING SCHOOL,
NORWAY HOUSE, JAN, 6th, 1915.

Sir,

I beg to forward a report on certain complaints that have been brought to my notice in regard to the children of the Norway House Indian Boarding School. There are quite a few complaints from Indians respecting the clothing of the children the food given to them, and also that the children are not kept free from vermin.

Regarding the clothing, I examined one set of girl's clothing with Mr Lousley the principal, which had been sent back by Joseph Papanakis, an Indian belonging to the Norway House Band. I found that the clothing supplied this man's girl was of fairly good quality and would be considered warm, the petticoat was wool²en knitted, the dress was made of some half wool¹en material, the other parts of the clothing were of some kind of flannellette, with the exception of a gingham over apron. A warm jacket of some other kind of material for outdoors was also supplied the girl and a pair of wool²en mitts.

This man Joseph Papanakis was allowed to have his girl home for the week end, to be returned on Monday in time for school, but instead of returning the girl, he sent the clothing back with a message to Mr Lousley that he was taking his girl out of the school, owing to being poorly clad and infested with vermin. Mr Lousley then informed me that this man intended to take his girl away and keep her, and also asked me to come and personally examine the clothing sent back, which I did in the presence of Mr Lousley. I consider that the clothing^g supplied was quite good enough, and that Papanakis should not have taken the stand he did, without having a personal talk over the objections he had to his girl staying away from the school, with Mr Lousley.

- To understand the situation thoroughly, I must tell you that the complainant is a son of the late Revd Edward Papannakis, a life long missionary amongst the people of this district.
- Joseph Papannakis therefore expects that his children when placed in the school, will be better dressed than the other Indian children. Mr Lousley does not wish to encourage this kind of thing, but wishes to treat all the school children upon equal terms in the matter of dress and clothing.

Possibly the man may have objected to his girl having come home in a verminous state, when he had sent her to the school perfectly clean and free from vermin, Mr Lousley acknowledges this. Another man made the same complaint when his boy went home for a night, his mother discovered that he was infested with vermin likewise, and that the mitts he was wearing were very much worn out and not fit for the cold weather. The mitts were brought to my office by the father of the boy and I must say that they were at the last stages of being wearable. Nevertheless, after I had explained to the man how his boy had become verminous, and that Mr Lousley was then having all the children examined and cleaned, this man decided to allow his boy to go back to the school. Regarding the mitts I told him that Mr Lousley would give the boy another pair of mitts, if these were the only ones he had. I told this man that perhaps a little of the blame should be laid to the boy, in not having shewn the Assistant Principal or Matron the condition of his mitts, for if they had seen them, they certainly would have seen to the boy having proper mitts.

Regarding the complaints about the food, I find that while the children have great expectations as to the amount of different foods they should be fed, I must say that Mr Lousley is giving them good and substantial food, and in sufficient quantities. The menu consists of porridge and bread and butter with tea for breakfast, for dinner, soup, fish or meat, vegetables at times or potatoes, with bread and butter, supper consists of bread and butter and tea, which I think is about as good as can be expected. At times owing to the fish

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being frozen when brought to the kitchen, they are cleaned in their frozen state, cut up and cooked without being able to tell whether the fish was sound or not. It was in this way that sometimes the fish that were cooked, proved to be unsound and so provoked complaints. Mr Lousley has rectified this manner of cooking the fish, by having the fish brought in the evening before so as to allow the fish to be thawed sufficiently to tell if they are all right for cooking and eating purposes. The complaints of the bad food are not personal complaints, but seem to be a general topic with the Indians. They must have something to talk about and that is the way I look at it.

The Revd Mr Lousley has been Principal of the boarding school for some years now and should know the requirements of the children under his care, better than do the children who tell these stories to their parents or to people visiting them.

In the matter of the vermin infesting the children, I beg to state that it was through no fault of Mr Lousley's, as the children were being brought into the school daily for a time from all parts of this district, and some of them were in a terrible condition in regard to dirt and vermin. Presumably the children who were clean and ^{well} came in contact with these children, before they were thoroughly free from vermin, gave them to the clean children, and this is how this complaint originated. Mr Lousley hopes to have this evil remedied as soon as possible by careful examination of each pupil daily and seeing that they are thoroughly free from vermin.

My particular reason for going into these complaints so fully, against the school authorities by the parents of these children, is, that this man Joseph Papannakis is setting a bad example to other parents or guardians by taking his girl from the school in this offhand manner, and one does not know where it will end, as on the slightest provocation or complaint of

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of the children to their parents or guardians, they will be wanting to take their children away from the school also. "Was the man justified in his action, taking his girl without first consulting with the principal," I know that I can use legal means to have the girl returned to the school, but Mr Lousley hardly cares to resort to these measures, as it might make matters worse instead of improving matters between the Principal of the school and the Indians. This matter I wish the Department to decide, whether it would be best to take the child back to the school by legal force or let the matter rest. I think perhaps that it would be advisable to allow the girl, for the present, to stay at home, until Mr Lousley, this man and myself can have a personal interview, and see what can be arranged.

The girl's name was

is Maggie Jane Papannakis, her application was forwarded with ten other applications for admission, and has since been approved, Dept letter, No, 168918/10, December, 18th, 1914. Her name I presume should be struck off the register if not returned to the school.

Your obedient servant,

J. H. Stewart

Indian Agent.



The Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, February 16, 1915.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your report on the complaints made by some Norway House Indians in regard to the Methodist boarding school there.

In reply I beg to say with regard to the case of Joseph Papabakis, who removed his daughter from the school and has refused to send her back, that the Department agrees with you that it would be best to allow the girl to remain home at present until you and Mr. Lousley have a personal interview with her father and try and arrange matters amicably. If after this interview Papanakis is still unwilling to send his daughter back you may proceed against him under the regulations and have her returned to the school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. G. Stewart, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Feb. 16, 1915.

Sir,

In reference to the Papannakis school girl affair, I beg to state that Mr Lousley is away to Berens River to fetch up five children for the school, and I will await his return to Norway House, when we both can interview Joseph Papannakis in a friendly manner. I was speaking to Mr Lousley just before he left for Berens River about this case, and he agreed with me that it was better to use all lawful means to have the girl returned to the school, as it might have a bad effect on the other parents and guardians placing their children in school.

Your obedient servant,

J. G. Stewart

Indian Agent.



The Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
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Extract from Agents quarterly report on the Norway House
Boarding School for the quarter ended March 31, 1915.
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Requirements of Staff.

The staff of a school of this kind is to my mind the most important part to be considered. Without an efficient staff the school would be merely reduced to the plane of boarding house for indigent children. This, I look upon as not being the intention of the Department, but that the Department expects that the children attending such a school, will receive a capable and useful education necessary to them in after life, so that the children will absorb new ideas and transmit these ideas in a still greater degree to their children coming after them. Thus will education be a benefit and a blessing to them eventually. At present the staff is totally inadequate to the number of children admitted and in residence. Two teachers of good reputation and with a natural aptitude for educating Indians, should be carefully selected by the mission authorities. One of these teachers has been appointed in the person of Rev. Mr. Wright, and if the other selection is like unto the first, then the school would have a very competent teaching staff.

An assistant matron might also be provided as the matron alone cannot possibly give her best attention to the whole of her manifold duties without the assistance of another capable woman. The supervision of all the dormitories and laundry being too much for one person to give complete satisfaction.

A suitable cook capable of teaching others how to cook should also be selected, many cooks can be hired to ~~xxxx~~ cook and yet not be able to impart any information to the young girls, which is one of the best and most important

parts of their education in schools of this kind. Therefore careful consideration should be given to this branch of the girls education by selecting a competent cook and also give practical ideas of how and in which way cookery should be conducted, above all cleanliness in everything.

A practical handy man should also be engaged, who can be of the greatest benefit to the boys, one who has a knowledge of gardening, tree culture and of laying out garden plots, a knowledge of carpentering, house building as well as boat building. This man would give the education of the boys the most practical benefit that they could derive and be one of the most useful members of the staff belonging to the school.

This matter of reporting to the members of the staff has been asked for by the principal, and he is of the ~~same~~ opinion that the school is very deficient in the matter of a proper and efficient staff to conduct the school. Mr. Lousley would urge the Department to bring this matter before the Mission or Church authorities and urge them to secure such a staff as I have outlined. Without the co-operation of such a staff, Mr. Lousley is inclined to think that the school would retrograde and would do an incalculable amount of harm to the future advancement and prosperity of the school. Many of the pupils have been admitted to the school by the parents asking that an education beyond what has been given to their children previously, will be given their children now, if the school authorities fail to do this by not having an efficient working staff, then the school will be doomed to a miserable failure and the authorities will have themselves to blame for it.

Sgd. J. G. Stewart,

Agent

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1 by Minister
2 by Secretary

Ottawa, 10th May 1915.

Sir,-

With reference to the portion of your report of the Norway House Boarding School for the Quarter ending March 31st 1915 regarding school land and property, I beg to enclose for your information a plan of a portion of the Norway House Indian Reserve on which is shown coloured in red, the Boarding School site, consisting of about 40 acres.

This site has not been surveyed nor have the limits ever been cut out. However as the old school lot was fenced and as those limits or lines at right angles to them are used as limits, there should be no difficulty in ascertaining the approximate boundaries of the lands in question.

With regard to the strip 100ft in width, which Mr. Lousley requests to have added to the 40 acres, which the Indians have consented to allow to be used for the purpose of the Norway House school, I may say that you have not given the exact location of this strip but it is presumed that it is in the vicinity of the day school building.

It is desirable that the Norway House Band be asked for their consent before this be added to the lands to be used by the Boarding School. If such consent were obtained, this strip of land would then be in a similar position to the rest of the land included in the school site.

Your obedient servant,

J.G. Stewart Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

(8d) J.D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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to how they should conduct themselves when at play or in school. I trust the Department will bring this matter of having a sufficient and capable staff for the next term before Mr. Ferrier, and until this is done, this school ~~will~~ will be very backward, for without a complete and competent staff, they cannot hope to bring out the best there is in these children, also truancy will always have to be contended with.

I inspected the class-room and found it clean and orderly, the school material being fair, but not much discipline was exacted from the pupils. I cannot say that I was very much impressed with what I saw and heard. The assistant Principal, Mr. Jones, has done all he can, but the number of children is too large for any one teacher to make a success. I also inspected the boarding school pupils under Miss DeWolf's management. There are 44 pupils under her charge besides about 20 day scholars. This is also far too large a number for Miss DeWolf to attend to, and I would recommend in future, that no more boarding school pupils be allowed to attend the day school. There are two class-rooms for the boarding School and all they want is capable teachers for them. I wish Miss de Wolf to give her whole and undivided attention to her day scholars in the future, if the Department will authorize it. Then the day scholars will have the full benefit of Miss de Wolf's care and attention, and as she is one of the finest and most efficient teachers here, her scholars should turn out to be useful men and women when they grow up.

I cannot report any progress as a whole, some of the pupils but very few, seem to be getting along fairly well while the others remain as they were. The usual routine of studies are followed as closely as possible, the behaviour of the boys is only fair, that of the girls is better.

Sgd. J. G. Stewart Indian Agent

escapes. There have others who ran away but these were immediately returned by their fathers. Boys and girls when released at recess and at the end of the school day to play, should have a male and a female teacher with them constantly to supervise them in their play hours and not allow them to roam wherever they like. This should be carried out with great strictness by the school authorities as the boys at present are given too much freedom. They go about where they like and in fact do what they like and all this from ~~an~~ want of proper supervision. The boys' teacher should be constantly with them. A female teacher or attendant of the school, of which there are none on hand, should be with the girls and organize them into little cheerful groups at different games, but this is not done as there is no one to do it, so the girls have to consider their own ways of amusing themselves, which are far from being approved.

All of this I must state could not be accomplished in the first term of the school, as no staff had been available for the time. The school I suppose being backward to go to any extent were sufficient pupils in the school to warrant a staff. In my previous report, I outlined the school but I think I did not do it justice. Boys and girls should have a female teacher constantly. For the older boys there should be a male teacher with good certificates and references. For the girls a lady teacher with the same qualifications. The outdoor life of these children should be exercised a wise and beneficial manner. Their language, their expression, their behaviour and general toning up and to

Since this boy has been admitted to the school, he has given a great deal of trouble by continually escaping from the school through various ruses. He has broken out of dormitories, play-rooms, has escaped from boys who had him tied with rope. The last time he was brought to the school a few days ago by his father, I mentioned to the father that it was impossible to keep his boy, unless he was tied up in some manner. To this he objected. The father then took the boy to the school, had his dinner and after dinner ^{was} reported by his father as missing, fortunately his father caught him before he had gone very far. The boy was then placed in school until four o'clock, and at five he was away again and has not yet returned. What should be done with this boy? It seems impossible to keep him, yet the school authorities don't like to admit defeat. The boy is considered by some people to be wanting in the upper weeks. Miss DeWolf, his teacher, considers he is quite a bright boy and thinks nothing is wrong with the boy, except that he finds school life irksome, "a true savage of the wilds" I have seen the boy several times, and I would say that there is nothing in his appearance to denote that he is mentally unbalanced, he looks to be rather the opposite. Dr. Norquay has pronounced him fit, physically, and he looks it. I think that the boy cannot stand restraint or wont, (perhaps it is the better word) as he is that way at home, and if very annoyed takes himself with his bow and arrow to the bush and there stays away for two or three days at a time giving his parents great anxiety when he does that. Now the best and most logical reasons of his frequent escapes is that the school is understaffed. These boys and girls when let out of school to play have practically no one outside to supervise them, this being the case it is a wonder that there are not more

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MONTHLY REPORT OF THE NORWAY HOUSE BOARDING SCHOOL

APRIL 30, 1915.

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Sir,-

I beg to submit the following report for the month of April, 1915, on the Indian Boarding School at Roseville, Norway House Agency.

I duly inspected the building and found that it was kept clean and orderly. I think that there are too many children in it from a health point of view, but, this, Mr. Lousley, the Principal, seems to think is not so, and is desirous of recruiting until he has 100 resident pupils. I would recommend that no more than that number be admitted as perhaps that is too many. Mr. Lousley would then require permission from the Department to recruit up to that number. Altogether there are 87 pupils who are resident. When all assembled Mr. Lousley would require only two more boys and 11 girls to make up the required 100 pupils, as per list attached to report.

If allowed by the Department to keep up this number, then Mr. Lousley should be permitted to recruit when discharges or deaths take place, so as to keep the school at full strength.

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REGARDING FREDERICK HALCRO #100.

This is the boy marked absent as an "escaped".

Since.

Ottawa, June 5, 1915.

Rev. Sir,-

I beg to enclose herewith a copy of Mr. Agent Stewart's report on the Norway House Boarding School for month of April, last.

You will see that he states that Mr. Lousley, the Principal, is desirous of bringing up the number of pupils to 100 and that there are already 87 in residence. The building is only adapted for 80 pupils, the number provided for, and this number should not be exceeded under the present accommodation.

With reference to Frederick Halcro, No. 100, who is a persistent deserter and can only be retained in the school by tying him up, I beg to say that if no other means of retaining him can be devised he had better be discharged, as the Department does not approve of this mode of keeping him in the school. Perhaps gentler treatment might have a more salutary effect and it might be well to try it in this case.

Mr. Agent Stewart's remarks as to the lack of supervision given to the pupils should receive your careful attention.

You will also notice that Mr. Stewart claims that the teacher of the day school has more pupils than she can properly accommodate, owing to the boarding school pupils attending the day school. This could be remedied by providing teachers

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

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teachers in the boarding school, which has class-rooms provided for this purpose.

The Department would like you to take the suggestions made in Mr. Stewart's report up with the Principal of the school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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Norway House, Man. May 25th. 1915

Hen. Duncan Scott,

Deputy Superintendent General,

Of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, Ont.,

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Dear Sir,

Yours of April 24th. re

deficiency of management in the Norway House Boarding School with respect to the training of boys in manual work and gardening operations reached me yesterday. In reply allow me to say that your informant must be either very ignorant of the conditions or malicious in his designs because of the following facts. We have not one square acre of ground available for gardening purposes. We have not up to date been given possession of one square foot of land except the old school site and right in the middle of our largest garden which pertained to the old school the new school was placed so that we have from one quarter to one half of an acre left in the smaller old garden.

I have repeatedly drawn the attention of your Agents here and Rev. T. Ferrier, the Superintendent of Indian Education of the Methodist Church to these things and urged immediate action but without avail. When Mr. Mclean, your Surveyor, was here about five years ago enlarging this Reserve I appealed to your Agent then to get it settled and surveyed for me, I also urged Mr. Ferrier specially at that time to have it put through and appealed to Mr. Mclean but nothing was done. When the new school was to be built the Indians agreed to give forty acres for our use but no marks were set, no boundaries given and I appealed to your Agents to locate this land or give me map or drawings by which I could locate it but without avail. But even had I been able to locate this land it is all either bush or unbroken sod and unfenced and so unusable till such time as it can be cleared, fenced and broken up. This, I assure you will be done and in the shortest order possible when the Department provide me

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with location, and fencing.

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Secondly we, since the old school burned down, have not had any boys available for work till last October when it was too late to do any work in the garden -ing line and as it is only two weeks ago now that we could do anything in the gardens this Spring you will see that when your informant wrote you we had not yet had the slightest chance to do anything in this way.

Then as to doing carpentering or other such work we have no Carpenter Shop. No carpenter, to instruct the boys, and up to this Spring we have had no work for them to do.

So from these facts you will see that ignorance of a culpable sort, malice or that which inspires a child to babble has been the moving power of your informant.

I assure you, Sir, that I am glad to have this opportunity of bringing our needs in these directions to your notice believing from the substance and tone of your letter that you will see to it that we receive the much needed and long desired facilities for carrying on these branches of our work. I assure you that I am heart and soul in sympathy with your ideas as expressed in your letter.

I received on same mail as your letter one from Mr. Ferrier informing me that a grant had been made for improvements at last session and as I had sent in a request for a Carpenters Shop I presume we will have one in the near future and we will be able to realize part of our cherished plans for the education and advancement of these people.

Yours Sincerely,

J. A. Lousley.
Principal of Norway House
Boarding School.

June 7th. 1915.

Dear Mr. Ferrier,

I beg to enclose herewith copy of communication which I have just received from the Reverend Principal of the Norway House boarding school in reply to the letter sent him at your suggestion in regard to gardening operations at that institution. I should be pleased to have your comments on this communication.

Yours very truly,

Duncan
Deputy Superintendent General.

Rev. T. Ferrier,

Principal,

Elkhorn Industrial School,

Elkhorn, Man.



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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

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Brandon June 11th, 1915.
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To the

Secretary of the Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Can.

Dear Sir:-

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Replying to yours of the 5th, # 168918-1,
re Mr. Stewart's report on the Norway House Boarding
School for the month of April, the contents of this
report will be discussed with Mr. Lousley when he
comes in to the Conference next week.

Mr. Stewart points out what the Department
is already familiar with, namely, that it was doubtful
if the school would be opened last fall, and it was
impossible to anticipate just what ought to be sent
in in the way of a staff. Navigation closed before
the school was really opened. I hope that all these
matters can be adjusted satisfactorily for the coming
year's work.

As to the number of pupils, I discussed this
when I was in the Department with Mr. Scott. It came
up in connection with Mr. Lousley's request to have
the school enlarged to hold 160 pupils. He stated
that he had already an attendance of 90 and could
accommodate 100 by using a room on the top flat for
a dormitory for small children. This number of
pupils could be easily reached by the number of app-
lications he had before him. As I understood it,
the arrangement between Mr. Scott and myself was that
the number was to be 100. In harmony with this arr-
angement I notified Mr. Lousley that he would be safe
in recruiting up to 100 but not beyond that number.
Your letter is not clear as to whether 80, 87 or 100
is to be the limit. If it is the latter, it is quite
satisfactory.

Yours sincerely,

T. Ferrier

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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Sir,—

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated April, 24, 1915, in reference to the wishes of the Department, that the boys of the Indian boarding school at Norway House be trained in more manual and garden work, etc than they had been formerly accustomed to. Since receiving this letter I have had one or two conversations with Mr Lousley the Principal on this subject. Mr Lousley has always been able to give the boys enough manual work in the shape of doing all the chores, and in the spring time by working in the garden, which I may say is very limited at present, and not large enough for a school of this size. This is partly the fault of the Indians, who could give a splendid piece of ground suitable for a large garden for the school, but which they have recently refused to do.

In other instructive labours such as carpentering, boat building, shoemaking, and a few other trades adaptable to this country, Mr Lousley has been very much handicapped through the lack of funds, and not knowing last fall, just how quickly scholars would be got for the school, in this Mr Lousley was more than successful, as parents who saw the fine school built by the Government, were eager to get their children in as soon as possible, and lack of funds and suitable clothing and sufficient food of different varieties, were hard to supply as the school authorities had made no preparations for so large many pupils coming in at once, but happily Mr Lousley was able to surmount these difficulties in a very capable manner.

Now that there is an opportunity of money to be spent on improvements, Mr Lousley is of the opinion that it could be used to more advantage in a manner for the boys of the

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school, and one in which I could most sincerely recommend. It is this; I understand the Department has set apart a certain sum of money for improvements to the school, such as I mentioned in my last quarterly report; stables, wood shed and carpenter shop, ice house and freezer, fencing school property, etc. Mr Lousley is asking the Department to allow the school to do these improvements with Mr Jones to assist and oversee the boys work, of course there will be some practical men besides to help in the work, and have it finished as soon as possible. Mr Lousley is of the opinion that this work could be done more advantageously by day labour here and incidentally cheaper than by tender or contract from outsiders.

I am also of the opinion that this work can be done by Mr Lousley and Mr Jones who is a practical carpenter and overseer. He is the gentleman that built the Brandon school barns and which have been pronounced by experts to be as good as any built in either Canada or the United States.

Now it is work of this kind that will be beneficial to the school boys, as they will be taking their part in assisting to put up these buildings, and do the other work besides. I think that the Department should do this for the school as I think that Mr Jones can do it successfully and also establish a desire amongst the older pupils to become tradesmen and so begin to learn the carpentering trade, by assisting in the erection of whatever buildings are going to be erected. Mr Lousley has also asked me to say that he thinks Mr Jones could also build the reservoir and improve the sewers so that no expense will be called for in the winter months, such as last winter. I can certainly recommend this, as I know that we would get good and conscientious work, and have it done right at once, instead of having to add expenses and repairs to outside contractors work, which was the cause of our trouble last winter and which I have to go into with the Department more fully, as the Department repudiates the account of fixing the sewers last winter and virtually wish me to pay it.

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I have the Honour to be Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. G. Stewart

Indian Agent.

Duncan C. Scott Esq.,

Deputy Superintendent General,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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168918²
Norway House, Manitoba, June 14th. 1915.

The Sec. Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir, 480674

I understand from Mr. Ferrier

that a certain sum of money has been voted by the Government for improvements and repairs for this school this year. Will you be good enough to allow us to do the work here instead of by letting it by contract? I have a first class man here who is willing to take charge of it in the person of Mr. Jones who has had experience in Brandon School and of whom you know something in that connection. Further this will enable me to give our boys a fine training in building and general Carpentering work which would be invaluable to the boys and to the people. We will employ our boys to do every bit of the work possible and in this way will get nearly twice as much work accomplished for the same outlay that could be accomplished by letting the work by contract. This need has been the subject of a recent communication from you and my reply pointed out that up to date no work of this kind was possible. It is now possible if you will allow us to do the work planned. Mr. Jones has drawn up plans and estimates for the several buildings needed and I am taking them into Winnipeg with me and will consult Mr. Ferrier about them and no doubt he will communicate with you at once.

Mr. Jones could also undertake the work necessary to complete the water supply which was not completed

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last year. And I would most earnestly urge that a well be bored rather than a reservoir and filtering plant put in . The septic Tank is far too small and the outlet from it was not put below frost line and it is going to be a costly bit of work to get it into shape as it will require a lot of blasting under water to get the outlet out into the lake below frost line and there is no other solution for the problem from the present site of the school.

Hoping for a favorable reply,

I am Yours Sincerely,

J. A. Lausley.

Principal of Boarding School.

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Ottawa, July 2, 1915.

Rev. Sir,-

In reply to that portion of your letter of the 11th ultimo in reference to the number of pupils to be admitted to the Norway House Boarding School I beg to say that eighty is all that are provided for and this number must not be exceeded.

The Department is not in favour of using a room on the top flat for a dormitory.

The Department is in receipt of communications from Mr. Agent Stewart and the Principal of this school in reference to certain matters in connection with this institution, copies of which are enclosed herewith for your information.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Secretary.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

Ottawa, July 2, 1915.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th ultimo in reference to certain matters in connection with the Norway House Boarding School.

In reply I beg to say that the Rev. Mr. Ferrier is being written to in regard to the matters referred to in your letter.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MCLEAN *for*

Assistant Secretary.

J. G. Stewart
J. G. Stewart, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

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Your obedient servant,

J. D. MCLEAN *over*

Assistant Secretary.

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Rev. J. A. Lousley,
Principal,
Norway House Boarding School,
Norway House, Man.

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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

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Brandon, July 24th, 1915.
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To The
Secretary of the Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Can.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to yours of the 2nd instant, # 168918-1 re the accommodation at the Norway House Boarding School, when I was at Norway House I went into this matter carefully. Dr. Grain also accompanied me and can give you any further information necessary.

The accommodation in the building, commencing with the top flat is as follows:- Two large dormitories with a wardrobe off of each, bath-rooms and wash-rooms, and also a large store-room and 6 private rooms. The flat is occupied by the boys and the men of the staff. The dormitories are large and well ventilated. Each will accommodate 25. These dormitories can be extended in summer or mild weather by using the balcony, which is screened in and protected from the rest of the building. There is a private room in connection with each dormitory where 3 boys can room in each. This still leaves 4 rooms for the men of the staff. This gives ample accommodation for 56 boys and 4 men of the staff.

The middle flat has 4 private rooms for the Staff, 2 large dormitories with a wardrobe off of each for the girls, a large sewing-room, Staff dining-room and also bath and wash-rooms. The dormitories can be extended by using the balcony which is screened in and protected from the rest of the building. This flat is used by the girls and the lady members of the Staff. There is ample accommodation for 4 ladies and 50 girls.

The ground floor has 2 offices, reception room, girls' play-room, children's dining-room, kitchen and pantries. The classroom has 44 double seats, providing comfortable desk-room for 88 children. By putting forms and chairs for special gatherings it will seat about 125 people. The dining-room will seat 110 pupils.

The building has first class plumbing, and when the water system is completed it will be up-to-date. The ventilation throughout is excellent, and I have not the slightest hesitation in saying that the building will accommodate 106 pupils and 8 or 10 of a Staff. If you wish any further information in this matter, you can get it from Dr. Grain.



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Rev. T. Herrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada



Brandon,
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On my last visit to Ottawa, it was understood between Mr. Scott and myself that the grant was to be put on the basis of \$125 per pupil up to 100 pupils. In harmony with this I instructed Mr. Lousley, the Principal to take in children up to 100. He informs me that the average attendance for the quarter was 85, and he expects to open the school after vacation with at least 100 children.

Yours sincerely,

T. Herrier

T.F./ M.C.E.

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MENU OF NORWAY HOUSE BOARDING SCHOOL 1915.

BREAKFASTS:-

Schools

Porridge made of Rolled Oats or Wheat Granules is served six mornings a week. Rolled Oats four, Granules twice. Each plate is served with a liberal serving and extra large vegetable dishes placed on the tables so that those who wish can replenish their plates. Syrup is served with the porridge, or sometimes yellow sugar. Monday Mornings we serve Boston Baked Beans instead of porridge. That is we bake beans with bacon cut into squares plentifully mixed with them. No limit is placed to the amount of bread the children want to eat. For bread making we have used all Glenora Patent Flour. Tea sweetened with sugar is given for drink.

DINNERS:-

Are composed of fish, potatoes, Beef, Moose Meat, venison, Split Peas, Pot Barley, Rice, and bread with water to drink. For about nine months of the year we have all the first class White Fish we can use. At other times we have any quantity of Pike, Pickerel, Gold Eyes, Suckers, and Sturgeon. Occasional meals of wild ducks or Geese. When fish is served we cook on an average one lb. per child per. day. When meat of any kind is served we cook as nearly as possible half a lb. per. child and boil with it one of the above named dried vegetables. The quantity of bread is not limited at any of the three meals of the day. Sundays dinner is of Baked Boston Beans in place of fish or meat and has apple pie for desert.

SUPPERS :-

When fish is plentiful three suppers each week are of fish and bread. The other three, and when fish are scarce for five days per. week the suppers are of stewed apples, Prunes, or Figs or Syrup with unlimited quantity of bread

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Saturday evenings butter is served and Sunday Jam instead of fruit or fish. Sweetened tea is given for drink.

Note :- we have ninety two children on the Roll with an average age of 10.22 yrs.

We use six hundred and twenty five lbs. of flour per week. And ten lbs. of lard is provided per week, but as the fish are very fat the full quantity is not used when fish are plentiful but more is used when fish are scarce.

J. C. Tansley.

Rev. T. Herrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

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Brandon, July 24th, 1915



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Herrier
To The
Secretary of the Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Can.

Dear Sir:-

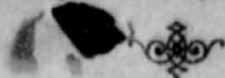
Replying to yours of June 5th, # 168918-1, re Frederick Halero, pupil # 100, I made enquiry about this boy and also regarding truants of the School. I find that this boy is about the only pupil that is given to truancy. During the past year there were 2 boys that left the school for one day and were brought back the next, but he is the only boy that has the habit of playing truant. It appears that this boy has been in the habit of running away from home as well as from school and cannot be trusted. A small chain was put on him in order that another boy might hold him. This was the only time this was done, and it was during the time that the ice was rotten in the bay and they were afraid that his foolishness might lead him to run away over the ice, and thus lose his life. They concluded that this was the best way to treat the boy for the time being in order to secure his own safety.

The statement that Mr. Stewart makes regarding the lack of supervision over the pupils there, I think that claim is without foundation. The girls are never allowed out without some officer being responsible for them. As far as the boys are concerned this is not a necessity, and the implication in Mr. Stewart's report is that, because of this, the boys and girls are running away from the school. As you will see, such is not the case.

I note also what you say regarding the pupils attending the day schools, and the necessity of putting in another teacher. A second teacher is being arranged for during the coming year and in order to justify this, the maximum number of pupils must be at least 100.

I do not think it necessary for me to go into further detail in this report beyond this, that, to my mind, the policy of receiving reports from Government officials who have absolutely no experience in managing these schools, and putting reliance upon them, is absurd. While these officials may be able to do their work satisfactory to the Government, they would lamentably fail in the managing of an Industrial or Boarding School. I do not mean to imply that the management of the Norway House Boarding School is beyond criticism, but the prospects of opening the school last fall were somewhat

Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada



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Brandon,
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problematic until late in the season when navigation
was about closed. The staff was hardly sufficient
during the whole term and there were many extra duties.
This will be remedied in the future.

Yours sincerely,

T. Ferrier

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-----Dietary of the Norway House Boarding School.-----

Day	Morning. Breakfast.	Neon. Dinner.	Night. Supper.
Sunday.	Granules Porridge, Bread & Tea.	Pork & Beans, Pie, Bread & Water.	Bread & Jam. Tea.
Monday.	Baked Keans. Bread & Tea.	Fish or Meat Bread & Water.	Fish & Bread, Tea.
Tuesday.	Oatmeal Porridge. Bread & Tea.	Fish or Meat & Rice, Bread & Water.	Prunes & Bread, Tea.
Wedn-day.	Granules Porridge, Bread & Tea.	Fish or Meat, Split Peas, Bread & Water.	Fish, Bread & Tea.
Thursday.	Oatmeal Porridge, Bread & Tea.	Fish or Meat, Pot Barley, Bread & Water.	Apples & Bread, Tea.
Friday.	Oatmeal Porridge, Bread & Tea.	Fish or Meat, Bread & Water.	Fish, Bread & Tea.
Saturday.	Oatmeal Porridge, Bread & Tea.	Fish, Bread & Water.	Bread & Butter, Tea.

The Fish or Meat is to be boiled with some of the dried vegetables mentioned above.

Pies are made once a week, 1½ lb Lard to a making, pie cuts in 6 pieces. For a change the Fish or Meat may be fried or roasted.

Yellow sugar to be used in tea, night and morning, also in stewing apples or making pies.

Yellow Sugar, with syrup every alternate morning, served on Porridge.

When fish or meat is not in stock, dried vegetables &c, as the Principal may direct, may be used.

Note. The above is a copy of the Dietary posted in the kitchen for the guidance of the cook, in the preparation of the meals for the children of the Norway House Indian Boarding School.

Fish. These are White, Pickerel, Pike, Gold Eyes, Sturgeon, Red and Grey Suckers.

Meat. This is Beef, Moose Meat, Venison.

Vegetables. Beans, Split Peas.
(dried)

Cereals. Rolled Oats, Granules, Pot Barley, Rice.

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.....Menu of Norway House Boarding School...1915.....

Breakfasts. Porridge made of Rolled Oats or Wheat Granules, is served six mornings of the week, that is Rolled Oats four, and Granules two mornings. Each plate is served with a liberal serving, and extra quantity in vegetable dishes is placed on the table, so that those who wish, can replenish their plates. Syrup is served with the porridge, and sometimes Yellow Sugar. Monday mornings, we serve Boston baked Beans instead of porridge. That is we bake beans with Bacon, bacon is cut into squares and plentifully with them. No limit is placed on the amount of bread the children want to eat. For bread making we have used Glenora Patent Flour. Tea sweetened with sugar is given for drink.

Dinners. Are composed of Fish, Potatoes, Beef, Moose Meat, Venison, Split Peas, Pot Barley, Rice, and Bread, with water to drink. For about nine months of the year, we have all the first class White Fish we can use. At other times we have any quantity of Pike, Pickerel, Gold Eyes, Suckers and Sturgeon. Occasional meals of Wild Ducks or Geese. When Fish is served, we cook, on an average, one pound per child per day. When meat of any kind is served, we cook as nearly as possible, half a pound per child, and boil it with one above named dried vegetables. The quantity of bread is not limited at any one of the three meals of the day. Sunday's dinner is of Baked Boston Beans, in place of Fish or Meat, and has Apple pie for dessert.

Suppers. When Fish are plentiful, three suppers each week, are of Fish and Bread, the other three and when fish are scarce, for five days per week, the suppers are of stewed apples, prunes or figs, or syrup with unlimited quantity of bread. Saturday evenings Butter is served with bread, and on Sunday evenings, Jam, instead of fruit, or fish. Sweetened tea is given for drink.

Note. We have ninety two children on the roll, with an average age of 10.22 years.
We use 625 lbs of Flour per week. Ten (10) pounds Lard are provided for the week, but as fish are very fat, the full quantity is not used when fish are plentiful, but more is used when the fish are scarce.

FILE NO.

OFFICE OF
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES
LAKE WINNIPEG INSPECTORATE

WINNIPEG, MAN., 24th September



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Duncan C. Scott, Esquire,
Deputy Superintendent General,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.-

Dear Mr Scott,-

In further reference to your letter of the 2nd of June last, I beg now to submit copies of the dietary of the Norway House Indian Boarding School, in response to your request therefore. You will note that there is copy marked "A" and a copy marked "B", in this connection I offer the following explanations.

The copy marked "A", is a true copy of the dietary posted in the kitchen of the school, for the guidance of the cook, in the preparation of the meals for the pupils of the institution. It was compiled by the assistant Principal, the Rev H.T. Wright, and is systematized and put in order by him, he got the information to do this from the copy "B".

The copy marked "B" was prepared by the Principal, the Rev J.A. Lousley, in connection with a reply to an enquiry, from you I think, with reference to the dietary of the school.

During the past summer, since I arrived in the Norway House Agency, and once or twice outside of it, I have listened to a number of complaints from Indians, about the food given to the children in the school at Norway House, one has to be careful in accepting such complaints, as the complaints often lack proper and sufficient cause, however I
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always note such complaints, they are a guide in enquiry; I have investigated this and I have arrived at the conclusion that there have been some grounds for the Indians to complain as they have done.

Dr Norquay has informed me that he has had a number of the children from the school brought to the hospital for treatment, and in very many of the cases, he noted that when he had them under observation to locate their trouble, or the cause of trouble, he usually found low physical conditions, and that these conditions soon improved, and in a large measure disappeared, when they received proper nourishing food in the hospital; from this I think it can be fairly deduced that the prime cause of trouble was lack of proper nourishing food, implemented also by a physical pre-disposition to tubercular troubles in the person being treated, which would cause the health conditions to be sensitive and easily affected, by the conditions I have mentioned.

I talked over this matter fully with the Principal and plainly told him, in a courteous manner, that there was a complaint, he courted the fullest investigation, what I pointed out was the absence of a sufficient quantity of fatty foods, and such food as would put the children in good physical condition to resist disease. The quality of the Bread is open to criticism, I saw it on the table, it was not well cooked, the flour may be all right, but in handling the dough and converting it into bread, there is not the proper measure of success to produce good bread, what I saw was heavy, and I would think not readily digestible, the fish I saw, was cooked all right, I have been informed that this is not always the case, and that the fish have not been of prime quality, this I put before the principal, and he emphatically denied it. In matter of vegetables, the principal admitted that they had only a limited quantity, that they could not yet by their own

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own effort grow sufficient vegetables to freely furnish the pupils this food in liberal quantity; he informed me that last season he gave only 2 meals a week, of Potatoes, up to the end of January 1915, and in February and March only one meal a week, and after that, up to the time of my enquiry, practically none had been supplied for food, in addition to a meagre supply of Potatoes there were a few Turnips, Beets and Cabbage and Carrots. The ~~estimated~~^{estimated} crop of Potatoes for this year will be about 200 bushels, the principal informed me, and this would be amended by some Turnips, Carrots, Beets and Cabbage, and that he intended to secure by purchase all that he could, this however is not very satisfactory, ~~and~~ The school should certainly bend every effort to raise all the vegetables they require. After next spring there should not be any lack of this essential in the dietary of this institution, I intimated this to the Principal.

To more effectively supervise and confirm the dietary of this institution, I would suggest that the Doctor should be instructed to inspect the food supplied, from time to time, ^{at} regular intervals, say twice a month or oftener, and that he should verify the dietary at every inspection. This inspection would be a protection to all concerned, The food supplied would be kept up to a proper standard and such action would properly and readily combat unfair complaint.

I have noted ~~in~~ a foot note on copy of dietary marked "B", that intimates that 10 lbs of Lard is provided weekly, I submit that it should not only be provided, but that it should be used, it could be used by being spread on bread, if it is good pure lard, it should be a splendid food for the growing children, ~~used~~^{used} in the way I mention, it would take the place of Butter. *And both Butter & Lard could be used.*

The beef supplied in the winter of 1914-1915, was about two ordinary carcasses, this was not very liberal in quantity.

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in quantity, the quality was fair the Principal assured me, for the coming winter of 1915-1916, he informed me he had on hand four head of beef cattle for killing to supply beef; the formula for the preparation of Boston Baked Beans, was 8 lb Bacon to 60 lb of Beans, I told the principal that I was of the opinion that he should use more Bacon, and supply this feed oftener; and if possible, he should not furnish for the food of the children, any of the fish known as "Suckers", they are a poor food, particularly the "Grey Sucker", the giving of these fish to the children was complained about by the Indian people. In preparing Fish for food, it would be well to have ^{them} cooked by frying, at least once a week. More attention should be given to having the bread well baked, this I understand was being arranged, as there was to be a change in the cook, one who could handle the work to better advantage and with better results. This was a needed change.

I have endeavored to get all the facts I could for your information, and I trust I have been able to give you some good and proper data.

I might also add that I showed the dietary to Dr Grain, he expressed the opinion that he considered it rather light, he also thought it would be an advantage to cut out tea as a drink in the evening, and get some suitable substitute, *if possible.*

I have the honor to be,
your obedient servant

W. R. R. R.
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Enclosures.



Rec'd 168918
Extract from Agent's Monthly Report on the Norway House
Methodist Boarding School for the month of ^{November} ~~October~~, 1915.
Original on 168918-7.

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The Principal has as yet been unable to secure an engineer to attend the furnace and electric light plant. This lack of assistance entails extra work on Mr. Wright, and as a result he is not able to put his full energies into the class-room work. Mr. Lousley informs me that he has written to Mr. Ferrier to send out an engineer as early as possible so this deficiency will soon be made good.



Sgd. J. Jones,
Indian Agent,

Ottawa, January 18, 1916.

Sir,-

Referring to that portion of your report on the Norway House Boarding School for the month of November, last, in which you state that the Principal has as yet been unable to secure an engineer to attend the furnace and electric light plant and that he has informed you that he has written to Mr. Ferrier to send out an engineer as early as possible I have to ask you to advise the Department as to whether an engineer has yet been sent to this school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. Jones, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Norway House Agency.

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Sir,-

In reply to your letter of No. 168918/I,
dated Jan, 18th, I beg to state that up to date, no
engineer has been sent to the Norway House boarding
school.



Your obedient servant,

J Jones

Indian Agent.

The Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, March 11, 1916:

Sir,-

Sometime ago Mr. Agent Jones called the Department's attention to the fact that he had been informed by the Principal of the Norway House Boarding school that he was unable to secure an engineer to attend to the furnace and electric light plant and that this lack of assistance entailed extra work on Mr. Wright and as a result he was not able to put his full energies into the class-room work. Mr. Jones stated that he was informed by the Principal that he had written to you to send out an engineer as early as possible. Mr. Jones again writes the Department to the effect that up to the present time no engineer has arrived.

The Department would be pleased if you would give this matter your attention.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

Return for Mr. Jones

September 30th, 1915.

Dear Mr. Bunn -

I have your letter of the 24th instant, with two enclosures, reporting on the dietary at the Norway House Boarding School.

I approve of your suggestion that the Doctor should be instructed to inspect the food supplied from time to time, and I would ask you to be good enough to communicate with him stating that it is the wish of the Department that he should do so. You should also ask Mr. Jones to make a regular inspection and deal with this matter in his monthly reports.

Yours very truly,

Bureau

Deputy Superintendent General.

J. R. Bunn, Esqr.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg, Man.

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168918-4
October 1st, 1915.

Dear Mr. Ferrier -

I have just received through Mr. Inspector Bunn a report on the dietary of the Norway House Indian Boarding School. From this report it would appear that Mr. Bunn has gone very fully into the matter with the Principal, Rev. Mr. Lousley, and if Mr. Bunn's instructions and suggestions are carried out by the Principal I am sure there will be an improvement in this feature of the management of the school. Mr. Bunn has suggested that Dr. Norquay be instructed to inspect the food supplied from time to time at regular intervals, and I have approved of this suggestion and given instructions accordingly. I have also asked Mr. Jones to make note of the dietary and report after each of his monthly inspections. From Mr. Bunn's report there would not appear to be any doubt that there is room for improvement in the quality, quantity and variety of the food furnished the children in this institution, and I hope that in future there will be no grounds for complaint.

Yours very truly,

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Principal,
Brandon Industrial School,
Brandon, Man.

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Deputy Superintendent General.

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Copy
Beren's River,

February 20th, 1916.

Revd J.A. Lousley,-

Dear Sir,-

Your letter of Jan 16th, last, to hand.

In reply I have to say, I am glad I shall eventually be tried by a higher judge than yourself, and that as far as my conduct in regard to school childres has been antagonistic to your institutions, both at Brandon and Norway House, I meet the coming of such judgement with infinite confidence.

The good taste of your letter is to my mind very doubtful.

I shall however ask my Agent's advice before taking it further.

Also I await, if possible his coming to frame my charge against your school management and ministry generally, for the information of your conference and the Department at Ottawa.

yours faithfully,

(Signed) Jacob Berens,

Chief.

Copy
Norway House,

Jan 16th, 1916.

Dear Friend,-

Your Grandson reached here alright on Thursday. He was well but his cheeks had been touched with the frost. The most of each cheek had been touched but nowhere deeply. There was only one spot that was sore and that only slightly, so you know the frost bight was not at all serious. Of course you must not blame me for this, but yourself, for had you sent him back when you should have this would not have happened. I received your note saying you sent sent him back under protest, well, I am sorry that a man in your position and at your age and with your reputation for integrity and uprightness should be so long becoming reconciled to the right.

You must know dear brother that God cannot be pleased with the way you have acted about these children. I pray that God may pardon you and let you know your mistake before He calls you away from this earth. You have long hindered the children of your people from attending these great schools that God has provided for your people and you ought to ask God to forgive you before you go into His presence for it would be a fearful thing for you to go into the presence of an offended God. So I, one of the men God has sent to your people in this North Land call you to repent of this your wrong doing before it is too late.

With prayers for your temporal and eternal blessing

I am yours in Christ,

(Signed) J.A.Lousley.

Copied
Beren's River

Jan 12th, 1916.

J.R. Bunn, Esqr.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg.

Sir,-

Last fall when I saw you relative to the children of this band who were truants from the Norway House Boarding school, I agreed to use my influence with the parents of the children so as to insure their return to the school. This I did and the children were sent. I understood you that I might keep my grandson Joseph

as I had found, at my advanced age I really could not do without him.

I was much surprised the other day by the arrival here of a mounted policeman with a warrant issued by Dr Norquay, Police Magistrate, for Joseph. I do not know what happened after you went to Norway House, but I believe if you found it impossible to accede to my request in face of the hostile attitude of Mr Lousley, you would have at-once advised and saved me the indignity I have been subjected to. I am hopeful I shall hear that the Indian Agent at Norway House has exceeded his authority in swearing out an information against me.

It is true I made an agreement making over the guardian-ship of the boy to the boarding school, but consider myself absolved from that agreement by reason of breach of contract on the part of Mr Lousley in the way, I am, I believe, creditably informed, he failed to see that the children were properly fed and other matters.

Kindly let me hear from you,

I have the honour to be

Sir,

your obedient servant,

(Signed) Jacob Berens.

P.S.

I am at a loss to know understand, after 40 years of faithful service to the Government what charge can have been made against me that I have been treated in such a manner. You will confer a favour by advising as soon as possible exactly what Mr Lousley has to say when I will confer further with you. J.B.

Norway House, Man Sept 28th, 1915.

Copy
Mr T.H.Carter,
Indian Agent,
The Halfway, Manitoba.

Dear Mr Carter,-

Soon after writing you Mr Bunn came along and a little later Mr Stewart, and as Policeman ^{Rose.} was on his way out we sent him after the Beren's River children.

They are all back but two. One of those is sick the other is the Chiefs Grandson and is needed at home so was allowed to stay.

2 at Poplar River we left to get by dog train as boat does not call there. The Chief's complaints were laid before Inspector Bunn and also repeated to myself but as I have fully answered them all to Mr Bunn and to the Chief and in part to the Department it will not be necessary to repeat them now. Be sure that the children were well fed and well clothed. The man who is now Agent here was my assistant in the school last year and had special charge of the boy's clothing and can vouch for it that it was well attended to and goods supplied were first class in every way. He also issued the clothing to the children when they went out for their holidays.

I thank you for drawing my attention to the paragraph in regulations pertaining to the education of Indian children. I had not caught the significance of the word any in that connection well enough to have remembered it from the time that I read the regulations till the time of needing to use them.

yours sincerely

(Signed) J.A.Lousley.

Copy
Sept 29th, 1915.

Chief Beren's ,
Berens River,
Man.

Dear Chief Berens,-

Mr Carter was here on a visit to the school a few weeks ago and while in my office he gave me a report of an interview he had with you in July, 1914, re your request for a change of the Missionary at Beren's River, and also your repetition of this request in July last. Not knowing your request until a few weeks ago you will understand my silence to you on that subject.. It was partly an oversight on Mr Carter's part in not reporting the interview sooner and also, I think, he thought that probably time might change your opinion, but inasmuch as the repetition was made last July, he thought it his duty to convey to me your thought on the matter.

Had I known that this was your mind, I certainly would have had a conversation with you when I was in there this summer, but I was up at the mission house and stayed there longer than I had intended to.

Hence when I got back there was no time before leaving. I sent a letter to you by your son Willie asking the particular business about which you wished to see me in reply to the note you sent me to Norway House. Now that I have your thought on this very important subject I will give it consideration and also seek the advice of the Revd . MR Arnup, our associative Secretary from Toronto, who visited you a year ago and made a tour of our work on the Lake Winnipeg district.

In the meantime you can rest assured that the best interest of our work will be considered and we will do the very best we can under the circumstances.

trusting that we will be divinely guided,

yours sincerely,

(Signed) T.Ferrier.

T.F./ M.C.E.

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Brandon

Sept 29th, 1915.

Chief Berens, Berens River,

Man.

Dear Chief Berens;-

I understand that a number of your children from the reserve who were sent to the Norway House Boarding School and were sent back home on a holiday have not been returned by their parents or guardians to the School, and that certain reports have been made regarding the treatment of these children at the school. These reports and objections are based upon the way the children have been fed and clothed.

Now I wish to say to you by way of explanation from the point of view of managing the school and the difficulty that Mr Lousley the Principal, was under last year, that we did not know that the school would be opened to receive pupils until almost the close of navigation. Nor did we anticipate that the attendance would run up so high as it really did during the nine months, so that the supply of food and clothing sent in ran out in some lines before navigation opened up again when fresh supplies could be sent in. The Principal did the very best he could under the circumstances. The children were never cold as the building was always comfortable and they had plenty to eat.

We had another difficulty and that was they had no proper place to keep fish and meat. You know the old buildings were burned down. This condition has been remedied this summer.

A proper supply of food and clothing has been sent in and a refrigerator in which to keep meat and fish has been built.

Thus you will see that any grounds for objections that they might have had has been taken away and overcome by the provision that has now been made. I need not say to you as Chief that these children can be taken back to the school by the Department in spite of whether the parents are willing or not

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now that they have been entered as pupils of the school. But my object in writing you is to give you this word of explanation and also to ask you for your assistance in influencing the return of the children to the school so that it will be done without any harsh measures.

You have always stood by the best interests of your people and the children and I feel confident that you will be able to pour oil on the troubled waters and lend your assistance in the right direction since it will be based upon your good judgement.

Hoping that you will be spared many years to render your services as Chief among the people to whom you have so long occupied that relationship.

yours sincerely,

(Signed) T.Ferrier.

T.F./ M.C.M.

Copy

"The Halfway" P.O.Man.

September 4th, 1915.

Dear Mr Ferrier,-

I am enclosing copies of letters referring to the children of Beren's River who have attended the Norway House Boarding School of which we had conversation when I was with you at Brandon.

While it is imperative that discipline is maintained, from our conversation I gathered that there had been some unavoidable delay in placing provisions at Norway House and this has given some colour to the statements of Willie Berens; it would, ^{therefore} seem policy to explain to Chief Beren's and the other parents.

Will you please pardon me if I suggest that if you are not visiting Beren's River in the near future, you write the Chief making what explanation you think best about this matter and making answer to the other charges of which I left with you a copy, shewing that my negligence, only has been the cause of your not replying to the Chief's letter.

The Chief is a little touchy and sometimes thinks he is not treated with sufficient respect. He has great influence with his people and I believe, if possible, it is always best to have the children return to school without force.

I will be at Beren's River about the end of this month and shall be pleased to do what I can for you there and will issue the warrants and necessary legal papers as you may desire.

Kindest regards to all at Brandon,

yours sincerely

J. H. Carter

Revd T. Ferrier,
Brandon, Manitoba.

Copy

"The Halfway" P.O. Man.

September 4th, 1915.

Dear Mr Lousley,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th ultimo referring to absentees from your school belonging to the Beren's River Band.

In reply I would say that Chief Berens made complaint of the quality of the food and other things to me when I was at Beren's River at the time of the annuity payments.

In reference to your doubt as to whom to apply for the compulsion of the attendance of pupils I would refer you to section 12 of the regulations pertaining to Indian children which states, that, "any Indian Agent or Justice of the Peace shall, on information made to that effect by an authorized officer of the Department, issue a warrant authorizing the person named therein to search for and take such child back to the school"; so that, as there is a Police Magistrate at Beren's River, this can be accomplished at any time, but I would suggest that the matter be first submitted for Mr Ferrier's consideration and I shall be visiting the Beren's River reserve in the near future and perhaps be able to adjust the matter satisfactorily to all and avoid friction.

I will write Mr Ferrier by this mail.

yours very truly

A. H. Carter

Revd J.A. Lousley,
Norway House, Man.

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Copy
Norway House Man.

Aug 11, 1915

Mr Carter

Indian Agent of Fisher River Agency,

Dear Mr Carter,

I am sorry to have to trouble you again but it is unavoidable.

James Arkinson of Grand Rapids brought his daughter Bella here and asked me to take her into school. Can you send me or Mr Stewart her treaty No, so that we can fill in her application for admission.

Last winter I brought up some children to this school from Beren's River and promised to let them home for holidays so long as they returned them promptly. I kept my agreement but when I reached there on my way out from Winnipeg, expecting to bring back the children the Chief and every other parent refused to let them come. The cause of the trouble was Willie Berens came here in the spring just at a time when we cannot get whitefish nor could we take sturgeon. We bought all the Jackfish and pickerel that the Indians offered yet could not get enough to feed the children and so supplemented with suckers.

They also complain that the boys were made to work outside when they sent them to school only to learn. You, however, know that that is the Government's regulation for all Boarding and Industrial schools and Principals have no option in the matter but are expected to put the children on the half-day system.

I had quite a preemptory letter this spring from Ottawa telling me I was very lax in this matter because I did not have the boys out at outdoor work more.

Policeman Rose of the R.N.W.M.P. expects to go out to Winnipeg soon and will call at Beren's River on his way back and is willing to bring them with him if he gets the proper authority. I do not know whether I should appeal to you or Mr Stewart. The children are in your Agency but the school to which they have been admitted by the Department is in Mr Stewart's

Agehcy. I have written to Mr Stewart, he passes through Cross Lake soon, asking him to issue a warrant but I do not know whether he will or not. You will no doubt be aware of where authority for this is vested. I rember^{low} the case of Barbara Scott with which you dealt so effectually and satisfactorily and hope you will do what you can to have these children sent back. If it is necessary Mr Lowes could have a warrant issued at Beren's River if there is a Magistrate there. I will write to Mr Lowes and prepare him for and communication you may think best to send him.

yours sincerely

(Signed) J.A.Loweley.

Names of the children there are as follows:-

Joe Berens, Willie Everett, Cubby, Harry, and Charlie Green,
Wm. Simple, Jno Jas Japan, Nancy and Mary Jane Ross.

J.A.L.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

"The Halfway" P.O. Man.

March 11th, 1916.

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No.

TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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*This was taken from the file at present
shown to Mr. [unclear]
A. J. M.*

I respectfully beg to submit for your information copies of letters bearing upon a report made to me at the annuity payments of 1915 at Beren's River by Chief Jacob Berens complaining that the children of the Beren's River band who had been admitted to the Norway House ^{Boarding School} had been improperly treated.

I expect you will consider that I have neglected my duty by not reporting the matter to the Department at an earlier date, but, as the correspondence herewith attached will shew, I had thought the matter amicably settled to all concerned, and that it was not necessary.

Chief Berens complained that the children were fed rotten fish, were given poor clothes and turned out from the school at the holiday season to shift for themselves. He exhibited a coat and pair of shoes which his grandson had worn which were certainly dilapidated, but I am informed that the poor state of the clothing was due to the fact that the children had been playing about for three weeks while waiting for transportation to their homes, and that when the children were dismissed for holidays the clothing was in good order. The same informant, I regret to state, affirms that the fish fed to the children was totally unfit for human food.

When visiting the Beren's River reserve, recently, the Chief wished me to report the whole matter to the Department, as after being allowed by Mr Lousley to keep his grandson to look after him he feels hurt that such measures were taken and feels particularly insulted by Mr Lousley's letter of

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January 16th, last, and cannot understand why he is blamed for not sending his grandson back to the school when he had been given to understand the boy might stay with him.

While expressing himself as always amenable to the laws of the Government, Chief Berens states that so long as Mr Lousley is in charge of the school at Norway House he will feel justified in preventing any more children of the Beren's River band from entering that school.

I greatly regret the very unpleasant task of reporting this to you but feel constrained to submit the matter to you for your judgement.

I have the honour to be

your obedient servant,

J. H. Carter
Indian Agent,

Fisher River Agency.

Duncan C. Scott, Esqr.,

Deputy Superintendent General,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Canada.

For correspondence. cc.
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at this school. See
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been on this file.
A. J. M.

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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools Hospitals in Canada

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Brandon, July 17, 1916.
Man.

S. J. A. Lousley
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

492269

Dear Sir:

This is to inform the Department that the Rev. J. A. Lousley has been removed from Norway House and the Rev. Geo. F. Denyes has been appointed as the new principal.

I spent a week with Mr. Denyes, helping him to get his bearings and I believe he will be a first-class man for the position.

Yours respectfully,

T. Ferrier

TF/GF



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Extract from report from Agent Jones on Norway
House Boarding School dated June 30th, 1916. School
inspected on June 28th. Original on 168918/7.

In the little girls dormitory there are 17 beds;
one double bed for two Indian girls, one graduate from
Brandon Industrial School, and the other graduate from
Norway House Indian Boarding School, (these girls are
assisting with the work at the school); one double bed
is occupied by the two little Miswagun boys; and in
four other beds there are two children each.

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Ottawa, July 21, 1916.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th instant informing the Department that the Rev. J. A. Lousley has been removed from Norway House and the Rev. Geo. F. Denyes has been appointed as the new principal,

In reply I beg to say that this change has been noted.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

*2 letters
Mr. Arthur
M. J. B.*

Ottawa, July 21, 1916.

Rev. Sir,-

I beg to inform you that Mr. Agent Jones in a recent report on the Norway House Boarding School states that some of the children are sleeping two in a bed.

The Department desires that each child should have a separate bed and I have to ask you to be good enough to see that this is done.

AMB

[Signature]

Your obedient servant,

D. D. McLEAN

[Signature]

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. Geo. F. Denyes,
Principal,
Norway House Boarding School,
Norway House, Man.

ADD. REPLY TO
CHIEF FIRE RANGER
NORWAY HOUSE, MAN.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
FORESTRY BRANCH
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF FIRE RANGER.

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FILE DESIGNATION



Norway House, Manitoba.

August 19th. 1916

Duncan C. Scott Esq.:

Deputy Supt. General of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

493147

Dear Sir:-

A situation has arisen at Norway House that has constrained me to ask the privilege of addressing you on the matter.

I am engaged in the service of the Forestry Branch, Dept. of the Interior in this district. We are three hundred miles from civilization.

For the past few years we have had a "White" Public School here but, owing to the families of the Rev. J. A. Lousley and ex Indian Agent, Mr. J. S. Stewart moving away from this place, we are left without sufficient number of children to organize a school for the coming year.

I have three children-- a girl 15 years, just passed her "Entrance" another one 13 years and one boy 11 years-- and it is obviously imperative that these should continue their education.

Situated as I am you will readily understand this was a serious problem. I talked the matter over with the Rev. Mr. Denyes, principal of the I. B. School; Indian Agent, Mr. Jones and Inspector of Indian Agencies, Mr. J. Bunn, each of these gentlemen advised me to write you on the matter, respectfully asking that my children be allowed to attend the day classes in the I. B. S. at this place.

I am advised by the principal that there would be ample ^{accommodation} ~~room~~ in the class room and I am led to believe by the other gentlemen that they ~~see-me~~ would have no objection.

I should very much appreciate this concession if the Deputy Supt.

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of Indian Affairs can see his way clear to approve of this arrangement being carried out?

Sincerely asking that you will excuse the liberty I have taken in bringing this matter before you.

Your Obedient Servant

James T. Blackford

Chief Fire Ranger

August 25th, 1916.

Dear Sir -

I have your communication of the 19th instant, expressing the wish to have your children attend the day classes at the Norway House Boarding School, and in reply I would state that, provided there is accommodation and the teachers have no objection, the Department is quite willing that your children should have the benefit of instruction in these classes. The Principal is being written to accordingly.

ATBm

Yours very truly,

Bureau Chief

Deputy Superintendent General.

James T. Blackford, Esqr.,
Chief Fire Ranger,
Norway House,
Man.

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August 25th, 1916.

Dear Sir -

Mr. James T. Blackford, Chief Fire Ranger,
of the Department of the Interior, Norway House, Man.,
has asked for permission to have his children attend
the day classes at the boarding school, as there
is no public school now in operation there.

Under the circumstances the Department
has no objection to these children attending
classes, provided there is accommodation. Mr. Black-
ford has been advised accordingly.

W. B. M.
Yours very truly,

W. B. M.
W. B. M.

Deputy Superintendent General.

Rev. George F. Danyes,
Principal,

Norway House Indian Boarding School,
Norway House,
Man.

W. B. M.

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DIRECTOR OF FORESTRY,
R. H. CAMPBELL.



IN YOUR REPLY
PLEASE QUOTE THIS
FILE NO.
27599 Forestry

J.P.M.

Forestry Branch.

Ottawa. 28th August, 1916.

493264

Sir:-

Mr. James T. Blackford, Chief Fire Ranger for this department at Norway House, Manitoba, has sent me a copy of his letter of the 19th instant to you in regard to securing school privileges for his children. I do not know what the circumstances are in regard to this matter, but I am glad to say on behalf of Mr. Blackford that he has been a very diligent and enthusiastic officer of this department for a number of years and is a man of very good character. He is fully deserving of any concession that it is possible to grant him in this connection.

Your obedient servant,

D. C. Scott, Esq.,
Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

R. H. Campbell
per W. D.
Director.

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27599 Forestry.

August 30th, 1916.

Dear Mr. Campbell -

Referring to your letter of the 25th instant, regarding the school privileges for the children of Mr. Blackford, your Chief Fire Ranger at Norway House, Manitoba.

I received some days ago a letter from him direct and I have given instructions that his children be allowed to attend the day classes at the Indian Boarding School at that point.

Yours very truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

R. H. Campbell, Esqr.,

Director, Forestry Branch,

Department of the Interior,

Ottawa, Ont.

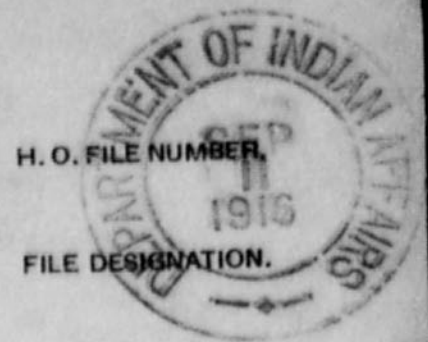
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CHIEF FIRE RANGER
NORWAY HOUSE, MAN.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
FORESTRY BRANCH
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF FIRE RANGER.



Norway House, Manitoba.

493415

September 2nd. 1916

[Handwritten signature]
Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th. ultimo. and to express my very great thanks for the privelege granted my children of attending the day classes in the I.B. S. here.

Parents and children alike appreciate your very great kindness in granting this concession.

Your Obedient Servant

James T. Blackford

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McLennan
MEDICAL
REPORT OF AGENT NORQUAY FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, -

NORWAY HOUSE AGENCY

I find difficulty in accounting for the number of the boarding school pupils who have been suffering from minor ailments during the winter. There are a number of them who have ~~###~~ been in bed several days of each week, yet on examination there is nothing in their physical condition to account for same. The beds in the dormitories are rather close together and may be contributory to the cause. The food is good and there is plenty opportunity for outdoor exercises.



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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



Norway House

August 27 1917

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

File
Sir,—

REF R

I beg to acknowledge receipt of letter 168918 dated July 25th 1917.

I have written the Principals of the Boarding Schools asking them to pursue a course of rigid economy.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your obedient servant

H. C. Munnay

Acting Agent

Mr Martin Benson
In charge of Schools Branch

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OFFICE OF
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES
LAKE WINNIPEG INSPECTORATE

WINNIPEG, MAN., 4th September 1917

[Handwritten signature]
The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.-

Sir,-

When I was at Norway House recently, I visited the Boarding School operated there under the auspices of the The Methodist Church of Canada, and in going over the premises, I went through the stables with the Principal and the Rev T. Ferrier, who was visiting the school at that time.

The administration of the department, so far as the farming and gardening work, is being handled by the Principal, the Rev. George F. Denyes, in good shape. Mr Denyes is a practical man, with personal experience in the management of a farm, so that he brings to bear, in his work here, this very useful knowledge and experience, he is doing his work in an economical manner, and from what I saw, he should have fair results in his potatoes and other vegetables for this season's work.

He has done considerable clearing of the land within the limits of the 40 acres that comprise the school site, in all his work, of clearing, has added about 15 to 17 acres which has all been brushed, the cut timber or trees has ~~be~~ has been converted into fire wood, when possible and the brush gathered up and burned, and over the cleared area, he has sown grass seed, so that there has been some grazing afforded for his cows, as soon as the stumps are removed this area will be used for increased farming.

The Rev Principal, has been successfully raising pigs ~~and~~ He now wishes to add to his herd of Cows, He would like to get about 3 more cows ~~and~~ these can be supplied by

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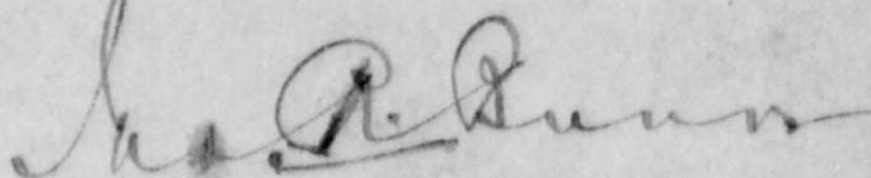
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from the herd that Mr Ferrier has at the Brandon Indian Industrial School, all young cows, of good breeding, ~~and~~ ^{He also wants to get} a horse 5 years old, standard bred. These can be placed at the school at Norway House for the sum of \$500.00, if this is in order, and the expenditure can be authorised, I know that Mr Denyes will use them to advantage in furthering his wishes to put this side of the work on a good footing, that he hopes will assist in the maintenance of the school. For good stock, and this I understand Mr Ferrier ^{to} promised would be the standing of the cows and horse to be furnished, delivered at the school at Norway House, I think the price is reasonable.

The farm^g operations at Norway House School, of Mr Denyes will, I have no doubt, assume successful conditions, and contribute to making the cost of operation lighter, and these conditions will open up a better chance to educate the pupils in this line of work.

I have the honor to be,

your obedient servant,



Inspector of Indian Agencies.

REPORT OF THE WORK AT NORWAY HOUSE.

The present staff and salary paid to each:

Rev. George F. Denyes	\$1000.00
Rev. J. A. Chapman, Missionary	750.00
Mr. H. J. Bell, Assistant principal	400.00
Mr. B. N. Chastelline, Engineer & Machinist	600.00
Mrs. George Denyes, Lady Superintendent	-----
Miss Kate Fullerton, Matron	360.00
Miss M. Ketcheson, Assistant Matron	300.00
Miss G. Bray, Cooking Teacher	300.00
Miss B. M. Herbert, Sewing teacher	300.00
Miss Kittie McLeod, Laundry Teacher,	400.00
Miss Lillian Jessup, School Teacher	300.00 ✓

All receive board, washing etc. over and above these amounts.

Some changes will be made in the personal of the staff. Miss Bray and Mr. Eburne will be leaving and others are engaged to fill the vacancies.

The school have been about full during the year, the average attendance being 94.

The half day system has been followed with the larger pupils, they spending half day in the class-room and the other half working in the different departments, thus getting a good industrial and vocational training. The younger pupils attend the class-room all day.

The standing of the pupils is as follows:

31 pupils in Standard 1				
11	"	"	"	2
25	"	"	"	3
23	"	"	"	4
6	"	"	"	5
1	"	"	"	8

The pupil in standard 8, Maria Frank, graduates this summer. She should have a further opportunity for higher education being an exceptionally bright girl.

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Financial Statement:

Receipts:

Expenditure:

Government Grant per capita	\$12729.23	
" " for cattle and repairs	825.95	
Grant from Mission ary Society	5029.33	
Goods Sold	846.31	
Garden and Stock	700.00	
Salaries		\$ 4062.25
Clothing		3451.31
Food		6346.96
Fuel, Light and Power		1906.37
Building and Repairs		223.52
House Equipment		810.05
Farm and Garden		1112.50
Transport, Freight etc.....		1768.16
Extra Labor		293.55
Miscellaneous		156.15
	\$20130.82	\$20130.82

Stock and Garden:

The stock consists of 17 head of cattle, 4 horses and 19 pigs, 4 of which are brood sows. All of the stock are looking well and of good quality. These will supply the institute with all the beef, pork, butter and milk that will be consumed during the coming year. Both the stock and garden are an object lesson to the people as to what can be accomplished toward supplanting the native food, such as moose, game, berries and fish.

To assist the management two things are greatly needed. (1.) A good barn, stable and root house. These could all be accomplished with one good building which would cost about \$2,000.00 for material. (2.) About five or six thousand drain tile to drain the land now under cultivation and these drained to the lake in a deep open drain. This open ditch will be dug this fall and about twenty-five acres cleared of timber on the island about four miles down the Nelson River.

The interest taken in the different departments is shown by the order, neatness and cleanliness of the building and also in the general appearance of the pupils. Special mention should be made of the amount of land that is in preparation for garden and pasture. The entire 40 acres of mission property has been cleared during the past two years and some grass seed sown on about 8 acres. About 5 acres are under cultivation and planted in garden produce, potatoes and turnips. The

outlook for a good return this Fall is not very encouraging on account of the backward Spring and continual rainfall up to the present. The land is very cold and wet and growth is slow. However, the principal is well versed in the art of gardening and farming and will be able to cope with the natural drawbacks that are peculiar to this northern climate.

Many improvements have been made. Special mention should be given to the grading of the roads and preparation of land. More has been accomplished in this line during the past two years than in all the previous years combined.

A few minor repairs are required such as broken plaster in the main building. These will be repaired by the plasterer who is here plastering the new mission house. The rain water from the main building should be conducted to the water tank in the rear of the building. It is now caught in eight different places by forty gallon barrels. All of these are kept over-flowing during the rainy season and more or less of the surplus water soaks around the foundation as shown on the laundry floor and other parts of the basement which were never properly shaped to the drain, being higher at the drain than most floors which results in an inch of water in other places.

The building is kept neat and clean throughout. Good work is done in all the departments. More work on the garden is being accomplished than has been in the history of our school work here and this accomplished by the boys. The order and discipline is good. The children are well cared for. The food is wholesome and yet in harmony with present restrictions. Their clothing is up to the mark, particular attention being given to footwear.

The members of the staff who are here are capable and of a fine spirit and it is to be hoped that the new members will fit into the spirit and atmosphere of the institution.

Special mention should be made of the work of the Principal, who is the first on the job from early morning and the last to quit at night. The day's work covers some part of the entire programme of duties with special care over the welfare of the garden, land, stock, freighting and building of the new house and immediate oversight of all the boys while engaged in their industrial pursuit. Thus giving the key note to the industrial, moral and religious life of the pupils and staff.

Close by the site of the Mission House there is an old grave-yard. This was the first grave-yard started by Rev. James Evans, our first missionary to Norway House, who invented the Salabic characters whereby our hymns and the Bible have been given to the Cree people in their own tongue.

This grave-yard has been growing wild and the fence rotting down. It is many years since any dead have been buried there. During the year Mr. Denyes has removed the fence, plowed it up and intends leveling the surface and seeding it down with lawn grass, also building a low stone fence on the south side next to the mission house. The people are expressing some dissatisfaction about what has been done. We explained to the Chief that we would place a stone with one inscription for all the dead, there being no mark of description upon any grave.

Mr. Denyes and I have conferred together and we think that it would be very fitting to place a good stone there in memory not only of the dead but in memory of James Evans, for he being dead yet speaketh by every hymn book and Bible printed in the Cree language.

The question of handling the supplies for the Inland Missionaries must receive special attention by the Board. The North-West Navigation Company land it at Norway House for 50¢ per 100 lbs. It is here stored and taken care of by the Principal of the school and usually given out to the canoe men who come after it. Freight from here to Island Lake costs \$14.00 per 100 lbs. To Oxford House it costs \$6.00 per 100 lbs. This should be provided for over and above the usual salary.

Mr. Gaudin makes about two trips especially for freight at a cost of about \$25.00 per trip. The balance of his freight is usually taken back when he has to come to Norway House for other reasons. I would suggest that the missionary of Cross Lake have a special grant of \$50.00 be made to cover cost of freighting and that a grant of \$600.00 be made to the Island Lake and Oxford House missionaries and that it be expended by the purchasing of a canoe at \$100.00 and the \$500.00 be given to two good men for three months' service with the understanding that they make two trips to Oxford House and two to Island Lake. That these men be hired by the Principal of the Norway House Boarding School and be under his order and direction.

The balance of the freight required can be handled by the missionaries themselves when they come in to Norway House for other reasons.

In this connection a special grant of \$150.00 should be given to Nelson House toward freighting goods from the Pas.

The new mission house is under construction and is well on the way towards completion. We have three men all specialists in their own line, looking after the carpenter work, installing a furnace and doing the plastering. These are assisted by the Principal and boys of the school together with a few good men of the community. The building is two storey, 30 x 36'. It has a cement wall and floor basement the full size. A summer kitchen and wood shed behind and a veranda in front. All are built with first-class seasoned material on modern plans and specifications heated by a large wood furnace. A three flue chimney with footing on the rock built of stone and cement to first floor answers for furnace, kitchen range, and fire grate in the study.

The Basement:

The basement walls have footing on the rock with drain tile all around the outside and all drained by a 4" pipe to the lake. The ceiling is lined up with finished lumber and serves for furnace and fuel. There is a cement cistern, laundry and store room for milk, fruit etc. also a winters' supply of vegetables.

Ground Floor:

The ground floor consists of parlor, study, dining-room, kitchen, pantry and a reception room for the Indian people.

Upstairs:

The upstairs has 4 bed-rooms, bath-room, sewing-room and clothes closets.

Attic:

The attic is covered with shiplap and can be used as a store-room. It has a water tank supplied by 4 pumps from cistern and well. We have also laid a 1- $\frac{1}{2}$ inch pipe in the drain to the lake for water supply.

The outside wall has two air spaces and six thicknesses of building paper, three inside and three out,; finished outside with siding and inside with plaster. The material is all first-class, the lumber mostly British Columbia fir well seasoned. Some of it has been stored for four years. The roof is covered with British Columbia cedar shingles. The ground floor is hard maple. The present finish is two coats of oil on all the wood work inside and out. This will preserve the materials and make an excellent foundation for painting.

The building is up-to-date, modern, warmly built, well constructed and has ample provision for heating. It is in keeping with the Government buildings, school, hospital and Agent's home, is sufficient for our work and its needs and we trust will prove a comfort to our

missionaries and a credit to the Methodist Church for many years to come. At present prices for material and labor it would cost about \$9,000.00 and should be insured for \$6,000.00. The principal of the school and his boys with members of his staff dug the cellar, put in the cement walls for the basement, hauled the sand with yolk boat towed by a gasoline launch a distance of nine miles, carried the lumber and material from dock and warehouse, dug the drain, filled in around the building, shaped the surroundings and assisted very materially with all unskilled labor. We engaged Mr. Allin of Toronto to put in a year's service and build the house for \$1,000.00 and board. Our experience warrants the suggestion that we keep a skilled man for building and repairs on the District. Such a man should have been sent out with Mr. Atkinson to Oxford House to assist him in getting his home comfortable. Mr. Allin has proved to be such a help to our missionary work as well as in building this house that we propose to keep him on our staff at Brandon or Norway House and send him out to any place where important repairs are required or a new building to be constructed. This policy should have been adopted years ago by our Board in the expenditure of money for buildings on our home missions as well as on Indian missions.

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The Hudson Bay Company appears to have a large store of flour in all their Northern posts throughout the North country. It is a question whether there is not as much flour held by the Companies in this country as ought to be distributed under present restrictions during the next two or three years.

Much of the flour in stock is of the higher grades and a better quality is being used than is allowed in any other part of Canada. One exception to this is a grade called Prince Albert flour which was made of frozen wheat and when first brought into the country some eight years ago was sold as low as \$2.00 per sack. Now it is sold at \$8.00 on the plea that flour is scarce. At Island Lake flour is sold at \$40.00 per sack and butter at \$2.00 per pound and other prices are in proportion. These are paid for in trade for furs. These prices prove that the Company is not doing business in this country upon any charitable basis or with any desire to help the poor Indian.

It is also common report that not an employee of the Hudson Bay Company has been conscripted in all the Norway House Agency and there are among them men physically fit and of military age. The plea is that the Indian would starve if the men were taken. This should be looked after by the Military Authorities and they should see that no favors are given to any company in these times of war.

There should be an order from the Food Controller that no more flour be shipped by the Hudson Bay Company to its outside posts until 1920 without special permission from the Government and Food Administrator. Also that the flour now in the country should have a fair distribution.

among other traders and settlers who have not stored up supplies beyond present regulations and also that the prices be fixed according to wholesale rates plus freight rates. There are more traders in this country and more money being received by the people than in times of peace. The latter is accounted for by Separation allowances. Men are greatly in demand and high wages are being paid. The fishing season was good, men making from 75¢ to \$300.00 per month during the two months of white fish catch. The result is that the people are living on flour, meat and canned goods without any restrictions when they should be living on the native foods of this country.

This is a very strategic time in the history of these people. They are willing to be loyal. They need leading and can be trained to take a great step toward independence. No greater blessing could be given them than to force them to secure their food from the land, forest lake and stream. The people need organizing on a progressive policy on gardening and securing the natural foods of the country and how to preserve and store the same, particularly garden produce and potatoes.

They need to be pressed and made to prepare their land this Fall for gardens next year. To this end all Government officials, traders, teachers and missionaries should unite to lift these people to a higher grade of living and a more progressive policy toward the independence of the people. This is a time when we have a splendid reason to teach them they must root hog or die and we need not fear that any of them will die of starvation.

It is also a question whether this would not be an opportune time for some standard bank to open a small branch at Norway House. It would be a great convenience to the traders and other settlers and a source of education and inspiration to our Indian people to lay by for the future.

The Day School for reserve children taught by Miss Royan was closed during my visit being holiday time.

As far as I am able to learn Miss Royan is an excellent teacher for Indian children and is doing good work. She also fits in to the social life of the institute and staff. I have engaged her for another year.

Rev. T. Herrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada



Brandon, August 28th, 1918.
Man.

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Mr. Duncan C. Scott,
Deputy Superintendent General of
Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

My dear Mr. Scott,-

I am enclosing you a copy of my report of a recent visit to Norway House. There may be information in it that will be of use to you but some parts do not concern the Department.

The portion of it applying to the Hudson Bay Company has not been prepared for the public but it is of such vital interest for the welfare of the Indian people of that Northern land that I think it only right to bring the attention of our Church and the Department to the same. No greater blessing could be given to our Indian people than to force them to get out and hustle for their daily food. As long as they have money they will always buy the canned goods and food shipped in. I would like your personal opinion and advice regarding this part of the report.

Yours sincerely,

T. Herrier

Industrial School, Brandon.

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Schools

September 4th. 1918.

Dear Mr. Ferrier,

Many thanks for sending me a copy of your interesting report on the Norway House school. I note the requirements of the school and we will give consideration to them, but it is difficult, as you know, just now to obtain any money for our educational work.

Yours sincerely,

Duncan Chisholm

Deputy Superintendent General.

Rev. T. Ferrier,

Principal, Brandon Industrial School,

Brandon, Man.



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W. R. Taylor
Extract from letter from Agent W. R. Taylor,
Norway House, in regard to supplies for the Rossville day
school at Norway House, dated June 18, 1920. Original on
118279/4.

Regarding the desks asked for, I would say it is not necessary to furnish them. There are sufficient desks to seat all the day scholars from the reserve. The shortage of seating room is owing to some of the boarding school pupils being taught in our day school. Regarding this, I would like to ask the Department if this should be carried on. It appears to me that the boarding school should have enough room to seat all the pupils enrolled. A separate building is used for the junior classes. Only one class room is used in the school. The second class room being used for a girls' play room. Notwithstanding this, they saddle some of the boarding school pupils on the teacher of the day school, and take up the room of the day school children. Kindly advise.



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Ottawa, June 30, 1920.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18th instant, and with reference to the desks asked for for the use of the Rossville Indian Day School I beg to say that you should inform the school authorities that it is considered that there are sufficient desks to seat all the day scholars from the reserve and that it would appear that the boarding school should have enough room to seat all the pupils, without sending them for class-room instruction to the day school. If the two class-rooms in the boarding school are used for the purpose for which they are intended, there should be no need of sending any of the pupils to receive class-room instruction in the day school, and you will be good enough to bring this matter to the attention of the Principal of the boarding school and inform him and the teacher of the day school that it is not the intention to provide any further desks for the class-room in the day school at the present time.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

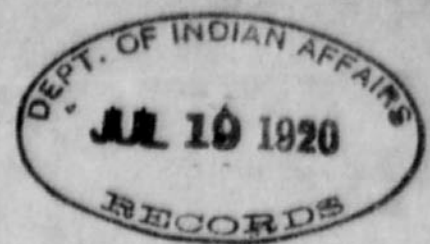
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. R. Taylor, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

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Norway House, Man.

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

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Sir,—

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of Dept. letter
No. 168918/1, dated June 30, relating to seating of
Boarding school pupils in the Roseville day school,

In reply I beg to say that I will bring this
matter contained in your letter to the attention
of the Boarding school authorities, and to the
teacher of the Day school.

Your obedient servant,

W. H. L. L.

Indian Agent

The Asst. Deputy Secretary

Dept. of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa.

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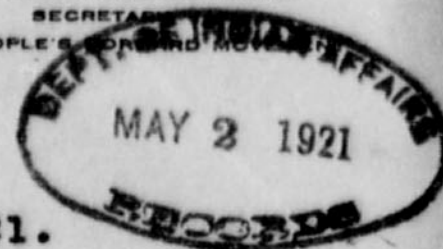
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SECRETARY
YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY



April 29th, 1921.

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Mr. Duncan C. Scott,
Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs,
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Dear Mr. Scott:

As I intimated to you when I was
in Ottawa, I intended nominating Mr. J. T. Blackford
as Principal of the Norway House Boarding School. This
nomination was made and endorsed by the Board, so that
we trust Mr. Blackford is to be the future Principal. I
feel sure that this will be in the interests of our work
and will meet with the approval of the Indian Department.

Yours sincerely,

T. Ferris

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*Miss Boock
to note*

May 3rd, 1921.

Dear Mr. Ferrier, -

Replying to your letter of the 29th ultimo, informing me that Mr. J. T. Blackford had been nominated by your Board as Principal of the Norway House Indian Boarding School, I beg to say that his appointment to this position is approved.

I trust that he will meet with every success in his work in connection with this school.

I will be pleased if you will let me know the date on which he takes up his duties; this information being required for record in the Department.

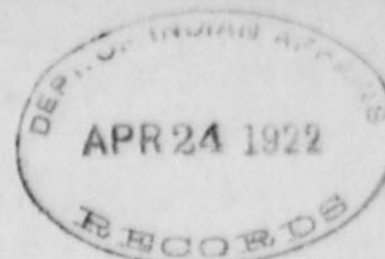
Yours sincerely,

W. D. McLean
Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

W. D. McLean
Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent, Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



.....Norway House.....

February 23rd.....19 22

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO No.....752-8A. ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER
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Sir,—

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I beg to report that I this week completed an Inspection of the Norway House Boarding School.

I may say that much improvement has been made in the school building, especially in the way of brightening the rooms; considerable interior painting and kalsomining has been done, clothes cupboards and other conveniences added, and repairs made to walls and floors. The playrooms of the girls and boys have been made much brighter, and with no great expense, much of the work having been done by the staff and pupils. The electric wiring has been overhauled and made safe. The building, however, is being damaged by the heaving of the rear foundation wall.

I found the building very clean and tidy, and everything in excellent order. The boys and girls are, with few exceptions, in excellent health, and are well clothed, well fed, well behaved and courteous.

The children are encouraged to take plenty of outdoor exercise, and an outdoor skating rink is kept in good condition, while almost all of the pupils are provided with skates. In the summer there are football, basketball and tennis.

The diet of the children is looked after by a nurse who has had considerable experience in Indian and Social Service work, who is in charge of the kitchen, and who besides cares for those in the Institution who require the assistance of a nurse. The food is of good quality, sufficient in quantity, well cooked and well served.

I visited the stables, and found them very well cared for, but cold, low, damp and inconvenient. A number of good cows are kept, and the milk and butter used in the School. There should be an additional team of horses for hauling wood in winter, as those on hand are overworked at present.

In the class-rooms I found very good work being done. The old difficulty of securing clearly audible reading and answers to questions is evident here to some extent, but there is improvement in this direction. One class room is in the main building, where the class is divided, half the class attending in the morning, the remainder in the afternoon. The junior class room is a separate building some distance from the main building. The pupils here attend the full day. The pupils are fully up to, their Grade work, in fact, somewhat advanced in Arithmetic, I think, but this is rather an advantage. Four pupils of this School passed the Entrance Examination last

July

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

Regina, Sask., 21st. April 1922.

Report forwarded

W. M. Graham
Indian Commissioner

A very satisfactory report indeed.

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July. Two of them were of age to be discharged. Two remain in the School, Nos. 97 and 98, being 17 and 15 years of age respectively. Pupil No. 97 has, however, had to be excused from Class room as he has developed Tuberculosis, and is under the Doctor's care, with a good chance of recovery, I understand. Pupil No. 98 is doing good work in Grade 9. The further classification of the pupils is as follows, - Grade 1. - 27, Grade 2. - 16 - Grade 3 - 8, Grade 4 - 18, Grade 5 - 7, Grade 6 - 13. , which I consider unusually high for an Indian School.

The Principal and Staff of this School are to be congratulated on the excellence of the work being done in all departments.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon

Indian Agent.

123-5-1.

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Ottawa, April 25, 1922.

Sir:-

I have your No. 752-8A of February 23rd - your report on the Norway House Indian Boarding School, forwarded by Mr. Commissioner Graham of Regina.

In reply I beg to state that the Department agrees with you that the staff and principal are to be congratulated on the conditions that you have found.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

R.T.F.
Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

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NORWAY HOUSE BOARDING.

But

At the time of my visit to Norway House this summer there were many repairs and some new equipment needed. Action has been taken on the files in this connection.

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In the future we should place a new fence around the 40 acre lot - \$250 is an estimate. A root house is needed - \$300 is required in this connection. Eight wash basins should be supplied soon for the boys' basement, and a cottage for smaller girls is needed in the future. Two tanks for rain water, and a drain for the overflow and to clear the furnace pite could be installed for \$300.

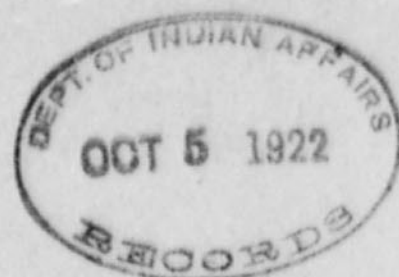
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Authority should be given to the Principal and Agent to arrange for a change in the land surrender to straighten out the school property. Blue prints should be directed when this authority is offered.

Russell T. Finnie

Supt. of Indian Education.

*Revised Letter
Schools*



123-5-1

Ottawa, October 4, 1922.

Dear Sir:-

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Since the repairs have been made to the Norway House Boarding School and the attic of the building has been floored, all of which was done under the authority of the Department, the principal is able to use this attic as a large store-room, thus making room in other portions of the building.

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At present, the pupilage is 96. The principal has no trouble in securing many more pupils than this number. I would like authority to be given him to increase the pupilage, from the first of October, up to 100, and from the first of April, 1923, up to 105.

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I may say that our Board of Missions has been putting into this school, for maintenance, a little over \$6,000 a year for a number of years, and this extra pupilage would help us in the financing of the institution.

Kindly let me know if this meets with the approval of the Department.

Yours sincerely,

T. Currier

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Ottawa, October 10, 1922.

Reverend Sir:-

I have your letter of the 4th instant, requesting that the pupilage at Norway House be increased at this time from 96 to 100, and that provision be made for a pupilage of 105 for the next fiscal year.

In reply I beg to state that this matter has been brought to the attention of the Deputy Superintendent General and he has authorized the increases requested, as follows: from the first instant, a pupilage of 100 and from the first of April, 1923, a pupilage of 105. Mr. Agent Gordon and Mr. Commissioner Graham are being informed of the present increase, and, if Parliament passes the item, they will be instructed regarding the coming fiscal year.

Your obedient servant,

K.T.T.
J.D. McLean
Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent,
Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

J.D. McLean
J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Ottawa, October 10, 1922.

Sir:-

I have to inform you that Rev. T. Ferrier, Superintendent of Methodist Indian Schools, has requested that the pupilage at the Norway House Boarding School be increased. The Deputy Superintendent General has authorized an increase in the pupilage at this school from 96 to 100, from the first instant.

Your obedient servant,

over
J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R.T.T.
Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House,
Man.

Wm. Gordon

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R. J. H.*

123-5-1.

Ottawa, October 10, 1922.

Sir:-

I have to inform you that the Deputy Superintendent General has given authority for increasing the pupilage at the Norway House Boarding School from 96 to 100, as from the first instant. This is done at the request of Rev. T. Ferrier, Superintendent of Methodist Indian Schools.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. H. *W. M. Graham*

W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF INSPECTOR A. C.
WEST, DATED SEPT 11, 1922, ON THE NORWAY
HOUSE BOARDING SCHOOL.

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Original on File No. 123-5-6.

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In regard to Study Periods on time
table it seemed to me a classroom with 8 classes
can have no clear periods for study. Teacher
might arrange time table so as always to be busy
while in room.

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123-5-1
INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 8A
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Norway House



19 23

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Sir,—

I beg to report as follows on Norway House Boarding School, this Agency. While I have not made a formal inspection of this School for some time, yet I am in close touch with the work at all times, in the building and round the grounds frequently, meeting the children and the members of the staff, or some of them, daily.

I find that the building is kept in excellent condition, clean and sanitary. The grounds are also kept very well, but are being changed considerably, which upsets things, and detracts from appearances for the time. As I have previously pointed out, on more than one occasion, the foundation wall on the north side of the main building is in need of attention. The water system has been out of commission since April that is, the water line from the lake. My teamster and team have been hauling water to the old reservoir, from which it is pumped into the building. The new stable is progressing and will be a very good building, and will add much to the appearance of the premises, when the old stables are removed. My letter of June 11th, No. 10A contains recommendations re the water line.

action already taken K. J. J.

The area of broken land is being gradually added to. This is a slow and difficult process, as the ground is very full of stumps, and also stony in places. A fair area can be brought under cultivation on Hope Island, but this too must be cleared of stumps and stones, and will represent a great deal of work. In a few years time the feed problem should be solved. The school has a good number of good cows, and these supply a large quantity of milk to the table, also some butter.



The health of the children is very good. No deaths have occurred among the pupils of this school for more than two years, and very little sickness. They all appear well nourished, and with the exception of a few cases of glands, in excellent health. Their behavior is also very good. I do not consider that the classroom work is of as high a standard as it was, largely due to inexperience on the part of the teachers. Both teachers of the past year were College Graduates, but had no professional training. I fully appreciate the difficulty in securing trained teachers for this work for the possible salary.

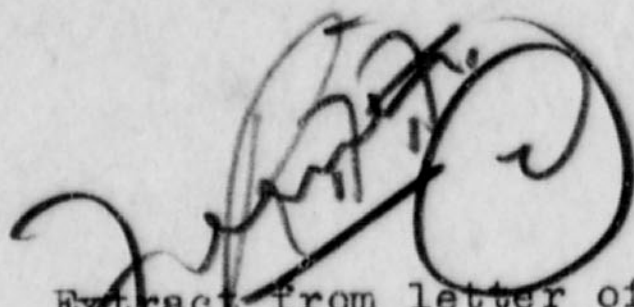
This School has an excellent staff, and is doing excellent work.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon

Wm. Gordon,
Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.



Extract from letter of Wm. Gordon, Indian Agent,
Norway House, Dated July 2, 1923 (His No. 7A)

Original on 123-5-10.

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The Department will doubtless observe that a number of the pupils, both boys and girls, but particularly the boys, have been out of the classroom a great deal. Much extra work is being done at the school, breaking new land, building fences, etc., but I would suggest that pupils under the age of 16 at least, or Grade 6 or even 7, should have at least half day classroom work, unless under very special circumstances.

(Sgd.) Wm. Gordon.

Ottawa, July 13, 1923.

Sir:

I have your No. 8 A of the 2nd instant, reporting generally on the Norway House Indian Boarding School. I have noted, with satisfaction, that you are in close touch with the activity at this institution at all times. The Department is pleased to note that the school is being well managed and is doing excellent work. You should make a special report on the repairs necessary to the foundation on the north side of the building. Indicate, if possible, what materials are needed and intimate whether or not expert labour would have to be engaged.

Your obedient servant,

W.G.

A.S.W.

A. S. Williams,
For Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

Ottawa, July 13, 1923.

Sir:

I have to refer to that portion of your No. 7 A of the 2nd instant, relative to the classroom attendance at the Norway House Indian Boarding School. The Department agrees that, unless under very special circumstances, the boys and girls in residential schools should have, regularly, a half day classroom activity. At the time of harvest, or when special work is being undertaken, it may be impracticable to have the older boys in the classroom; but, generally speaking, the Department insists on 5 half days' academic instruction per week.

Please intimate to the Principal the nature of this communication.

Your obedient servant,

ASW
A. S. Williams,
For Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Wm. Gordon
Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

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Brandon, February 7th, 1924.
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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

When the Superintendent of Indian Education and I were at Norway House a year ago last summer it was understood that the grant for attendance should be raised from 96 to 100 for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1923 and for the present fiscal year it was to be raised to 105. I have word from the principal that his average attendance will exceed 100 as he had 102 in actual residence at the beginning of the year. I would appreciate it very much if this could be noted when his reports come in and also that the Agent at Norway House be notified of the increase of the number for per capita grant.

Yours sincerely,

T. Ferrier

GD

Voted at 105
from Apr. 1, 1923

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Ottawa, Feb. 20, 1924.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 7th instant, with reference to the pupilage allowed in the case of the Norway House Indian Residential School. I am pleased to inform you that I am today directing a communication to the Indian Agent, notifying him that grant will be allowed for 105 in the case of this school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

A. J. M.
Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent,
Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

T. M. L.

Ottawa, Feb. 20, 1924.

Sir:

I have to inform you that the Department has increased the pupilage in the case of the Norway House Indian Residential School and that grant will be allowed for 105 as from the first of this calendar year. Please inform the principal.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN *mc*

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. T.
J. D. McLean
Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

C O P Y

OFF FILE NO. 207-8

No. 1554-21A

Norway House,
July 21, 1924.

Sir:-

I beg to report that on July 1st, two young men, Matthew Nakaway and Alex Saunders, Indians of this Reserve and returned soldiers, and who were employees of the Forestry Branch, - became intoxicated, and created considerable disturbance in the vicinity of and within the school here. I was away from the Agency at the time the trouble began. On my return, later in the evening, I was informed of the occurrence, and immediately placed the young men under arrest, and sent them to the R.C.M.P. Barracks.

The next morning, July 2nd, on the information and Complaint of the Principal, Mr. J.T. Blackford, I tried these men under Sec. 139, Sub.-sec. 2, and convicted them, and imposed a penalty on each of a fine of \$50.00 and costs, or two months' imprisonment. The fines were paid.

Before proceeding with the trial, the Principal informed me that he intended to press two other charges against the men, assault and Disturbing a Religious meeting. As these did not come within the jurisdiction of an Indian Agent, I did not proceed with them. One of these charges, Assault, we settled out of court, the young men agreeing to pay Mr. Blackford \$75.00 for broken teeth (false set), which money was paid the Principal through my hands. Regarding the second, the Principal sent to Cross Lake for a Magistrate, who fined the men \$30.00 each, with costs of \$27.60 each. In all, the spree cost each man about \$147.60.

Not yet content, the Principal demanded of the Forestry Superintendent for the District that the men be discharged. He stated, in my hearing, that he was going to see that they were discharged, if he had to write to Forestry headquarters at Ottawa. The men were discharged, I

The Indian Commissioner,
Indian Office, Regina.

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I understand the young men used very vile language at the school, and consider that they deserved severe punishment, which they received. I would say, however, that we have comparatively little drinking here, that these men were on the recreation ground, (Reserve property) when the trouble began, that their visit to the school was not entirely unprovoked, that three separate charges were laid against them, that they were quite submissive to me, and when I told them they must go to the Barracks offered no resistance; that they are good workers, and their services were entirely satisfactory to the Forestry Department; that one of these men lost a good house, upon which he had spent much time and money, only last winter, when away from home cutting wood for the school, and which he is now endeavoring to replace, and the loss of his employment means hardship, when work is scarce.

I would call attention to the calling of a Magistrate from Cross Lake, sixty miles away, at the expense of these men, and the costs imposed thereby, and also to the unwarranted action of the Principal in insisting on the discharge of these men from their employment.

Your obedient servant,

(Signed) Wm. Gordon,
Indian Agent.

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CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 207-8

No.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

D

REGINA, SASK., July 30th, 1924

Sir:-

I am enclosing herewith a copy of a letter that I received from Indian Agent Gordon, regarding the conduct of the Principal of the Norway House Boarding School in dealing with the case of two Indians who were charged with being intoxicated at Norway House.

I would ask if you think Mr. Blackford is a fit and proper person to have charge over an institution. If what Mr. Gordon says is true, I would say he is not. I have no hesitation in saying that he is a most unreasonable man, and I do not think this matter should pass without some further action being taken by the Department.

Your obedient servant.

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

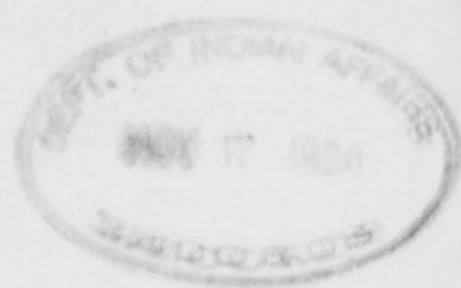
*Agent + Principal
have done good work
in harmony R.D.T.*

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R



LONG ON OUTPOST DUTY

Mrs. Willard Cummings, of Calgary, recently made a visitation of the Indian hospital, school and mission to the Crees at Norway House, nearly four hundred miles up Lake Winnipeg and the northern waterways of Manitoba. On return to Winnipeg she describes her surprise at finding at the northern post a boarding school which housed 100 boys and girls. It was well equipped and attractive as any similar institution in a city, Mrs. Cummings reports.

The hospital, which was burned down over a year ago, was being rebuilt. The Indian Department's generous and wise provision for educational needs of its wards found a warm admirer in the visitor, but her chief amazement was at the long service of the workers. The mission has been in charge of Rev. S. D. Gaudin, a Methodist, for the past thirty-four years, and his wife, a nurse, has been there for twenty-nine years.

The Indians, being trappers, were still nomadic and their long absences in the bush each year meant a trying loss in religious matters. The children were more and more remaining at school in residence and were acquiring more settled habits and modern outlook.

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Industrial School, Brandon, Man.,
September 3rd, 1925.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

The principal of the Norway House Boarding School informs me that he has a number of applications for pupils to be admitted and could easily accommodate 110.

I would like if the Department would increase the number for per capita grant from 105 to 110, to commence October 1st.

Kindly address reply directly to Mr. Blackford Norway House.

Yours respectfully,

T. Lorrice



Accommodate

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Ottawa, Sept. 23, 1925.

Sir:

I have to inform you that the Church Authorities have asked the Department to increase the pupilage of the Norway House Indian Residential School from 105 to 110. Before intelligent consideration can be given to this request, it will be necessary to know the exact size - three dimensions - of the dormitories. I understand that some months ago some alterations on the top floor provided more accommodation. Please explain to the Rev. Principal that the request is being considered and submit the figures to the Department at your earliest convenience.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Wm. Gordon
Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House,
Man.

INDIAN OFFICE

At.....Norway House.....

File 233-6A.

October 7th.....1925

Sir;-

Referring to your letter No.123-5-1, of Sept.25th. re the mooted increase of pupilage of the Norway House Residential School from 105 to 110, I today took the measurements of the dormitories in this school and found them roughly as follows;-

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17,586 cub ft } " 2. 31 " X 27ft.9 in. X 9 " 9 "
34,361 " } 3. 31 "2 in X 27 ft. 9 in X 10 ft.2 in.
4. 31 "2 " X 27 " 9 in X 10 " 2 "

I know of no increase in the sleeping accomodations for pupile in this institution. During the summer months some balcony space is utilized, but for at least six months of the year this is not used.

May I protest against any further increase to the pupilage of this Institution. In my opinion, a reduction should be made until the accommodation is increased. The dormitories are already overcrowded, while it is necessary to take some of the pupile into the Rossville Day school to relieve congestion in the two classrooms of the Boarding school. The latter is objectionable, but not impossible, but the overcrowding of the sleeping accommodations is a most serious matter.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

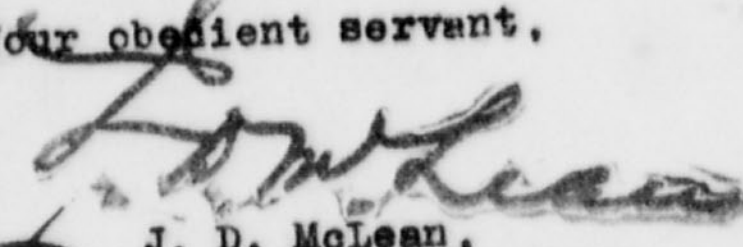
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accom. R.A.

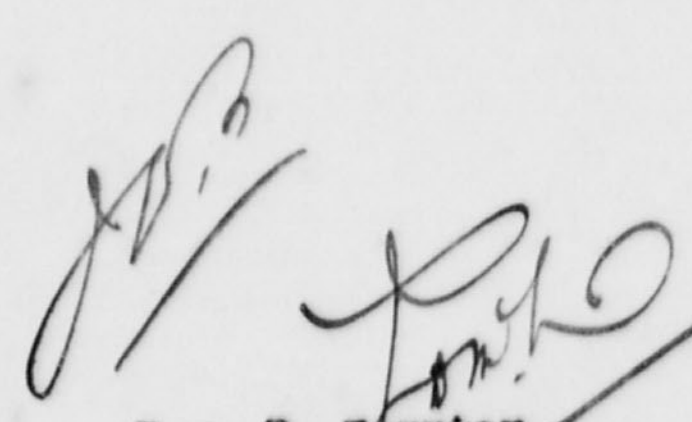
Ottawa, November 3, 1925.

Reverend Sir:

Relative to the request for an increase in the pupilage of the Norway House Indian Residential School from 105 to 110, I have to inform you that the number of pupils for which the grant is at present allowed is in excess of the accommodation as to air space in the school. The Department cannot approve of the increasing of the pupilage, owing to the present accommodation, and the number of 105 is not to be exceeded. We are requesting our agent at Norway House to inform the principal accordingly.

Your obedient servant,


J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent,
Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

123-5-1.

Ottawa, November 3, 1925.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 7th instant, giving the measurements of the dormitories at the Norway House Indian Residential School. In reply I have to inform you that the number of pupils for which the grant is at present allowed, viz.: 105, is not to be exceeded. You should inform the principal that he is not to recruit any children in excess of that number.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

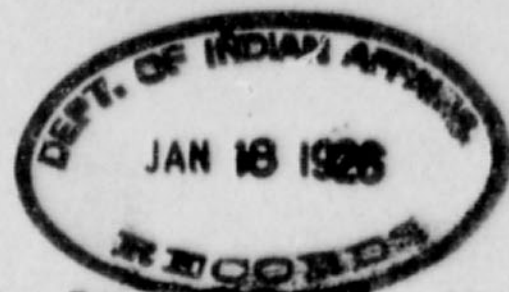
Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

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Indian Boarding School



Norway House, Man. Jan. 5 1926 19

The Supt. of Indian Education
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Sir,-

Some time ago I received word from the Indian Agent, Mr. Gordon, here, that, owing to lack of dormitory space, the Indian Dept. could not authorize as Grant earning pupils, a number in excess of that now pertaining-- viz. 105.

Not knowing how this matter was presented to the Indian Dept. by the Agent, and believing that if the former were informed of all the circumstances in this connection they would give a favourable consideration to our application to allow an increase in the number of pupils for this school, I would very respectfully ask the privilege of briefly stating here the case for the school.

It was never my intention to accept Applications for Admission in excess of the number authorized by the Indian Department. That this number has been exceeded was largely through the unexpected successful recruiting of boys.

Ever since the opening of this school the number of girls received from year to year has been greatly in excess of the number of boys. The number of pupils from distant Reservations were always small. That for several years several of the Outpost Reserves failed to send a child. That for several years we have been pushing the recruiting of children, especially boys, for the school. That it is only this last two seasons we have had much success.



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When the number of applications for admission of girls reached the maximum number of girls admitted to the school last year, no further applications were accepted-- the number thus deferred being fifteen.

Realizing that we had as much room for boys as we had for girls -- in fact a little more, the dimensions of dormitories is given at the last of this letter --- we did push the recruiting of boys. We were successful and we have five more boys than we had last year, viz. 47. We have no more girls than last year although, as I shall point out, we have more sleeping accommodation. This is owing to the fact that not less than four -- sometimes more -- girls sleep out on their balcony. This is Jan. 5th., the girls are still sleeping there and will continue to do so all winter. This has never been done in the winter before.

We have a spare room that could be utilized as sleeping apartments for a number of girls but -- as this room is not very convenient, it did not seem necessary, under the circumstances, to use it.

Briefly put -- 1st. That while we have but the same number of girls as last year we are utilizing more sleeping space.

2nd.- That, in my judgement, we have ample room for fifty boys while we have only forty seven in the school at present.

3rd.- That in refusing to accept more girls than we accommodated last year and in accepting more boys, I was not seeking to ignore the Dept's. instructions as to the number of pupils allowed but rather was I seeking to act in accordance with what I believed to be their active policy of keeping their Boarding schools full. I felt that, under the circumstances in which I found myself when school opened at the close of holidays, the Indian Department would approve of my actions?

Yours very Respectfully

James T. Blackford

Principal

Dimensions of dormitories

Big Boy	10' 2" high	31' 3" long	27' 10" wide	8842.88 cubic ft.
Small Boys	10' 2" "	31' 1" "	28' "	8848.38 " "
Big Girls	9' 10" "	31' 1" "	27' 9" "	8463.63 " "
Small Girls	9' 9" "	31' 3" "	27' 10" "	8480.46 " "
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Ottawa, January 20, 1926.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 5th instant, with reference to the pupilage at the Norway House Indian Residential School. I regret to inform you that the present pupilage of 105, must not under any circumstances be exceeded, until funds can be found for an addition. Serious danger to the health of the pupils would be the result of overcrowding the dormitories.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

James T. Blackford
James T. Blackford, Esq.,
Principal,
Indian Residential School,
Norway House, Man.

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Extract from Agent's Report on his Inspection of
the Rossville Indian Day School for the Month of
January, 1926.

Original on File #123-8-7.

*Noted
in action report*

The classrooms at the boarding school (Norway House) are overcrowded, and 18 of the pupils are attending the Rossville Day School, where there is ample room, and the teacher is not overworked.

The number of day pupils who can attend the Rossville School is very small the past couple of years, some having moved away, some have gone into the boarding school and some former pupils went to the R.C. day school at Jack River.

(Sgd.) Wm. Gordon,
Indian Agent.

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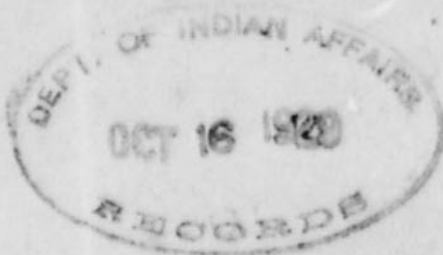
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Wrote [signature]
Duncan C. Scott, Esq., Litt.D., F.R.S.C.,
Deputy Superintendent General,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

October,
15th,
1929.

Dear Dr. Scott:-

RE NORWAY HOUSE
INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL.

On December 11th, 1928, the Rev. Thompson Ferrier wrote to your Department, pointing out the necessity of enlarging the Residential School at Norway House. This letter followed an interview, in which this matter was sympathetically discussed by your Department with Mr. Ferrier.

At the recent meeting of the Executive of the Board of Home Missions, a resolution was passed asking the Government to enlarge this institution to accommodate 130 pupils. This additional accommodation is urgently needed, as there is a waiting list of prospective pupils who ought to be cared for in this school.

We hope that this will meet with the approval of your Department, and that this necessary addition will be proceeded with as soon as possible.

Yours most faithfully,

Colin G. Young

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Ottawa, October 17, 1929.

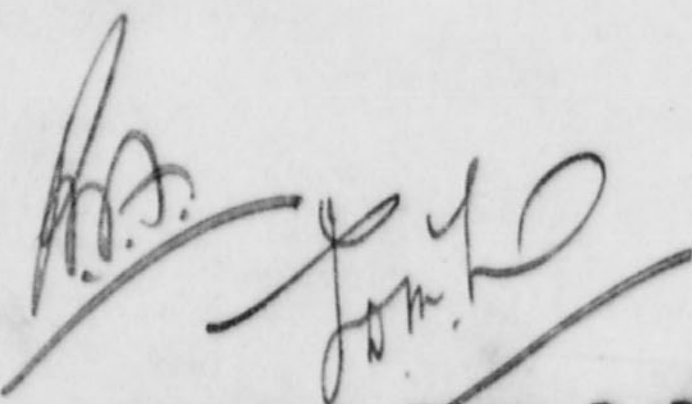
Reverend Sir:

I am directed to acknowledge your letter of the 15th instant, urging the Department to enlarge the Norway House Indian Residential School. Consideration will be given when our Estimates for the future are being prepared.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


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Mr. Shoup

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Duncan C. Scott, Esq., Litt.D., F.R.S.C.,
Deputy Superintendent General,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Dr. Scott:

Re Rev. W. W. Shoup

At the recent meeting of the Board of Home Missions it was unanimously agreed to recommend to the Department of Indian Affairs the appointment of the Rev. W. W. Shoup as Principal of the Boarding School at Norway House, Manitoba.

Mr. Shoup has had a varied experience in the Indian work, and the Board of Home Missions is convinced that he would render excellent service as Principal of this institution should your Department see fit to appoint him.

Yours most faithfully,

Colin G. Young

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O.K. MacGregor

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Ottawa, March 29, 1930.

Rev. Sir:

I have been directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 26th instant, nominating the services of Rev. W. W. Shoup as principal of the Norway House Indian Residential School.

In this connection it is noted that Mr. Shoup has had a varied experience in Indian work. The Department will approve of his appointment. It is hoped that he will meet with every success in the work. I should be grateful if you would state the date when the change in the principalship at the Norway House School takes effect.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.


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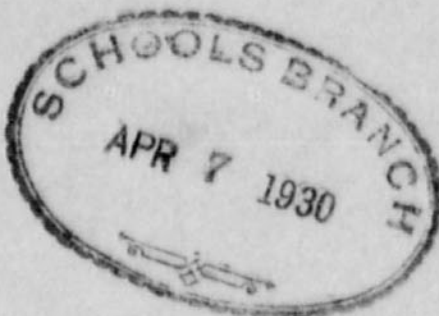
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ASSOCIATE SECRETARY

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A. F. MacKenzie, Esquire,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Mr. MacKenzie:

Re No. 123-5-1

Your letter of March 29th has just reached the office. We are grateful to your Department for the approval of the appointment of Rev. W. W. Shoup to Norway House Indian Residential School.

This appointment will take place on 1st July, 1930. We will be greatly pleased if the Department will make all arrangements for the necessary transfer when the new Principal takes up his work. This the Department has very kindly undertaken in other places.

Yours most faithfully,

Colin G. Young

CGY:BJ

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Ottawa, April 7, 1930.

Rev. Sir:

I have your letter of the 3rd instant, informing the Department that the change in the principalship at the Norway House Indian Residential School will take effect from July 1st, 1930. The Department is informing Mr. Agent Gordon, Norway House, and Mr. Commissioner Graham, Regina, of the approval granted for the appointment of the Rev. W. W. Shoup.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Colin G. Young
Rev. Colin G. Young, D.D.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

Ottawa, April 7, 1930.

Sir:

I have to inform you that the authorities of the United Church of Canada have nominated the services of Rev. W. W. Shoup as principal of the Norway House Indian Residential School to succeed Mr. J. F. Blackford. The Department is approving of the appointment of the Rev. Mr. Shoup. This change in principalship will take effect from July 1st, 1930.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. Gordon
Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
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Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

[Handwritten: 3 Letters.]

[Handwritten: W.M.G.]
W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

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From "The New Outlook"



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Northern Teacher Complimented

On the eve of his departure Mr. J. T. Blackford, an honored layman of The United Church and for the past nine years principal of our Indian Residential School at Norway House, was presented with a well-filled purse by the white and Indian people of that place. In the address which was read at the presentation reference was made to the virile community spirit which characterized all of Mr. Blackford's actions and his willingness to sacrifice his own comfort unstintingly for the welfare of others. Previous to taking over the work at the school Mr. Blackford had been in charge of the Forestry Station but even while engaged in that work he was active in the work of the Church, so much so that the Government Inspector reprimanded him for it. As principal of the school he has had the difficult task, but at the same time the great privilege, of helping to mould the lives of the Indian boys and girls under his care, many of whom, having graduated, are doing extremely well at this business of living. We wish Mr. and Mrs. Blackford and family every joy and happiness in the days to come.

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Residential School*

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NORWAY HOUSE

DETACHMENT

Mas. Dist. 31 W 625-8

REPORT ON CONCLUSION OF CASE

First Report:

Defendant William W. SHOUPResidence Norway House, Man.Occupation Principal of Indian Res.Offence and Sec. of Act. Sec. 291 C.C. of C., Common Assault

School

Date of offence 29/12/30Place of offence Norway House, Man.Information laid by Arthur Felix before Wm. Gordon P.M.at Norway House, Man. on 30/12/30Place and date of Trial Norway House, Man. 2/1/31 Plea Not guilty, indictment By Wm. Gordon P.M.Tried by Wm. Gordon P.M. of Norway House, Man.Adjournments Nil.Prosecutor or
Prosecuting Counsel R.C.M. PoliceDefense
Counsel Nil.Witnesses Everin Felix, Robt. Hart, Reuben McKay, Jos. Mason of Norway HouseWilliam Shoup & Miss Hart of Norway House for defense.Sentence Charge dismissed with warning to accused to punish only with the strap.

Disposition of fine

Serving
Costs. Summons \$ --- Arrest --- Attending
Court \$ ---Received by --- Justice fees \$ ---
Mileage --- Miles @ --- per mile \$ --- Total costs \$ ---Mileage collected \$ --- forwarded O.C. --- Rec'd
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Hdqs.Appeal Nil.Finger prints and photo forwarded O.C. --- Rec'd
Hdqs. Forwarded
C.C.I.B.Total expenses of case Nil.Previous convictions Nil.

Remarks The evidence of E. Felix, Treaty Indian boy, went to shew that acting on the instructions of his father, Arthur Felix, on the 29th. Dec. he had asked the accused for a sweater. Some words followed, which the accused apparently regarded as impudent, and according to the evidence of Felix, accused struck him in the head with his fist, knocked him down, kicked him and then dragged him across the floor to another room and strapped him. This evidence was corroborated by two boys Robt. Hart and Jos. Mason who were present at the time. The other boy Reuben McKay did not see the blow struck but saw accused catch hold of Felix by the collar. None of these witnesses heard anything said that they took to be insolent. Miss Hart in her evidence stated that accused was impudent to her by the tone of his voice, when asking for a sweater. She was not present and did not see the alleged assault take place.

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Investigated by #5169 Sgt. Saul D.C.

Forwarded to the Commissioner

Forwarded O.C. Division

Commanding Division.

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But she states that she heard someone fall.
In his own defense stated that the complainant's son had
been very impudent to him in the peremptory way that he asked for
a sweater. Accused states that he remonstrated with him for his
impudence and then had caught hold of the boy by the collar and
threw him across the room where he fell. Accused denied striking
or kicking him. Accused further stated that the boy would not get
up so he had dragged him to another room where he had administered
a strapping.

The boy Everin Felix is a lad of about 16 years, though small for
his age and bears a reputation for good behaviour, this being the
first occasion in the three years he has been at the school that it
has been necessary to inflict corporal punishment and the boy stated
in court that upon this occasion he did not know what he was being
punished for.

The accused took over as principal of the School last summer and
different stories regarding his harshness to the pupils have been
brought to my notice, this being the first one that action was taken
on.

Assuming that the boy deserved a strapping for his impudence, I do
not think it warranted the abuse he received.

D. C. Saul

Sergt.

(#5169 D.C.Saul)

In charge Norway House Detachment.
3rd. January 1931

The Commissioner,
Manitoba Provincial Police,
Winnipeg, Man.

Forwarded for your information, 23-1-31.
This case is quite unique in this District.

Supt.

A. B. Allard
O.C., R.C.M.P.,
Manitoba District.

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The Commissioner,
R.C.M. Police,
Ottawa, Ont.

Forwarded for your information, 23-1-31.

Supt.

A. B. Allard
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Manitoba District.

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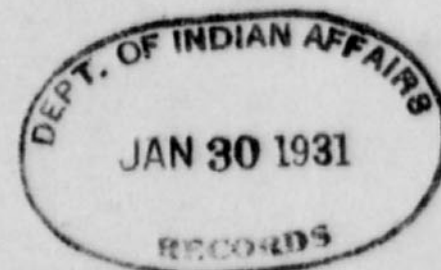
Ottawa.

Jan. 28th, 1931.

Your File No.

Sir:

Re: William W. Shoup,
Common Assault,
Norway House, Man.



Encl.

I beg to enclose, herewith, for your
information copy of report received from the Officer
Commanding Manitoba District,
dated January 3rd, 1931,
and such enclosures or attachments, if any, as are
mentioned therein.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

Cortlandt Starnes

Cortlandt Starnes,
Commissioner.

The Deputy Superintendent General,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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to note

Ottawa, August 25, 1931.

Reverend Sir:

The Department has been giving serious consideration to the health of the pupils at the Norway House Indian Residential School, and I write to enquire if you have thought of reorganizing the work so as to provide but one half day in the classroom for all pupils in residence. This would increase the hour during the day for outdoor work and play. The Department is prepared to authorize this without further correspondence, but I should be glad if you would let me know what is your reaction to this suggestion.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. Mackenzie
A. F. Mackenzie
Secretary.

W. W. Shoup
Rev. W. W. Shoup,
Principal,
Indian Residential School,
Norway House, Man.

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Norway House Indian Residential School

REV. W. W. SHOUP
PRINCIPAL



NORWAY HOUSE, MAN.

Jan. 5. 1932.

A. F. Mackenzie Esq.
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa — Ont

Dear Sir

Some time ago I received a communication re half-day classroom work in this Institution. I have awaited the time when I should feel more or less competent to speak on the plan and its results. After continuing from about Sept. 15: it would appear that I might be able to state something dependable. We instituted the change as soon as the re-arrangement of work could be carried out. Our plan was to open classes at 9 am. the year throughout instead of 9 am until Nov & 9:30 until April then moving to 9 am. Beginning classes at 9 am we have been continuing to 12:30 with the regular 10:30 intermission period. It seems

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our teachers can accomplish about as much effective service as under the old plan.

The Afternoons we devoted to out-door exercises. For the boys a course of regular military drill for upward of one hour - and then football or some other healthful games - all under the Sr Teacher. The girls have been given the regular courses of drill taught in Manitoba's ordinary Day Schools.

We have had a fine children's slide constructed according to our own invention. The Commercial slide was far beyond what I felt we could finance. This winter we have made a large open air rink on which all children of both sexes are allowed by turns.

Dr Turpel and myself have had several conferences re general health of the children and others concur in our

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verdict that on the whole the general appearance of the pupils is much more healthful. For a time the smaller girls seemed to find the exercises a little tiring but this seems to have gradually disappeared. Where any tendency seems to be present, these pupils are put to bed each afternoon for one hour's rest.

As must be expected we find we still have to battle against Tuberculosis tendencies in some but the fight seems to be a very decidedly favorable one except in the case of one little girl who was seriously affected before she came to the school. She has been in the hospital since Oct. 1st at which time her weight showed the decrease through the summer months & she is still present.

Studying the situation I am assured that the over-crowding of this school in the past accounts for the condition of many. But I understand, originally

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PRINCIPAL



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accommodate but about 88 or 90 its capacity was crowded to 105 during the last year of my predecessors term. We carried 100 last year and this year we are finding we can maintain what appears to be a more sanitary condition having but 89 pupils on our roll and a couple or three of these out for the year on sick leave.

I trust you will receive this report on this matter favorably and feel free to give me by return mail any comments or advices you may deem wise.

Yours

Sincerely Yours

W. W. Shoup

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Dr. Stoll
to note

Ottawa, January 20, 1932.

Reverend Sir:

*I am very pleased
at all this P.H.*

I have your letter of the 5th instant, with reference to the changes you have made at the Norway House Indian Residential School, with a view to improving the health of the pupils. I believe you have acted wisely in this connection, and I trust that there will be continued evidence that the present arrangements are beneficial.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier
Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

R.T.F.

Rev. W. W. Shoup,
Principal,
Indian Residential School,
Norway House, Man.

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Mr. Graham,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

North Bay, Ont. July 16-1932.

Dear Sir:

Two years ago I wrote you re a position, and Mr. Blackford gave me a personal recommend. I received a letter from your Office, informing me there was no position open at that time.

In the fall I was appointed Business Manager of the Queen Victoria Hospital, North Bay. I gave up my position at the end of the year, owing to ill health. I was also called to Norway House that year, to fill the position of Matron for the second^{time}, but had accepted the Hospital post.

I can furnish highest recommends as to character and ability. I have covered all branches of Household Science, and taught same. Was four years doing Social Service in Detroit, and also trained at Macdonald College. I hold a doctors recommend for the care of the children during my Matronship at Norway House, being the first for some years to bring all children through to holidays without a death. For further credentials, may I suggest you write to the following,--

Rev. Arthur Barner, Home Mission Rooms, Toronto.
Miss. Annie Gauley, United Church House,
Jarvis St. Toronto.
Dr. Margaret McKellar- Same address.
Mr. J. T. Blackford, Box 175- Winnipeg, Man.
Mr. J. C. Ross, Supt. Post Office, North Bay.

The latter was chairman of the finance when I was accepted as Manager at the Hospital. I am in excellent physical condition, and have spent a number of years on the prairies. I might also refer you to another

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fr. and—Mr. Dunlop, Asst. to Mr. Fletcher, Board of Education, Winnipeg.

If there is no vacancy at present, will you please place my letter on file, and perhaps at some future date you will be able to place me.

Trusting I may hear from you, and thanking you for any favor you may confer, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Coralyn Templeton

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Norway House, Man.,
March 29th, 1933.

Sir:-

I enclose formal report on the Norway House Residential School. May I offer a few observations for which there is not room on the form provided.

The school does not, in my opinion, fulfil its main functions to the extent that it should. I take it that the main object of a school should be, to advance the Indian, educationally, morally, physically and economically.

Educationally. The average school graduate can speak read and write English. He can make simple arithmetical calculations which help in trading. But he speaks Cree in his home, he does little writing, takes, with few exceptions, little interest in reading, and uses his figures very little. A few have gone on to Grades 8, 9, or 10. One boy from Island Lake, transferred from this school to Brandon after Grade 9 is reported as doing well. He has ambition. The average graduate, however, does not appear to take any interest in reading, or anything which would take his mind from the petty scandals, etc. of his companions, or would occupy his mind during his leisure time, to keep him out of mischief. Educationally, however, some gradual advance can be discerned.

Morally, the effect of the school appears to be detrimental. The segregation of boys and of girls, and the school restrictions appear to sharpen and develop in the pupil the sex idea, so that when they meet without these restrictions, this idea is dominant. The idea of resistance to the sex appeal does not appear to exist. One would naturally suppose that years of moral and religious training would inculcate some inhibitions, but except in rare individuals, this does not appear to be the case. Naturally, the girl who has been in the school dresses better, is neater and more cleanly than the average outsider, and as such is more attractive to the men. Add to this the fact that she is more sex conscious, and it can readily be seen that she has greater temptations than the girl who has been raised at home. Boy graduates also are likely to be more attractive to the women and girls, and at the age they graduate, have no desire to be moral. Having been in the school for some years, and being taught that education should make them superior to their parents, there is naturally very little restraint exercised by the parents on the school graduates.

Physically,- School graduates should be superior to those children brought up on the reserves. We hear frequently of "starving Indians" on the reserves in these days, and there is not doubt that in many families the food supplies are neither abundant nor varied. There should be no question of sufficient nourishment and variety of diet in the school. The school children should be more regular and cleanly in their habits; they sleep in well ventilated dormitories with regulation air space, rather than in small and practically sealed rooms, often

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April 15th. 1933.

Dear Mr. Gordon,

I have read with much interest your report of March 29th. dealing with the matter of Indian education. You set forth your observations and views very clearly and what struck me most in your report was that the views expressed agreed very largely with those to which I have arrived, both from reasoning a priori and from my somewhat small and short experience in the Department.

It seems to me that a clear distinction should be made between the educational development suitable for the hunting or primitive type of Indian, and those that are being prepared to earn their livelihood after the manner of white men. I may say that I am giving this matter considerable thought and, while the Department does not contemplate any immediate change in policy, there are several matters which deserve and will receive the fullest consideration.

I wish to thank you very much for the clear exposition of your views on a matter that is receiving considerable thought on the part of Department officials.

Yours faithfully,

Deputy Superintendent General.

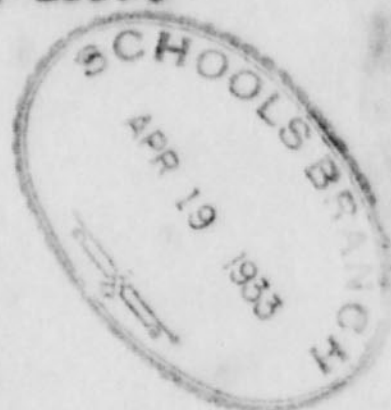
William Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

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S. H. Murphy

C. H. U.

April 18th. 1933.



MEMORANDUM

Hon. Thomas G. Murphy -

I am enclosing for your information a copy of letter which I have received from William Gordon, Indian Agent, Norway House, reporting on the Norway House Residential School, and Indian education in general.

Mr. Gordon's observations are sound and very clearly set forth, and I think might be considered in formulating a future policy in regard to Indian education.

H. C. U.

Deputy Superintendent General.

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INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS

I believe that a simple and less expensive course could be planned that would be of greater benefit to these people.

It may be outside my province but I think that certain features in the general management of this school could be ^{much} improved.

I want to assure you that I am not saying anything in a critical spirit. I am merely giving you a few ideas that have struck me and you may take them for what you may think they are worth.

Yours very truly,
J.E.S. Duncanson
School Inspector.



INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS

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607 Bury St., Winnipeg,
June 24/33.
Sec. Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



Dear Sir:

I hope you will not consider me presuming if I say something here in addition to what I have said in my report on the Norway House residential school.

The school is well equipped with modern machinery and comforts and the instruction given is careful and comprehensive and the pupils when they graduate could do good work if they continued to live under anything like similar conditions. But since those attending this particular school live under vastly different conditions I feel that the course offered here does not give the maximum preparation for life. And yet it costs a good deal.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Norway House, Manitoba.

January 19th, 1934

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 25 B.ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

In a previous report, in March last, I offered some criticisms of the effects of our Educational efforts, so far as applied to our Northern Indians. I realize that these criticisms were largely destructive in character. At the time, I had intended to follow with some suggestions as to improvement in our methods, but have found it difficult to clarify my ideas to a degree which would warrant their presentation to the Department.

I would suggest that, so far as our Indians are concerned, the main objects of education, in the order of value are;—

(A) The development of a stable and dependable character.

(B) To train the Indian to make the best use of the natural resources of his district for the maintenance of himself and his family. This would include thrift and conservation.

(C) Sufficient academic training that he may be able to read and converse intelligently in English, desire to read, and to protect himself from exploitation from whatever source. Exceptional cases, where higher education would be advisable, can be easily provided for.

I would like to see an experiment tried in this district; an experiment which, from its very nature, to be a success, would not be costly;—a large measure of self support being its very essence; and which should be a real benefit, not only to the pupils, but to the parents as well.

Island Lake would be an ideal place for this experiment. There are approximately 240 children between the ages of 7 and 16 years in this Band. Of these 35 attend Boarding Schools at Norway House, and about 140 were enrolled during 1933 as attending the Day Schools at Island Lake for varying periods. Our Island Lake people are very primitive in their ways, but are teachable and tractable. The majority of the men, and some of the women and children can and do read the Cree Syllabic in their bibles, hymn books and some church papers which reach them from time to time.

The natural resources of Island Lake are probably the best in this Agency. The cost of carrying goods into Island Lake is high. The population is large. Hence the necessity of developing these resources to the limit. On the islands in the lake, the timber is good, a considerable area of arable land could be found, almost any kind of vegetable or cereal of the North Temperate Zone

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Zone can be grown, fish abound in the lake. There is still a good supply of fur and game. There is abundance of water power at a short distance. The mines are still unproven.

My suggestion would be that a good location be chosen, preferably on an island, not too close to either reserve, where there would be a reasonable area of arable land, if possible also with sufficient timber for building purposes and for fuel for some years. Here experiments and tests might be made to determine the value and best means of developing and conserving the resources natural to Island Lake area. In this work the pupils would participate.

The school could be begun with very few pupils, boys, and the buildings be cottages or houses built largely of local material, and so constructed that they would serve as models for Indian homes, and some even for winter camp buildings. Some adaptations would, of course, be necessary. The academic work could be limited to a few hours per day, and instruction in, and practise of, building, carpentry, masonry, furniture making, skiff and boat building; clearing and cultivating the land, care of gardens and later of grains, fishing, care of nets, trapping, care of furs and skins, etc. and later, as the school developed, and it was found necessary, the care of horses, cows, pigs, poultry, etc. provided the growing of cereals was found practicable. Vacations could be taken during the best trapping seasons, or the supervisors could take boys trapping, to instruct in best trapping methods, and to supervise camp life.

The food could be limited, as far as possible, to that which could be grown and secured locally. This would be very important, as one of the chief objects of the school would be education in self support. The value of deer, moose and rabbit skins as articles of clothing and bedding could be emphasized, as well as methods of keeping them clean.

The houses would have such conveniences as could be constructed locally, and of local materials. Furnishings could be largely of local construction. Fireplaces in the houses would be very natural and beneficial. Strict sanitary rules could be enforced. All of which could later be expected of graduates in their own homes, as being possible for them to make for themselves.

I am of the opinion that such an experiment should be carried out by the Department, and not by either church. The sympathy and assistance of both the Protestant and Roman Catholic churches at Island Lake could and should be enlisted, and each church should look after the religious teaching of its own followers. The main principle, however, should be insisted on, that so far as possible, self-support be the basis and objective of the effort, and the rule of the school.

A staff of about three men and one woman should be necessary in the beginning; - a Principal or Manager; a Carpenter and builder; a handy man for gardening, fishing, etc. and a cook. The cook might require an assistant for some time, until she could depend on the assistance of some of the boys. These staff members would, of course, require to be exceptional in character and zealous in performance.

The work could be enlarged gradually, by the building
of

of more houses, and by additions to the staff. If the boys' unit proved successful, a girls' school could later be established along similar lines, or whatever experience proved as best.

I have tried to summarize my idea. Many details, of course, would require working out. Salaries and expenses would, of course, be met by the Department. A small sawmill would be very necessary. Later, if wheat growing proved successful, a small flour mill could be added.

I am of the opinion, that with the proper management, and with proper support, such an undertaking would be a success in the best sense of the word. The selection and retaining of a proper staff would probably be one of the greatest difficulties to be met, as they would need to be of very exceptional character.

I trust my suggestions may not be considered impertinent. My first essay in Indian work was in a school, a small Boarding School, which I think had a good reputation. Long years of experience, and close association with the schools convince me that our present system does not give satisfactory results among our Northern people. A desire for the improvement of conditions is my only object in presenting these suggestions for the consideration of the Department.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon

Wm. Gordon,
Indian Agent.

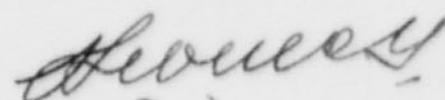
March 3, 1934.

Dear Mr. Gordon:-

I read with a great deal of interest your letter of January 19th, containing observations on the educational problems of your Agency.

In this connection I may say that I recall very distinctly the opinions contained in a communication from you last year. The views you expressed have impressed me as being essentially sound. In the letter I have before me you set out the problems very clearly. At the moment I am not in a position to pass an opinion as to the feasibility of the measures you suggest as providing the solution for these problems. However, I can give you my assurance that what you say will be given very thorough consideration and you may also rest assured that any suggestions that you have made could not possibly be considered an impertinence in any sense of the word.

Yours very truly,



Deputy Superintendent General.

William Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House,
Manitoba.

COPY.

Norway House, Man.
February 9th. 1934.

Dear Sir:-

I have been informed that the present principal of the Norway House Residential School has been given notice that his services as principal will be no longer required. I am bound to say that at this occasion me regrets, and I take this opportunity to write you and express them.

I have been connected with this school since 1927 as Medical Attendant, and to-day the general health of the pupils is better than ever before. Rev. Mr. Shoup has been paying particular attention to their health since his arrival, and has succeeded in his efforts to a marked degree. His first thought has been for the welfare of the children's health, and comparison with health standards before his arrival are decidedly favorable to his efforts.

Mr. Shoup has at all times given his whole-hearted co-operation in all matters relating to my work and suggestions, this was not the case before his arrival here. The diet of the children has undergone considerable change since his advent. This change of diet, or rather the study he has made of the present diet reflects itself in the health of the pupils. He has developed to a marked degree the gardens at the school and the vegetables have improved the children's health.

Might I also point out that he has had to carry on his work with a substantial reduction of the Federal grants. In doing this, credit must be given him for his ability as a manager under extremely unfavorable circumstances. The ability of a man to carry on under the conditions with which he has had to contend, and at the same time present a favorable balance sheet, cannot be overlooked.

The children are far better clothed at the present time than at any time under another principal. He has also augmented the supply of cows, and developed the live stock end of the farming activities.

In conclusion, I must once more express my regrets at his dismissal and in this unsolicited letter give him credit for what in my estimation has been a worthy achievement. I must also state that I have found him at all times willing to co-operate in any way to better conditions that would add to the comfort and welfare of his pupils.

Yours Sincerely,

W.N. Turpel, M.D.; C.M.

Med. Spnt. N.H. Hospital.

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Norway House Indian Residential School

REV. W. W. SHOUP
PRINCIPAL



NORWAY HOUSE, N.

Feb 27. 1934

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Sec. Indian Affairs
Ottawa
Dnl*

Dear Sirs

*I am enclosing a copy of
a letter from Dr. Dupel addressed
to the Secretaries and Executive
of the Mission Board. This is
for your information*

Sincerely

W. W. Shoup

REV. D. C. MACGREGOR, D.D.
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Board of Home Missions

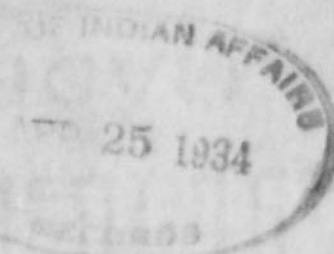
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REV. KENNETH J. BEATON, B.A.
ASSOCIATE SECRETARY



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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

April 24th,
1 9 3 4.

Dear Sir:

Re: Norway House Indian Residential
School.

The Board of Home Missions at its recent session unanimously nominated Rev. R. T. Chapin, B.A., as Principal of the Norway House Indian Residential School, from July 1st, 1934.

Mr. Chapin is a graduate in arts and theology of Victoria University, in the University of Toronto. He was an aeroplane mechanic during the War. For the last fifteen years he has been a missionary in Northern Manitoba - for eleven years at Island Lake and since 1930 at Norway House. He is well and favorably known to all of the Indians served by this Residential School and I feel certain that under his guidance the School will attain a standard of efficiency which it has never yet achieved.

Hoping that this meets with your approval,

I am

Yours sincerely,

[Handwritten signature: Kenneth J. Beaton]

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April 28, 1934.

Memorandum:

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I would appreciate your concurrence in his appointment.

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Oct. 30/34

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Deputy Superintendent General.

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Harold W. Gill

Deputy Superintendent General.

*Approved
J. G. M.*

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Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, May 4, 1934.

Rev. Kenneth J. Beaton,
299 Queen St. W.,
Toronto, Ont.

Department approves appointment Rev. R. T. Chapin

Principal Norway House Residential School.

A. F. MacKenzie.

Chg. Dept. I.A.

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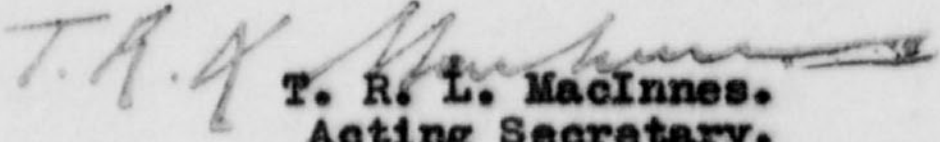
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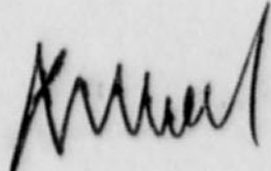
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Your obedient servant,


T. R. L. MacInnes.
Acting Secretary.



Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

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Mr. Agent Gordon has been so advised.

Your obedient servant,

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T. R. L. MacInnes
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Acting Secretary.

(over)

A. G. Hamilton, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg, Man.

Ottawa, May 4th, 1934.

Reverend Sir,-

With reference to your letter of the 24th ultimo, I beg to confirm the following telegram sent you this morning:-

"Department approves appointment Rev. R. T. Chapin Principal Norway House Residential School"

It is noted from your letter of the 24th ultimo that Reverend Mr. Chapin will take charge of the Norway House School on July 1st, next. Mr. Agent Gordon is being so informed.

Your obedient servant,

T. R. L. MacInnes (over)
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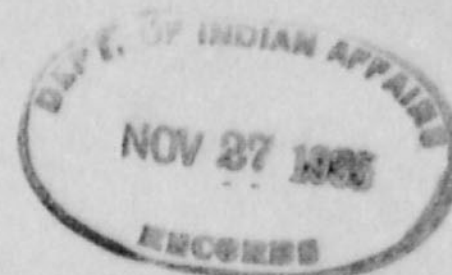
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Rev. Kenneth J. Beaton, B. A.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. W.,
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Norway House, November 26, 1935.

SECRETARY,
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OTTAWA, Ont.

OUTBREAK OF CHICKEN POX IN UNITED CHURCH
RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL HERE. TWO CASES. BOTH RESI-
DENTIAL SCHOOL AND ROSSVILLE DAY SCHOOL CLOSED.
UNDER QUARANTINE. LETTER FOLLOWING.

P. G. Lazenby.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENTS



Norway House, Man:
21st April 1936.

Ref: 8-A

Sir,

I beg to report that on the 19th March last, I inspected the Norway House Indian Residential School, but owing to the illness of the teacher of the junior pupils of the school, which are taught in conjunction with the Rossville Day School, I postponed making the report until her recovery and return to duty.

I found everything inside the building in very good condition in every way. The dormitories were clean and orderly, and well aired. The bed clothing was also clean and in good condition.

The laundry was in good working order, all the machinery being in good condition.

The sewing room was clean and tidy. All the sewing machines are in good working order. The pupils are making good progress in this department, and becoming good needle workers.

The kitchen was clean and orderly in every way, and the work carried on in this department is efficient and systematic.

The pupils' dining room was in first class condition, perfectly clean and orderly. The meals served to the pupils are of good wholesome food, and they get a nice variety, always well prepared.

In the senior class room, under Mr Walter Mutch, the teacher, there were 25 pupils present, all of them being in grades 1 and 2, excepting one, this one being a grade VII pupil. The pupils were all clean and tidy. Their reading had improved slightly since my last inspection. I gave the pupils several mental arithmetic questions, which they answered fairly well. The book work generally was good, showing improvement had taken place. The register was made up to date.

To-day, the 21st April, I inspected the junior class room of the residential school, which is conducted in amalgamation with the Rossville Indian Day School; the teacher being Miss Edythe Smith-Windsor. There are 46 residential school pupils on the roll, of whom there were 21 present at the time of my visit, which was in the morning. The balance of the pupils attend in the afternoon. The attendance of the residential school pupils averages about 40. There were 18 Day School pupils on the roll, of whom there were 8 present, the average of these pupils being about 10.

The Day School building, and its equipment
- were -

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.,

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were in good condition, clean, and well kept. Both Day School and Residential School registers were marked up to date. The pupils' book work was generally very good; both writing and figures being well and neatly made, and the arithmetic was generally accurate. With regard to the reading, the chief difficulty is getting the pupils to speak out so that they can be heard. These pupils of course are just young children, and no doubt they will improve in time.

A new stove is needed in this school, and I would recommend that one be provided before next winter.

The Principal and staff of this residential school show keen interest in their work, and are continually seeking ways and means of making improvements wherever possible, and then making them. A staff meeting is held weekly, at which the various phases of the school work are discussed.

I may also say that fire drill is carried out on an average of at least once a month.

Your obedient Servant,

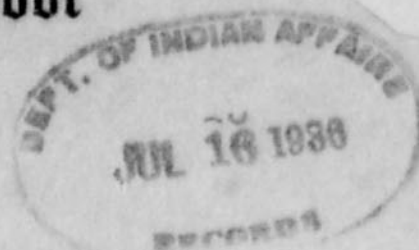


P.G. Lazenby.
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Norway House Indian Residential School

REV. R. T. CHAPIN, B.A.

PRINCIPAL



NORWAY HOUSE, MAN.

July 11th 1936.

EXD.

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Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Ont.

Sirs:-

Would you kindly send me graduation certificates
for the following of our children who are graduating
from the School this summer.

Board met on July 17/36
0204 Walter Felix
0207 Rose Beardy
0222 Betsy Muswaggon
0231 Lydia Perch
0239 Rosalie Sinclair
0245 Annie Halcro

With thanks,

Yours truly,

R. T. Chapin

Principal.

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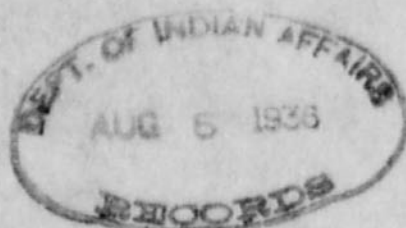


NORWAY HOUSE, MAN.

August 3rd 1936.

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The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



EX'D.



*Noted
R.T.*

Dear Sir:-

At the suggestion of the Indian Agent here I am advising you that in arranging holidays for the Staff this summer I arranged my own for September. The main reason of this is that I might be in Toronto that month, where Mrs. Chapin is awaiting childbirth.

Mr. R. L. Stevenson, our engineer who has been on the staff a number of years, will be left in charge. The matron, Miss A. Wright, will be left in charge of the girls' work.

Hoping this arrangement will be satisfactory!

Yours truly,

R. T. Chapin
Principal.

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

Ref: 8-A

Sir,



Norway House, Man:
28th June 1937.

EX'D.
H.

I beg to report that I inspected the Norway House Indian Residential School on the 25th instant.

Examinations were in progress in the class room.

The register was marked up to date.

There were 13 pupils present at the time of my visit, and the average attendance for the present quarter was approximately 37.

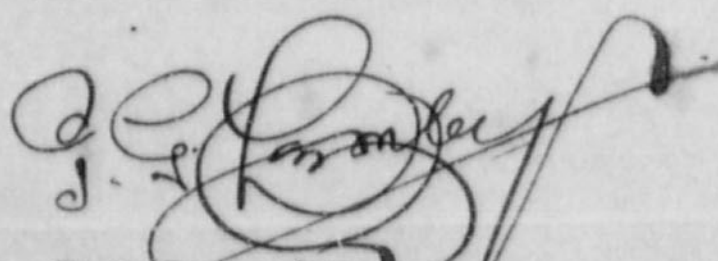
The present class room teacher is leaving this school at the end of June, and has been appointed teacher of the United Church Indian Day School at God's Lake Reserve for the season.

The teacher advised me that at the beginning of the present quarter, there were many absences and late comers, owing to the boys being sent on such errands as bringing the cows in, being locked in the dormitory etc; and no excuse was sent to explain the absence or lateness. The teacher took the matter up with the Principal, and it was corrected. The teacher wished to state this, so as to explain any possible drop in the average attendance.

The school building was clean and orderly in all departments, and the pupils, both girls and boys were clean and well clothed.

There has been one change in the staff, the kitchen matron having left and a new matron replacing her, named Miss Sargent.

Your obedient Servant,


P.C. Hazenby.
Indian Agent.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Ont.:

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MONTREAL, NOVEMBER 25, 1937.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
LEGISLATIVE BUILDINGS,
OTTAWA.

DEAR SIR;

MY SISTER-IN-LAW WHO IS AN ARTS GRADUATE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MANITOBA IS RECOVERING IN THE ROYAL VICTORIA HOSPITAL HERE AFTER A VERY SERIOUS AND PAINFUL ILLNESS. DURING HER DELIRIUM SHE IMAGINED HERSELF BACK IN THE INDIAN BOARDING SCHOOL AT NORWAY HOUSE WHERE SHE SERVED AS MISSIONARY-TEACHER UNDER THE UNITED CHURCH. STRANGELY ENOUGH, ALTHOUGH SHE IS A SINGULARLY SUCCESSFUL HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER, SHE HAS NEVER BEEN ABLE TO SHAKE OFF THE LURE OF THE NORTH.... SHE IS NOW ON THE SAFE ROAD TO RECOVERY. AT OUR EVERY VISIT TO THE HOSPITAL SHE SPEAKS OF NORWAY HOUSE AND "THE HAPPIEST YEARS OF MY LIFE," AS SHE PUTS IT. SHE WAS INTENSELY FOND OF THE INDIAN CHILDREN LARGELY FOR THE REASON THAT "THEY HAVE SO LITTLE." BOTH OF THE INDIAN GIRLS WITH WHOM SHE USED TO CORRESPOND HAVE DIED OF T. B., AND THE WHITES WITH WHOM SHE WORKED ARE NO LONGER THERE. YOUR DEPARTMENT HAS UNDOUBTEDLY RECORDS ON FILE CONCERNING THE NORWAY HOUSE INSTITUTION, AND I AM WONDERING IF YOU WILL BE KIND ENOUGH TO SUPPLY CERTAIN INFORMATION.....

HOW MANY CLASSROOMS ARE IN OPERATION THERE NOW FOR RESIDENTIAL AND DAY PUPILS? IS THE PRINCIPAL OF THE SCHOOL A "REVEREND" GENTLEMAN OR A LAY TEACHER? IF MY SISTER-IN-LAW WERE TO RETURN TO INDIAN WORK, WOULD HER EARLIER YEARS OF SERVICE AS CLASS TEACHER COUNT TOWARD PENSION? HOW MANY YEARS OF SERVICE ARE NECESSARY TO ENTITLE A TEACHER OF INDIAN CHILDREN TO PENSION ACCORDING TO DEPARTMENT REGULATIONS? (SHE HAS THE IDEA THAT TEACHERS OF A STRICTLY "RESERVE" SCHOOL BECOME ELIGIBLE FOR PENSION AND THAT QUALIFIED TEACHERS DOING SIMILAR WORK UNDER CHURCH DIRECTION MAY MISS IT BECAUSE THEIR SALARIES ARE PAID IN THE FORM OF CHEQUES FROM THE CHURCH HOME MISSION FUNDS — NOT IN THE FORM OF AN INDIAN DEPARTMENT CHEQUE. I CAN NOT BELIEVE THAT A WORKER WOULD BE DEBARRED FROM PENSION BECAUSE OF SUCH A TECHNICALITY.... LASTLY, WHAT IS THE APPROXIMATE SCALE OF REMUNERATION AT PRESENT FOR A HIGHLY QUALIFIED, PROFESSIONALLY-TRAINED TEACHER WITH SUCCESSFUL EXPERIENCE?

THANKING YOU IN ANTICIPATION OF A REPLY,

I AM,

YOURS VERY TRULY,

OAK EDUCATIONAL TEXTS,

L. C. Davison

LCD-H.

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Rev. R. T. Chapin

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EX'D.

Ottawa, November 29, 1937.

Dear Sir:-

I have your letter of the 25th instant requesting certain information regarding the Norway House Residential School.

Our recent report indicates that there are two classrooms in operation in this school. The Principal is Reverend R.T. Chapin.

At Indian Residential schools, the staff is engaged by the church authorities, under whose auspices the school is conducted. There is no system of superannuation for teachers in Indian day or residential schools. Salaries of teachers in Indian Day Schools depend on the size and location of the school. Salaries of teachers in residential schools are determined by the school management.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

L.G. Davison, Esq.,
Oak Educational Texts and Service,
1056 McKay Street,
Montreal, Quebec.

OFFICE OF THE
INDIAN AGENT

CANADA
DEPARTMENT
OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 8-A

Norway House, Man:
13th November 1937.

Sir,

I beg to report that on the morning of the 9th instant, I inspected the Norway House Indian Residential School, and on the 12th instant, I paid a second visit to the class room, as the classes are not the same, morning and afternoon.

Since the summer vacation, there have been one or two changes in the school staff. A new matron, named Mrs Lindsay, arrived by the last boat of the season from Winnipeg. A new class room teacher has also been installed, taking the place of Mr Meadows, who was the teacher last year. The new teacher's name is Mr Smith, and he was teacher at the Brandon Indian Residential School for one year before coming to Norway House. He has a 2nd Class Ontario teacher's certificate. A new sewing room teacher, named Miss Verla McDougald, has taken over the duties of the sewing room, held last year by Miss McCullough who is now duty officer. An extra man, named James Gilmour, who had been employed at the Alberni B.C. Indian Residential School, has also been taken on the staff.

On my visit to the school on the 9th instant, I found all the various departments in good order and clean in every way. The laundry is badly in need of a new washing machine. The present one will do well to last another year, as since the holidays, the wood work of this machine seems to be rotting very rapidly, and it is difficult to hold it together. The kitchen and pupils' dining room were both clean and in good order. All dormitories were also clean and in good order.

There were 54 pupils on the class room register, including grades 1 Junior to Grade 8. There were no grade 6 pupils. The average attendance in the class room since the holidays, was approximately 47. There were 29 present at the time of my visit. The register was marked up to date. The book work of the pupils was well done, both as to neatness and accuracy. The pupils present were of grades 1 junior to grade 3.

There has been much sickness in the school during the past month or so, chiefly very severe colds. there were 3 cases of pneumonia. All these however, had made good recovery. There was one case of erysipelas in the school at the time of my visit.

When I visited the school a second time, on the 12th instant, I went downstairs to see the high pressure boiler, which had not been operating when I visited the
- school -

The Secretary
Indian Affairs Branch
Department of Mines & Resources
Ottawa, Ont.

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school on the 9th instant. I found that this boiler was carrying a pressure of 60 lbs per square inch, and two Indian boys were in charge of it. One of these boys was probably 20 years of age; a graduate of the school, and employed there, named Hedley Ross. This boy, while no doubt a handy sort of boy in many ways, is not a qualified engineer, and in my opinion, should not be left in charge of this boiler. In connection with this matter, I beg to refer you to my inspection report regarding this school dated 28th October 1936, and the official letter of the Department, No; 123-5-5, dated 3rd December 1936 addressed to the Principal of the school, regarding the operation of this boiler. Mr R.L. Stevenson, a member of the school staff, has a 3rd class engineer's certificate, and should in my opinion, as I previously said, always be in direct charge of this boiler when it is in operation.

The pupils present on this afternoon, were of grades 4, 5, 7 and 8. There were 21 present. Their work was very creditable, both book work, and blackboard work. After recess every afternoon of the week except Tuesdays, the pupils of these grades are given 15 minutes of physical exercise, and on the afternoon of my visit, this exercise was very well done considering the short time they have been doing it, but no doubt improvement will come as they continue the exercises.

I am forwarding a copy of this report to Mr Inspector A.G. Hamilton for his information.

Your obedient Servant,

P.G. Lazenby
P.G. Lazenby.
Indian Agent.

EX'D.

Ottawa,
January 31, 1938.

Reverend Sir:

The Department would appreciate your advising the number of milking cows at the Norway House Residential School at the present time. When were they tested and are you satisfied that they are free from bovine tuberculosis?

If you find it necessary to purchase milk for use at your school please let me know if this is secured from tuberculosis free herds.

An early reply to this letter would be appreciated.

Yours truly,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Rev. R. T. Chapin, B. A.,
Principal,
Indian Residential School,
Norway House, Man.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 8-a

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Norway House, Man:
5th December 1938.

Sir,

I beg to report that in the afternoon of the 29th November, I inspected the Norway House Indian Residential School.

There have been several changes in the school staff since the summer holidays. Mrs Lindsay, who had been the Matron, was compelled to leave owing to poor health, and her place has been filled by Mrs Carefoot. Miss Reed is now kitchen matron in place of Miss Forsyth who resigned; Miss Grace Matter is now the boys' matron in place of Miss Anne Wright who resigned; and Miss Phyllis Martin is now duty officer.

At the time of my visit, all departments of the school were in good order, and quite clean and tidy. All the laundry machines have now been operated by electric motors since the installation of the new electric plant at the agency, in October last. This change, from the old belt drive from an overhead drive shaft, has greatly improved things, and eliminated a great deal of noise. All the dormitories were clean and in good order, as were also the kitchen and the pupils' dining room.

There were 61 pupils on the class room register, 26 of whom were present at the time of my visit. The register was marked up to date. There is an unusually large number of beginners this year, and these have had to be divided between the class room in the residential school, and the Rossville Indian Day School, as there are too many for one alone. The same teachers as last year were re-engaged, namely, Mr Alex Smith at the residential school, and Miss Edythe Smith-Windsor at the Rossville Day School. I found the pupils very attentive, at the residential school, and they are doing well at their work, especially the older ones.

The fire protection apparatus was in good condition. There was an outbreak of fire in the roof of the school on the 24th November, concerning which a special report has been forwarded. The slight damage done on that occasion has been repaired.

Your obedient Servant,

P.G. Lazenby.
Indian Agent.

The Secretary
Indian Affairs Branch
Ottawa, Ont.

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Norway House, Oct. 23rd, 1939.

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EX'D.
A.

On the 27th John George Moore, of Norway House Band reported to the office, that his boy had gone home from the residential school, and complained that he had been beaten by a member of the school staff. I investigated the matter, and found that the boy's story had been greatly exaggerated, which he himself admitted. The boy willingly returned to the school. However, I recommended to the principal, that in no case should any form of punishment, however slight, be administered by a staff member, but all such cases should be dealt with by either the principal or the matron.

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P. G. Lazenby.
Indian Agent.

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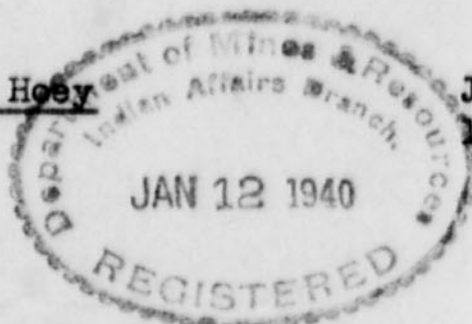
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY

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Attention : Mr. R. A. Hoey

January 11th,
1940.



The Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Sirs:

Re - Norway House Residential School

In a letter received this morning from Rev. R. T. Chapin, Principal of the Norway House Indian Residential School, he draws our attention to a slight discrepancy in the amount of the grant to the School received from the Department for the September quarter and the amount which he reckons was actually earned. Mr. Chapin reports an aggregate attendance of 9415, making the average 102.34 and the grant, on a per capita basis of \$175.00, \$4477.37. The amount received from the Department was \$4450.91.

Perhaps you would be good enough to look into this matter and let us know the reason for the discrepancy.

Believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

MLT.

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Sept. Relwin Shows
an error in addition
on Page 2.

Aggregate Attendance

Shown as 9415

Corrected to 9484

Aver. 103.08

4509.75

58.84

Less Freight
on cited round

4450.91

ad.
Ottawa,
January 15, 1940.

Reverend Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 11th instant regarding the September quarter per capita allowance of the Norway House Indian Residential School I may say that this return was carefully checked and the aggregate attendance was found to be 9484 and not 9415 as shown by the Principal.

The correct aggregate attendance gave an average attendance of 103.08 and earnings of \$4509.75. From this amount \$58.00 was deducted for freight on oil drums returned from the school. This left a balance of \$4450.91, a cheque for which amount was forwarded to your Treasurer.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Rev. R.B. Cochrane, D.D.,
Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

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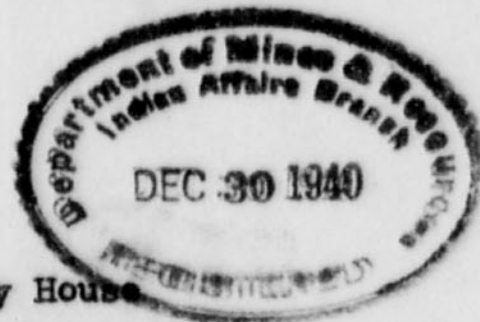
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Attention of Mr. R. A. Hoey

Dec. 28th,
1940.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.



My dear Mr. Hoey:

Re: Principalship of Norway House
Residential School.

I am now in a position to make a nomination for the Principalship of the Norway House Residential School. You will remember that you have already approved of the appointment of Mr. Chapin, who is now at Norway House, to the Brandon School in succession to Dr. Doyle who retires at the end of June next.

Our Executive decided at its last meeting to recommend as the successor to Mr. Chapin at the Norway House School, Mr. A. E. Caldwell, who was, as you know, until recently the Principal of the Ahousat School in British Columbia. Since leaving Ahousat Mr. Caldwell has been in charge of our Kitamaat Mission up the Coast of the mainland of British Columbia.

We believe that Mr. Caldwell has the experience and the ability to make a successful Principal of Norway House, and also he knows the Indian quite thoroughly and has executive ability of quite a high order. We would like to have your approval of this nomination at the earliest possible moment. We think it might be wise to have Mr. Caldwell go to Norway House before Mr. Chapin leaves so that they might be together for at least a couple of weeks. Kitamaat, as you know, is somewhat isolated and there is only one boat a month so that Mr. Caldwell might have to leave Kitamaat at the end of March, if he is to have any time with Mr. Chapin before the latter leaves for Brandon.

With all the Season's Greetings and every good wish for the New Year, believe me

Very sincerely yours,

[Handwritten signature]

RBC:FMW

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Ottawa,
December 31, 1940.

Dear Doctor Cochrane:

With reference to your letter of the 28th instant the Department approves the appointment of Mr. A.E. Caldwell as Principal of the Norway House School to succeed Mr. Chapin.

It is noted from your letter that Mr. Caldwell will reach Norway House early in April, 1941.

I desire to take this opportunity of extending Season's Greetings and best wishes for the New Year.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.


Rev. R.B. Cochrane, D.D.,
Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

Copy sent to Mr. Hamilton

Ottawa,
December 31, 1940.

Dear Sir:

It is the intention of the Board of Home Missions of the United Church of Canada to transfer Mr. Chapin, Principal of the Norway House Indian Residential School, to the Brandon Residential School early in April, 1941. Mr. Chapin will eventually succeed Dr. Doyle as Principal of Brandon. The latter is retiring on June 30, 1941.

Mr. A.E. Caldwell, formerly Principal of the Indian residential school at Ahousaht, B.C., will arrive at Norway House early in April and following Mr. Chapin's departure will take over the duties of Principal of the Norway House School.

Please give Mr. Caldwell every possible assistance.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. P.G. Lazenby,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

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Mr. Hoey
Your File
123-5-1

Attention: Mr. R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

January 3rd,
1941.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.



My dear Mr. Hoey:

I am this morning in receipt of your letter of December 31st, approving of the appointment of Mr. A. E. Caldwell as Principal of the Norway House Residential School, to succeed Rev. R. T. Chapin. We are glad to have confirmation of this appointment and are planning to have Mr. Caldwell reach Norway House early in April.

Heartily reciprocating your good wishes for the New Year,

Believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

RBC.
MLT.

Robert B. Cochrane

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ORIGINAL ON

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NORWAY HOUSE AGENCY

MANITOBA

22 January 1941.

Sir,

I beg to forward herewith in duplicate, my
report and Diary for the month of December 1940, as follows:

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On the 14th, at 6 a.m. the United Church Mission
House was destroyed by fire, the missionary and his wife just
escaping from the burning building in their night clothes.
Some men and boys from the residential school managed to
save a few pieces of furniture from one of the ground floor
rooms, but apart from these, everything was lost. A collection
was taken up around the district the same afternoon, to assist
the missionary to procure some immediately needed essentials..

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x

P.G. Lazenby
Indian Agent.

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Salvo
Attention of Mr. R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare and Training.

February 1st,
1 9 4 1.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.



Dear Mr. Hoey: Re - Mission House at Norway House

You no doubt know that our mission house at Norway House was recently burned to the ground. We shall, of course, replace it. Nothing, however, can be done until the summer. The house was a very large building and was difficult to heat. Dr. Cormie and I were very favorably impressed with the house which your Department built for the Principal of the School, which is occupied by Mr. Chapin. In a letter Dr. Cormie suggests that we should try to erect that kind of a house for our missionary. I wonder if it would be possible for your Department to furnish us with the plans of this house. I may say that I am not unmindful of the fact that plans cost money, but if it were possible to have this set of plans, we might consider them, and, if they were found suitable and within our financial resources, we might use them without having new ones drawn.

Would you be good enough to take up the matter with the proper person in your Department and let us know what can be done about it?

GD.MLT

Yours sincerely,

Hoey Dorey

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Ottawa,
February 4, 1941.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

I have your letter of the 1st instant requesting a plan of the Principal's residence at the Norway House Indian Residential School.

Our records indicate that this building was erected by day labour in the fiscal year 1928-29 at a cost to the Department of approximately \$7000.00.

I have reviewed our files and the only reference to a plan which I can find is contained in a letter from the late Rev. T. Ferrier dated April 27, 1928, which read in part as follows:

"The blueprint of what we considered a suitable house for the money we have at our disposal has been sent by your architect to Mr. Blackford, the Principal, for his approval, with minor changes if so desired by the Principal."

The building was erected by day labour and it appears from the above quotation that the plan was sent to Mr. Blackford who was then Principal of the Norway House School. We have no record of this plan having been returned to this office. Possibly it is still in the school records at the Norway House Residential School.

Yours truly,



Rev. Geo. Dorey, D.D.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

R.A. Hoey,
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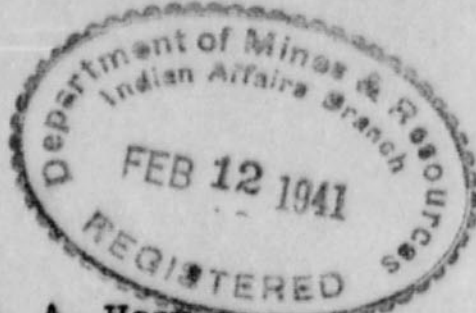
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[Handwritten signature]
Attention of Mr. R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

February 10th,
1 9 4 1.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Hoey: Re - Plans, Principal's Residence,
Norway House (Your file 123-5-1)

Thanks very much for your letter of Feb-
ruary 4th. We shall make enquiry at Norway House con-
cerning the plans mentioned in your communication.

Yours sincerely,

[Handwritten signature: R. A. Dorey]

GD.MLT

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 6 - a

Norway House, Man.,
April 1st, 1941.

Sal. Hales
Sir:

I have to advise that Mr. A. E. Caldwell today took over the duties of Principal of the Norway House Indian Residential School - succeeding Rev. R. T. Chapin who proceeds to Brandon to take up the Principalship of the Indian Residential School (United Church) at that point.

Your obedient Servant,

Chas. N. C. Roberts
P. G. Lazenby,
Indian Agent.

Per: *Chas. N. C. Roberts*
Chas. N. C. Roberts,
Acting Indian Agent.

Chas. N. C. Roberts
The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa, Canada.

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Mr. R. A. Hoey,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

December 3rd,
1 9 4 1.

My dear Mr. Hoey:

Thanks for your letter of December 1st, with which you enclose copy of letter to you from Mr. A. E. Caldwell, Principal of the Norway House Residential School. My colleagues and I have read Mr. Caldwell's letter with great interest. I hope that his plan to have a sufficiently large head of goats in milk for the pupils of the school will prove successful. We are glad that this plan, as well as Mr. Caldwell's ideas about a change and improvement in the diet given to the children, meets with your approval.

Mr. Caldwell has evidently entered into the work of the principalship with intelligence and enterprise, and I am sure that his interest in the pupils is real and sincere. I hope that his principalship may continue to be satisfactory to the Department and to us.

With every good wish,

Believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

RBC.MLT

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Re : Percy CRATE - Tr. Ind.- Norway House, Man.
"Contributing" Sec. 33 (1) (b) Juvenile
Delinquents Act.

NORWAY HOUSE MAN. DETACHMENT.

Remarks.
(Cont)

Sole purpose of enabling her, Victoria MOORE, and Georgina BEARDY and unnamed others, to break out of the Indian Residential School at night for the purpose of a clandestine meeting with CRATE, and two other young male Indians, Russell BALFOUR and George SCRIBE, on or about October 27th 1941, and according to the accused CRATE, these young men waited around for some two hours for the girls to get out of the school and come to them, that night. Apparently the girls were unable to get an opportunity on that occasion, and the offence did not come to light until a day or two before the complaint was laid, at which time the keys were found by the school staff, they having become stuck in a lock in which the MOORE girl was trying the keys.

Notwithstanding that the children did not in fact become delinquent in the manner intended, due no doubt to vigilance on the part of the school staff, a charge was laid under this Act, Sec. 33(1) (b) bearing in mind the provisions of ss (4) of Sec. 33. The result being as previously indicated on page one hereof.

Forwarded O.C. Winnipeg Sub/Division 13-2-42.

E.A. Kirk Cpl.
(E.A. Kirk) Reg. No. 10035
I/c Norway House Detachment.



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DIVISION

Norway House, Man.,

DETACHMENT

REPORT ON CONCLUSION OF CASE

Adjournments

Prosecutor or

~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ Cpl. E. A. AIFK.

Defence

None.

Witnesses

A. E. Caldwell.

A.E. Caldwell,
Victoria MOORE. (Juv. Tr. Ind.)

Norway House, Man.

Georgina BEARDY

Fine Paid.

Sentence Fined \$5.00 and costs or two weeks I.N.L. Norway House Com.Gaol.

Disposition of fine **Forwarded to Prov. Treasurer by P.M. E.J. Wright.**

Exhibits (Nature and Disposition)

Serving		Attending	
Costs. Summons \$	Arrest \$ 1.50	Court \$	2.00

Received by P.M. Wright. Justice fees \$ 1.75

Mileage Miles @ per mile \$ Total Costs \$ **5.25**

Total expenses of case

Mileage collected \$ Disposition of Mileage: \$

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Appeal None entered.

Finger prints and photo forwarded Headquarters... **Not applicable.**

Previous convictions... **Percy Crate. 10-5-38. Nor. House Man. "Poss Intoxicant"**
Sec. 128 Ind. Act. One month I.H.L. Norway House Cad.

On 23-1-42 Mr. A.E.CALDWELL Principal of the Norway House Indian Residential School complained that that one Percy CRATE Tr. Indian, had given pass keys to one Victoria MOORE a juvenile student at the School, and further that CRATE had given him considerable trouble hanging around the school after the girl students.

The Keys in question were two common pass or skeleton keys for common house doors, of the type that can be purchased at any dime store. In this case however, they were held together with a clasp marked "Indian School" and numbered "118". Grate, under questioning stated that these two keys were given to him by a student at the Brandon Indian School during July 1937, at which time GRATE was an employee at that school, he having just graduated. It is possible that the possession of these keys by Grate could have supported a case of theft, however neither the complainant or the Indian Agent wished to go ahead with a charge of this nature at this late date.

Questioning of CRATE, and two juvenile girl students Victoria MOORE and Georgina BEARDY, brought out the facts that the pass keys in question had been given to the MOORE girl by CRATE for the sole purpose

Investigated by (Cont. Page Two.)

Forwarded O.C. Sub. Div.....Forwarded O.C. Division.....Forwarded to the Commissioner

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Date Date Date MAR 3 1942

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ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE
HEADQUARTERS

OUR FILE NO. 42 D 149-F-13

OTTAWA, March 9, 1942.

YOUR FILE NO. _____

Referred by direction of The Commissioner, Royal Canadian
Mounted Police, Ottawa.

TO:

The Director,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
OTTAWA, Ontario.

GAV/BT



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Norway House Indian Residential School

A. E. CALDWELL
PRINCIPAL

NORWAY HOUSE, MAN.

Mr. R. A. Hoey,
Supt., of Welfare and Training,
Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ont.



August 31st 1942.

Dear Sir,

I have been intending to write to you for some time reporting such progress as it has been possible to make in one year towards making this school a factor in the economic betterment of the Indian people, but I have had such a busy programme since the spring, coupled with the difficulty of obtaining suitable staff, that I have not had time. The matter of the inadequacy of our teaching arrangements at this school has already been given attention by the Department resulting in the material being supplied for new class-rooms, which material is now arriving. I feel that the addition of these class-rooms will do much to make the school an asset to the Indian territory it serves.

In reply to my letter of about a year ago re the employment of a vocational instructor, I was much struck with your remark that the residential schools serving our particular Indian territory were "little more than charitable institutions". This was the conclusion I had already arrived at. There can be no doubt that, if the residential school is to fulfill its function, its graduates should be equipped, both academically and practically, not only to be an influence on the reserve for better standards of living, but to provide for themselves a better livelihood. Not only has the Indian looked upon the residential school as a "charitable institution", but he has actually considered that he was conferring a favour on the school in giving us his children to feed and clothe and educate. The schools have been partially to blame for this impression, for the Indian has had little reason to think otherwise than that the functions of the schools was simply to feed and clothe the children.

I feel that these people must eventually be industrially assimilated, but in the meantime the process should be confined to such opportunity of industry as can be provided in their own environment. We must admit that these opportunities at present are actually insufficient to provide a livelihood, much less independence. It has, and will be, my endeavour to discover new methods of industry, such as can be carried on in their native environment.

I have already, a year ago, approached the Hudson's Bay Company with a view to the employment of boys trained in the residential school in the permanent Hudson's Bay Service. The time of approach to this matter was opportune for the Company, with the result that an agreement has been reached, according to the terms of the attached letter. I have only had two boys who were at all suitably equipped to introduce into the Company service and these are doing very well in short apprenticeships at the local posts. However, I am anxious to take advantage of the agreement

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Mr. Hoey, (2)

turning out graduates who will ~~make~~ be good in the Company service. This would have been impossible under the old system of class-room education employed here. With the engagement of two teachers this term and the full-day class-room instruction of the junior grades, I feel sure that we will be able to take advantage of the opening provided by the Company, not to as great an extent as could be desired for a few years, perhaps, as the system under which we conducted our class-room instruction for the past number of years has tended towards an extremely low academic standing. Further, it has been the desultory habit of the Indian parent to present a child for school admittance much beyond the minimum age, thus not giving either the school or the pupil much of a chance. I have, to a great extent, corrected this, with the result that most of our pupilage is now of junior age. However, although it will take some time for the results to show, I think, under the present system, we should have no difficulty in graduating most of our pupils with a grade 8 pass, as is found quite possible in British Columbia, even with the half-day class-room instruction for the ~~junior~~ grades.

Senior

May I ask you to note the age requirement referred to in paragraph 1 of the arrangements in Mr. Henley's letter. Although since coming here it has been my policy to adhere to the maximum age limit of 16 set by the Department, I presume the Department would be agreeable to extend this in the few instances required by the terms of the arrangement.

the Indians
Apart from the new opportunities opened to the Indians by the establishment of supervised trapping areas, I think it possible that other means of industry might be discovered for them. I have this year been investigating the possibility of engaging in fish-meal production, from fish otherwise commercially useless. Fish-meal used to be considered a fertilizer by-product of the fish oil that has been extracted from the pilchards and herring on the West Coast for years. Now, however, it has been discovered that this fish-meal has a high vitamin content and, as well as a fertilizer, it is used extensively for chicken and hog feeding. The present price of it F.O.B. Winnipeg from the Coast is \$80.00 per ton. The labour is available here, the fish are available, the industry would be seasonal, probably just after the spring trapping season, and the machinery need not be elaborate or expensive. I was not quite prepared to bring this matter to the attention of the Department, as I had intended, but I am now given to understand that the Provincial Government would be interested in the venture and I have arranged to discuss it when next I am in Winnipeg. *(You will appreciate also the great demand for the oil product for paints)*

With the saw mill established here, there is possibility also in the manufacture of boxes from Poplar wood for the conveyance of fish caught on Lake Winnipeg. Thousands of these boxes are used yearly by the fishing companies. I have, however, in this regard, run into rather a snag in that the Belkirk box-factory has at present practically a monopoly. However, this outlet for Indian industry will still bear further examination.

I wish to thank you for making possible the new class-room arrangement. I am not sure just when I will be able to complete the class-rooms. Much will depend on whether I can procure the furnace which is requisitioned for. However, I desire you to know that this innovation has prospect of enlarging the sphere of usefulness of the school,

Yours very truly,

A. E. Caldwell
Principal.

C O P Y.

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY,

WINNIPEG, Manitoba.

May 13th 1942.

Dear Mr. Caldwell,

I was glad to hear from Mr. Bonnycastle on his return from a recent trip to Norway House that he had had an opportunity of discussing with you the employment of young Indian lads at our trading posts.

You may recall your discussion with the writer here last summer, when I outlined briefly the type of employee we want to get and what we are prepared to offer them.

I understand from Mr. Bonnycastle that you would like some assurance from us that we can take a certain number of lads each year from your school. I suggest, therefore, for the present, that you count on us taking four each year under the following arrangements:

1. The boys trained by you we would be prepared to take on at not less than 16 years of age, and preferably 17 or 18 if you are able to keep them in the school this long. I think your suggestion of selecting the likely recruits at 12 to 14 years of age - well in advance of the time they would be employed - is a good one since in this way you may be able to earmark them for special instruction. I believe Mr. Bonnycastle also discussed with you the advisability of giving employment during school holidays to these boys, but that you agreed it would be preferable they return to their families each summer until taken on permanently by the Company.
2. With regard to the type of training these boys should receive while under your supervision:
 - (a) We should be glad if you could stress particularly good grounding in writing and arithmetic, as, in this way, they will be of greater use at a post, and be able to undertake more responsibility than simply doing chores and odd jobs around the store.
 - (b) It is also our intention to employ these lads at points which, because of their location or the size of the business, do not warrant the employment of white assistants. In these cases they must live in the same dwelling as the white manager, therefore, I think you should stress the importance of clean personal habits.
 - (c) Practical instruction in carpentry and mechanics is also valuable, if available in your curriculum.

The above remarks are intended to serve as an outline of the programme for the next twelve months when I consider the arrangements should be reviewed with yourself, Mr. Learmonth and the Saskatchewan District Manager, R.A. Talbot.

Meanwhile, we are asking Mr. Learmonth to consult with you in the selection of two more boys to commence employment at Norway House and Rossville not later than 15th June. About freeze-up we should be ready to take on another two.

I am very hopeful that this plan will work to our mutual advantage and that we may continue to take a few boys each year. Any criticisms or suggestions from you on the arrangements outlined here will be most welcome.

Yours faithfully, (J.W. Henley)
Personnel Manager.

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Ottawa,
September 14, 1942.



Dear Mr. Caldwell:

I desire to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 31st ultimo and to thank you for the information contained therein.

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It is indeed refreshing and encouraging to receive a letter in which suggestions are made in respect to ways and means whereby Indians might become more self-reliant and more independent. Your suggestions in respect to fish meal production and the employment of young Indians by the Hudson's Bay Company appear to me to be particularly promising. In connection with the employment of Indian boys by the Hudson's Bay Company, you will, no doubt, select a number of the more promising boys for this work. Should you deem it desirable to retain such boys after they have reached the age of 16, you should send forward their names to the Department, together with your recommendation and a full explanation in each case. The Minister has, as you know, power to extend the pupil's period of instruction at a residential school in special cases.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. A.E. Caldwell,
Principal,
Indian Residential School,
Norway House, Man.

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[Handwritten signature]
Attention of Mr. R.A. Hoey

June 15th,
1944.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Hoey: Re - Norway House Residential School

I beg to nominate as successor to Mr. A. E. Caldwell the Rev. Joseph Jones. Mr. Jones, as you know, has been on leave of absence from Portage la Prairie School. I do not know whether he has indicated, or needs to indicate, to you that he wants to make a change. At any rate, he is our nominee. You know all about him, and consequently I do not need to give you any further information.

We shall be glad to have your confirmation of this in due time.

Yours sincerely,

[Handwritten signature: G. Dorey]

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Ottawa, June 17, 1944.

Re: Norway House Residential School.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

I have for acknowledgment your letter of June 15, in which you nominate the Reverend Joseph Jones for the principalship of the Norway House Indian Residential School. This nomination is acceptable to the Department and approved.

It would be appreciated by the officials of this Branch if we could have from you a statement indicating the exact date when Mr. Strapp is likely to take charge of the Brandon School, the exact date when Mr. Jones will take over the Norway House School and similar information in respect to Mr. Caldwell at the Alberni School.

Yours sincerely,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.


Reverend George Dorey, D.D.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

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Ottawa, July 7, 1944.

Mr. P.G. Lazenby, Indian Agent, Norway House, Man.

On recommendation of the Board of Home Missions of the United Church of Canada, the Department has approved the transfer of Mr. Caldwell from the Norway House Residential School to the Alberni Residential School in British Columbia.

Reverend Joseph Jones will succeed Mr. Caldwell. It is understood that he left Norway House on the 3rd instant.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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REPORT ~~ON~~ NORWAY HOUSE AGENCY FOR THE MONTH OF JULY, 1944.

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General;

The Rev. Joseph Jones arrived at Norway House on the 5th instant, to take over the Principalship of the Norway House Residential School, succeeding Mr. A.E. Caldwell, who has been transferred to the U.C. Residential School at Alberni, B.C.

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P.G. Lazenby,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, May 29, 1946.

Memorandum:

ACTING DEPUTY MINISTER.

The following telegram was received this afternoon from Mr. E. B. Goodman, Indian Agent, Norway House, Manitoba:

"NORWAY HOUSE INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL COMPLETELY GUTTED BY FIRE AT FOUR O'CLOCK THIS MORNING. ORIGIN OF FIRE UNKNOWN AT PRESENT. - stop - NO LOSS OF LIVES OR INJURY OF ANY KIND. -stop - CARE OF PUPILS ALREADY ARRANGED".

The Norway House Residential School had a pupilage of one hundred and five. It was operated under the auspices of the United Church of Canada. The building that has just been destroyed was erected in the fiscal year 1914-15 at an approximate cost of \$76,578.00.

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[Signature]
Director.

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MR E.B. GOODMAN WIRES AS FOLLOWS QUOTE NORWAY HOUSE INDIAN
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Ottawa, May 30th, 1946.

A. G. Hamilton, Inspector,
538 Dominion Public Bldg.,
Winnipeg, Manitoba.

I have your wire of the 29th instant,
regarding the destruction by fire of the Norway
House Residential School. Similar information
was received by Indian Agent Goodman, yesterday
afternoon.

I presume the Agent will report more
fully by letter.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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R.C.M.P. telephoned May 30, 1946.

Following wire received from Norway House, Manitoba.
"Indian Residential School here completely destroyed
by fire early morning today. All children and staff
members accounted for. No one injured. Complete report by
mail. Inspector of Indian Agencies, Winnipeg, advised. "

Phoned to P.E.Y.

May 31, 1946.

11.30 a.m.

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July 3, 1946.

Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

E. B. Goodman
Indian Agent
Norway House, Man.

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Pending negotiations with Doctor Dorey please ask Reverend Jones not to dispose of boat, wood, produce or physical assets of school. Engage someone to attend school gardens. Air compressor being ordered by Inspector Hamilton from Mumford Midland. Upon Stevenson's return to Norway House ascertain whether he can repair tank in school and if so arrange for erection of building to house tank. If tank cannot be repaired Stevenson should advise you, if possible, dimensions and capacity of new tank needed and where it should be located. Instruct Stevenson to test water at taps twice a day to ascertain whether sufficient chlorine being used. Sanitary Engineer's report recommends chlorination at pump house be increased to twice its present amount. Follow this recommendation.

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R. A. Hoey.

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Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to
Veuillez expédier la dépêche suivante aux conditions mentionnées au verso auxquelles je consens par les présentes

Reverend Joseph Jones,
Norway House,
Manitoba.

Ottawa, July 5, 1946.

DEPARTMENT WISHES TAKE OVER WOOD GARDEN TWO BARGES BOAT LATTER
TWENTY FOUR HUNDRED AND FIFTY STOP OTHERS AT PRICES AGREED BETWEEN
YOU AND DOCTOR CORRIGAN STOP YOU HAVE AUTHORITY TO COMPLETE THIS
TRANSACTION STOP THINK DEPARTMENT SHOULD HAVE FIRST OPPORTUNITY TO
PURCHASE ANY REMAINING ASSETS

Charge - Indian Affairs Branch

(Sgd.)

George Dorsey

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Ottawa, July 15, 1946.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

We have just received a letter dated July 5 from Indian Agent Goodman with regard to the arrangements that could be made for teaching services at Norway House during the academic year 1946-47. The Agent's report reads in part as follows:-

"(a) There are 2 buildings which could very easily be used as day schools. There is a senior classroom which is fully equipped and the same size as Rossville Day School and there is the gymnasium which is somewhat larger and would make an excellent day school. This would have to be equipped with blackboards, teacher's desk and chair and 40 single desks, 15 large, 10 medium and 15 small size. (b) These buildings (2) together with the present Rossville Day School should provide 3 day schools which would accommodate about 125 pupils. (c) These 3 buildings will not accommodate all the children of school age in this community but will accommodate more from this community than before the fire. It will be necessary to use the Principal's residence for living accommodation for the 3 teachers required for these schools, otherwise there is no accommodation here for them."

You will note that the Indian Agent suggests the use of the Principal's residence for the teachers. Will this building be available for this purpose or does Mr. Jones intend to remain at Norway House?

If living accommodation is available for the

Reverend George Dorey, D.D.,
Acting Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto 28, Ontario.

..... teachers

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teachers, I would appreciate it if you would nominate
three teachers for this school.

An early reply would be very much appreciated.

Yours sincerely,

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Mr Roberts
Please see me
Mr
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Ottawa, August 16, 1946.

Memorandum:

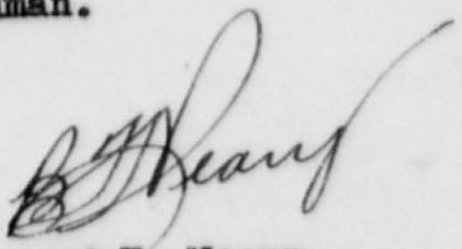
MR. HOEY -

Re-building of Norway House Residential School

As you requested, I interviewed Dr. Dorey about the above matter while in Toronto on August 14.

I pointed out that Dr. Corrigan on a recent visit to your office had said that many of the children could be accommodated in a day school. Dr. Dorey said that this was true only at certain times of the year and that in the winter it was often impossible for them to reach school because of storms and ice on the lake.

He feels that the school should be rebuilt to provide for a pupilage of 150. I discussed the use of the old hospital building with him, but he felt that this would only accommodate some 40 children. He was of the opinion that we should not give up the land at the school site for use as a welfare building project, as proposed by Indian Agent Goodman.


Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Ottawa, August 27, 1946.

AIRMAIL

Mr. E. B. Goodman, Indian Agent,
Norway House, Manitoba.

EXD.

Proposed Indian Village at Rossville Point

Further to my letter 55-123 of August 5,
I had an opportunity of discussing the Norway House educational
problem at some length with Dr. Dorey. It has been decided
that the site which you have in mind for an Indian village
will be retained as a reserved area for the intended re-
building of the residential school. Before a firm decision
is made on this rebuilding, it will be necessary to have
our Educational Survey Officer visit your Agency and discuss
your proposals at some length.

I will expect to hear from you further as to
another site for your proposed village.


Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Memorandum:

DIRECTOR,
LANDS and DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

Ottawa, November 20, 1947.

It is our intention to include in our 1948-49 estimates, a sum for the erection of a Residential School at Norway House, Manitoba. The site for this school will be that previously used by the United Church for the operation of the former school which was destroyed by fire two years ago. You are requested to prepare the plans and specifications for these buildings.

The pupilage to be provided for at this school will be one hundred and twenty (60 boys and 60 girls). Due to the isolation of this school, it is felt that frame construction should be used but that the dormitories should be in separate buildings, in order to minimize the danger of fire.

It is recommended that this school consist of the following buildings:

(1) Boys' Dormitory Block:

- (a) Sleeping Quarters for 60 boys
- (b) Two staff rooms
- (c) Wash rooms
- (d) Recreation Room
- (e) Manual Training Shop

It is suggested that this be a one-storey building with a full basement. The sleeping quarters, staff rooms and wash rooms could be on the main floor with the recreation room and manual training shop in the basement.

..... (2)

(2) Girls' Dormitory Block:

The general planning for this building would be the same as for the boys' dormitory block. The exception would, of course, be the manual training room which, in this building, would be replaced by a domestic science room. This room should have extra electrical outlets provided for a power sewing machine and electric rangettes.

(3) Administration Building:

This would be a two storey building and would have a full basement. We would require the following rooms in this building:

- (a) Staff quarters for eight
- (b) Assembly Hall
- (c) Kitchen and dining-rooms
- (d) Wash rooms for use of school pupils and staff
- (e) Power House. (we are prepared to accept your recommendation that the power house should be located in a small building. It is felt that the whole unit should be steam heated from this power house).

(4) Classroom Block:

This would be a standard four-room school previously designed by you for use at Eskasoni and Shubenacadie.

It is recommended that a meeting be held between your architects and our school officials to finalize the exact details of the buildings required.


Director.


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Norway House, Manitoba,
9 September, 1946.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Attention Mr. B. F. Neary.

I am in receipt of your letter of August 27th 1946
Re: Proposed Indian Village at Rossville.

Our letters have, unfortunately, been crossing each other in the mail. I greatly regret your decision to disallow our requested building site and I would ask you please to reconsider the matter. The site is ideal for the purpose and is the only one available on Rossville point. I have carefully examined the ground where it is proposed to erect the cottages. It is all rock and bush, rough ground, and has never been made use of by the school at any time except as a nuisance ground. It is fenced off from the rest of their property and its use as an Old Folks' Village would not inconvenience the school even if it should be rebuilt on the same site. The only piece of ground which is of value to the school is the strip of ground requested for gardens for the cottages and this if need be we might be able to get along without.

This site was chosen and requested by the Chief and Council and they have their hearts set on it. If it is definitely disallowed I may have to abandon the project altogether. I am having a tough time putting the scheme across in any event.

A reply by wire, if possible, will be appreciated as the season is becoming late.

I have assembled all the necessary building material except windows. These I am still trying to obtain. I need 64 and am willing to settle for any size.

E. B. Goodman,
Indian Agent.

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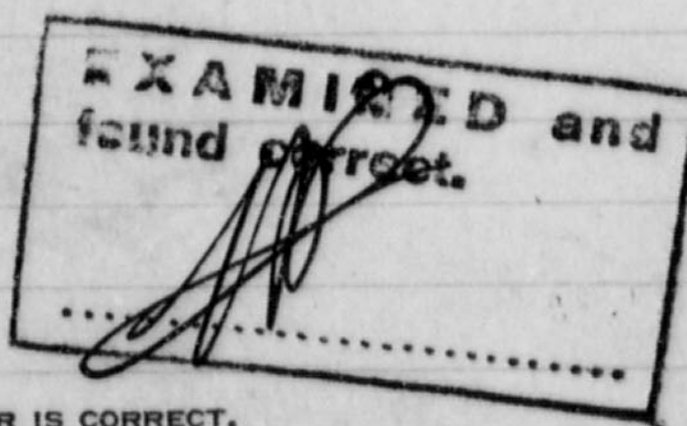
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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30 1931.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Rev. W. W. Sheup,	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175 00 p.c.		
	Advance		\$3500 00	
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 269 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				
Approved:				

REMARKS: -



I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

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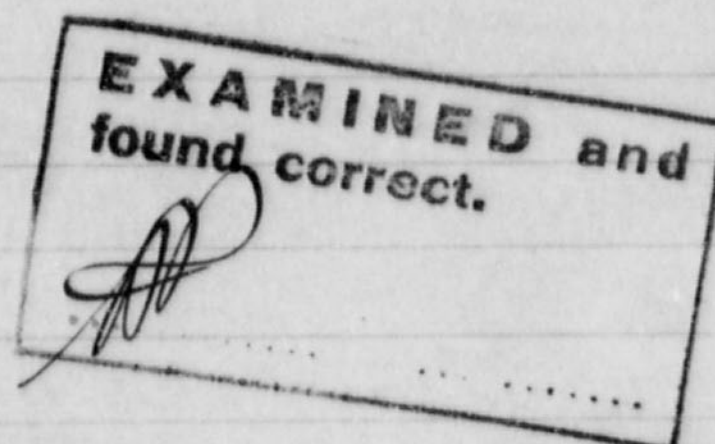
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FOR QUARTER ENDED **September 30th, 1931.**

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Rev. W. W. Sheup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175 00 p.c.	Aver. 88.77	
	Earnings	\$3883 68		
	Less Advance	3500 00		
	Bal. due	\$ 383 68		
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 260 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				

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Rev. W. W. Shoup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175 00 p.c.	Aver. 83.92	
	Earnings	\$3671 50		
	Less Advance	<u>3500 00</u>		
	Bal. due	\$ 171 50		
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochran, D. D., 200 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				

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Rev. W.W. Sheup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175 00 p.c.	Aver. 85.2	
	Earnings.....		\$3727 50	
	Less 10%		<u>372 75</u>	
	Amount due		\$3354 75	
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to;- Rev. Robert B. Cochran, D. D., 269 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				

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Rev. W. W. Shoup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175 00 p.a.		
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Approved:-				

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NORWAY HOUSE AGENCY.

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Approved:-				

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NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Rev. W. W. Shoup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175 00 p. c.		Aver. 85.75
	Earnings		\$3751 56	
	Less 10%		375 15	
	Amount due		\$3376 41	
	Less Advance		2500 00	
	Bal. due		\$ 876 41	

Make cheque payable to
Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
and send to:-
Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D.,
289 Queen Street West,
Toronto, (2) Ont.

REMARKS: --

125/251.

I certify that the services specified in this account
have been satisfactorily performed, that they were
necessary in the interest of the public, and that the
charges made are in accordance with contract or
agreement authorized by
or, if not by contract, the charges are fair and just.
No item in this account has been certified
by me for payment. I recommend payment.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

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Province of **MANITOBA**

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **September 30th,** 19 **32.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. W. W. Sheup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	Aver. 85.50	
	Earnings		\$3,744	56
	Less 10%		374	45
	Amount due		\$3,370	11
	Less Advance		2,500	00
	Bal. due		\$ 870	11

Make cheque payable to
Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
and send to; -
Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D.,
288 Queen Street West,
Toronto, (2) Ont.

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Agency 125/251.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **December 31st,** 19**32.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Rev. W. W. Sheup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 298 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.	Advance		\$2,500 00
Approved :- 			

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Agency 123/251.**

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **December 31st,** 19 **32.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
		Aver. 88.41		
Rev. W. W. Sheup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 289 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.		Earnings	\$3,867	93
		Less 10%	386	72
		Amount due	\$3,481	14
		Less Advance	2,500	00
		Balance due	\$ 981	14

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Agency 123/251.

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **March 31st,** 19**33.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Rev. W. W. Shoup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	
	Advance		\$1,250 00
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 289 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.			
Approved:-			

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Agency 123/251.

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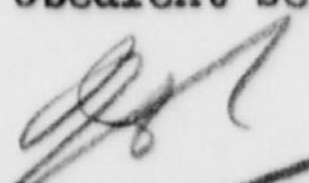
Ottawa, April 13th, 1933.

Sir,-

The Department finds it necessary to send back the return from the Norway House Indian Residential School. This return should be prepared for the three months' period ended March 31st and, for each child who was in the school from January 1st to March 31st, grant should be requested for 90 days, as this was the total number of days in that quarter.

The Department cannot understand why the Principal only prepared a return to March 21st. You should have this return amended and again forward it to the Department in order that the amount of per capita allowance may be paid.

Your obedient servant,


J. D. Sutherland.
For Supt. of Indian Education.


Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

Province of..... **MANITOBA**

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended..... **June 30th,** 19**33.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. W. W. Sheup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Advance		\$2,500	00
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 289 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				
Approved:-				

**Vote 188.
School 581.
Allet. 217.
E. R. 211.**

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **March 31st,**.....19**33.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. W. W. Shoup		Aver. 87.88		
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Earnings		\$3,844	75
	Less 15%		576	71
	Amount due		\$3,268	04
	Less Advance		\$1,250	00
	Balance due		\$2,018	04
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				

Vote 188.
School 581.
Allet. 260.
R. R. 213.

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Norway House Indian Residential School

REV. W. W. SHOUP
PRINCIPAL



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NORWAY HOUSE, MAN. June 20. 1933.

The Dep't of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,.....Ontario.

Dear Sirs,

When I returned from Winnipeg-a few days ago I was handed my school report for the past Jan-Mar. quarter with the information that they had been returned to him to have them completed up to Mar. 31st. This I have done and have again handed them to Indian Agent Wm. Gordon for approval. I am sorry that in forwarding the report last March that I overlooked to add a note of explanation as to the reason why we closed the report on Mar. 21st. A request had come to hand three years ago from the Board of Home Missions in Toronto to try to always have all reports in as nearly on time as possible, in order that there might be no undue delay in the forwarding of the Per Capita grants to the Board Rooms. Our spring mails over the ice are so uncertain that we have made it a practice this past three years to close the quarter on Mar. 31st and by send place the reports on the last mail before the ice breaks up. The last ten days of March we included in the April- June quarter. Did we not do a

Norway House Indian Residential School

REV. W. W. SHOUP
PRINCIPAL



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NORWAY HOUSE, MAN.

this the reports would have to lie here until our first summer mail in June. On other occasions I made a note of this fact on my report and it was always satisfactory to the Department. No doubt had I not overlooked the foot-note of explanation the reports would not have been returned. I would like however if you might see your way clear to direct me in this matter of the spring returns. We do not have any such difficulty with the reports of other quarters.

Sincerely Yours,

W. W. Shoup

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended.....**September 30**.....19**33**.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. W. W. Shoup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Advance		\$2500	00
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				
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School 581
Allot. 217
E.R. 211

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended.....**June 30**.....19**33**.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. W. W. Shoup Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 288 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver. 8938			
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Earnings		\$3,910	37
	Less 15%		556	55
	Amount due		\$3,323	82
	Less Advance		2,500	00
	Bal. due		\$ 823	82

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School 581
Allot. 217
E.R. 211

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended September 30th,.....19 33.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
	Aver.	91.26		
Rev. W. W. Shoup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Earnings		\$3,992	62
	Less 15%		598	82
	Amount due		\$3,393	73
	Less Advance		2,500	00
	Balance due		\$ 893	73
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.				

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School 581.
Allet. 217.
E. R. 779.

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **December 31st,** **1933.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. W. W. Sheup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Advance		\$2,500	00
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to: Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D. 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont. Approved:-				

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School 581.
Allet. 217.
E. R. 779.**

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For Quarter ended **December 31st,**19 **33.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
	Aver. 100			
Rev. W. W. Shoup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Earnings		\$4,375	00
	Less 15%		656	25
	Amount due		\$3,718	75
	Less Advance		2,500	00
	Balance due		\$1,218	75
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.				

Vote 188.
School 581.
Allet. 217.
E. R. 1130.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended.....**March 31**.....19**34**.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. W. W. Shoup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Advance		\$2,000 00	\$2,500 00
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				
APPROVED: _____				

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School 581
Allot. 217
E.R. 1130.

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For Quarter ended.....**March 31st,**.....19**34.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
	Aver. 99.03			
Rev. W. W. Shoup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Earnings		\$4,332	56
	Less 15%		649	88
	Amount due		\$3,682	68
	Less Advance		2,000	00
	Balance due		\$1,682	68
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.				

Vote 176.
School 581.
Allot. 217.
E. R. 2037.

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For Quarter ended **June 30th,** 19**34.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. W. W. Shoup	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Advance		\$1,800	00
APPROVED:-				
..... Acting D. S. G. I. A.				
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.				

Vote 176.
School 581.
Allet. 217.
E. R. 2037.

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Ottawa, May 4th, 1934.

Sir,-

The Board of Home Missions of the United Church of Canada have nominated Rev. R. T. Chapin, B. A., to succeed Rev. W. W. Shoup as Principal of the Norway House Indian Residential School.

Mr. Chapin's appointment has been approved by the Department and he will take charge of the school from July 1st, next. Please give him every possible assistance.

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) T. R. L. MacInnes.

T. R. L. MacInnes.
Acting Secretary.

Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

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For Quarter ended... **June 30th,** 19 **34.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
	Aver.	96.48		
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B. A.,	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Earnings		\$4,221	00
	Less 15%		633	15
	Amount due		\$3,587	85
	Less Advance		1,800	00
	Balance due		\$1,787	85
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont		TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.		

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Allot. 217.
E. R. 2339.

Rev. R. T. Chapin, B. A., succeeded Rev. W. W. Shoup as Principal from July 1st, 1934.

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For Quarter ended **September 30th,** 19 **34.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B. A.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Advance		\$1,650	00
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.				
Approved:				
..... Acting D. S. G. I. A.				

Vote 176.
School 581.
Allot. 217.
H. R. 2339.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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For Quarter ended **September 30th,** 19**34.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
	Aver. 85.42			
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B.A.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Earnings		\$3,737	12
	Less 15%		560	57
	Amount due		\$3,176	55
	Less Advance		1,650	00
	Balance due		\$1,526	55
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to: Rev. Robert S. Ockersley, B. D., 280 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				

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For Quarter ended December 31st, 1934.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B.A.,	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Advance		\$1,550	00
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 200 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.				
Approved:-				

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School 581.
Allet. 217.
E. R. 2489.

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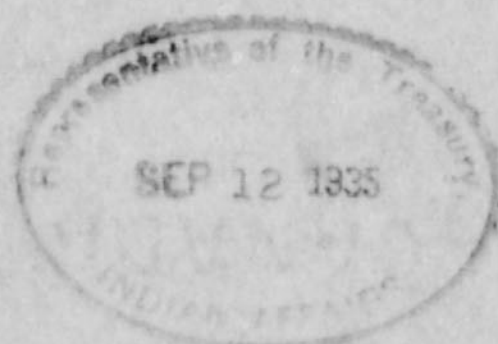
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For Quarter ended December 31st, 19 34.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
		Aver. 86.94		
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B. A.,	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Earnings		\$3,803	62
	Less 15%		570	54
	Amount due		\$3,233	08
	Less Advance		1,550	00
	Balance due		\$1,683	08
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to;— Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 290 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				

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School 581.
Allot. 217.
E. R. 2489.

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **March 31st,** 19 **35.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B.A.,	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Advance		\$1,550	00
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 200 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				
Approved:- D. S. G. I. A.				

Vote 176.
School 581.
Allet. 217.
E. R. 2642.

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended March 31st, 1935.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
		Aver. 86.06		
Rev. E. T. Chapin, B. A.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Earnings		\$3,765	12
	Less 10%		376	51
	Amount due		\$3,388	61
	Less Advance		1,550	00
	Balance due		\$1,838	61
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.				

Vote 184
School 581.
Allot. 217
E. R. 3017

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended.....June 30th.....1935.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B.A.	Aver.	\$6.65		
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Earnings		\$3,790	94
	Less 5%		<u>189</u>	<u>55</u>
			\$3,601.	39
	Plus 5% on Mar. Qr. P.C. allow		<u>188</u>	<u>25</u>
			\$3,789	64
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				

Vote 184
School 581
Allot. 217
E.R. 3361

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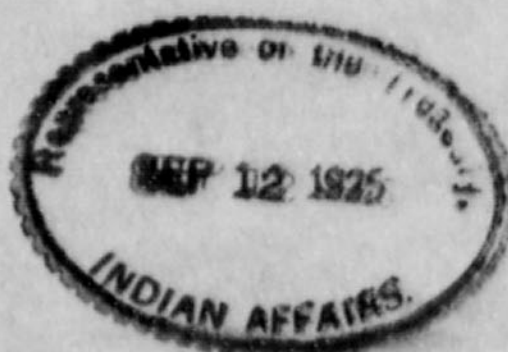
Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended.....September 30th, 1935.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B.A.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Advance		\$1,800	00
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.				
A P P R O V E D:				
..... D. S. G. I. A.				

Vote 184.
School 581.
Allet. 217.
E. R. 3361.

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended September 30th, 1935.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B. A.	Aver.	85.71		
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Earnings		\$3,749	81
	Less 5%		187	49
	Amount due		\$3,562	32
	Less Advance		1,800	00
	Balance due		\$1,762	32
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 289 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.				

Vote 184.
School 581.
Allot. 217.
E. R. 3361.

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For Quarter ended December 31st. 1935

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B.A.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Advance		\$1,800	00
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				
A P P R O V E D :				
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Vote 184.
School 581.
Allot. 217.
E. R. 3361.

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Toronto, (2) Ont.
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For Quarter ended.....December 31st,.....19..35.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
	Aver.	100		
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B.A.,	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Earnings		\$4,375	00
	Less 5%		218	75
	Amount due		\$4,156	25
	Less Advance		1,800	00
	Balance due		\$2,356	25
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				

Vote 184.
School 581.
Allot. 217.
E. R. 3894.

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **March 31st,** 19 **36.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
	Aver. 99.14			
Rev. R.T. Chapin, B.A.,	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Earnings		\$4,337	37
	Less 15%		650	60
	Amount due		\$3,686	77
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 269 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				

Vote 166.
School 581.
Allet. 217.
E.R. 122.

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
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For Quarter ended June 30th, 1936.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. R.T. Chapin, B.A.,	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Advance		\$1,800	00
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 289 Queen Street West, Toronto, (Ont.)				
Approved:				
..... D. S. G. I. A.				

Vote 166.
School 581.
Allet. 217.
E. R. 122.

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
3-6-36
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

3/6/36.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended.....June 30th.....19..36.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
	Aver. 98			
Rev. R.T. Chapin, B.A.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Earnings		\$4,287	50
	Less 5%		214	37
	Amount due		\$4,073	13
	Plus 10% of March qr. earnings		433	73
			\$4,506	86
	Less Advance		1,800	00
	Balance due		\$2,706	86
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.				

Vote 166.
School 581.
Allot. 217.
E. R. 383.

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
16-7-36
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **September 30th,** 19**36.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B.A.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Advance		\$2,000	00
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 269 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				
APPROVED:				
..... D. S. G. I. A.				

Vote 166.
School 581.
Allot. 217.
E. R. 383.

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended September 30, 19 36.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B.A.,	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	Aver. 97.63 \$175		
	Earnings		\$4,271	31
	Less 5%		213	56
	Amount due		\$4,057	75
	Less Advance		2,000	00
	Balance due		\$2,057	75
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert E. Cochrane, D. D., 280 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont. TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE 1-12-36 Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.				

Vote No. 166
 School No. 581
 Allot. No. 217
 E. R. No. 812

1/12/36.

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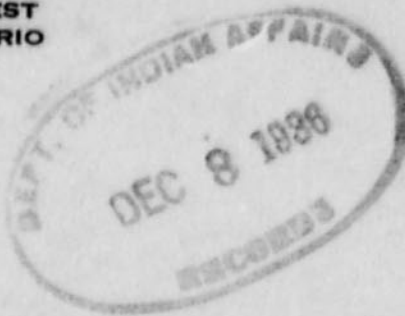
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SECRETARY

REV. KENNETH J. BEATON, B.A.
ASSOCIATE SECRETARY

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December 7th,
1 9 3 6.

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

We have just received your cheque for \$2,057.75 marked September quarter per capita allowance, Norway House Residential School. We would like to draw attention to the fact that no advance on December quarter has been received for this school due to the fact that when the advances were made the returns for the September quarter had not been received. The Principal was absent the latter part of September owing to his wife's illness. We would be glad to receive a cheque on account December quarter at your convenience. At this time of year we find financing these Schools in advance very difficult.

Yours sincerely,

Kenneth J. Beaton

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended.....December 31st, 19 36.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B.A.,	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Advance		\$2,600	00
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to; - Rev. Robert B. Cochran, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.				
APPROVED:				
..... D. I. A.				

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
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Vote No.166.....
School No.581.....
Allot. No.217.....
E. R. No.812.....

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **December 31st,** 19**36.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
	Aver. 98.67			
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B. A.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Earnings		\$4,316	81
	Less 5%		215	84
	Amount due		\$4,100	97
	Less Advance		2,600	00
	Balance due		\$1,500	97
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 290 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.				
TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE 16-1-37 Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.				

Vote No. **166**
School No. **581**
Allot. No. **217**
E. R. No. **812**

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For Quarter ended **March 31st** 19**37**.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
	Aver.	97.21		
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B.A.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	0175		
	Earnings		94,252	94
	Less 5%		212	64
	Amount due		94,040	30
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 289 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.				
TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE 28.4.37 Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.				

Vote No. **169**

School No. **581**

Allot. No. **4005**

E. R. No. **58**

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended.....**June 30th**.....19.....**37**.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B.A.	Aver.	97.67	
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	
	Earnings		\$4,273 06
	Less 5%		<u>213 65</u>
	Amount due		\$4,059 41
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to :- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.			
TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE 22-7-37 Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.			

Vote No.....**169**.....

School No.....**581**.....

Allot. No.**4005**.....

E. R. No.....**255**.....

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended....**September 30th**.....19..**37.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
	Aver.	65.36	
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B.A.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175.00	
	Earnings		\$ 3,734 50
	Less 5%		<u>186 72</u>
	Amount due		\$ 3,547 78
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 209 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.			
TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE 12-11-37 Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.			

Vote No.....**169**.....

School No.....**581**.....

Allot. No.**4005**.....

E. R. No.....**627**.....

12-11-37.

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Mr. R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare and Training,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

November 16th,
1 9 3 7.

My dear Mr. Hoey:

As it is now the middle of the quarter and two-thirds of the prospective grant from the Department has already been forwarded to the Indian Residential Schools carried on under the auspices of this Board, I am writing to ask if it would be possible to secure from the Treasury Department an advance on account of the grants to these Schools.

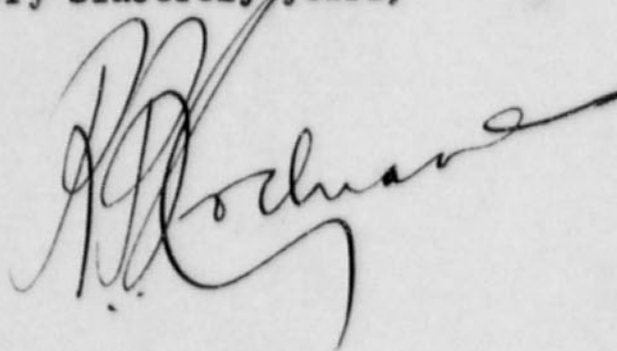
I would also like to draw your attention to the fact that the Government grant to the Norway House Indian Residential School for the quarter ending September 30th has not yet reached us. If the delay in payment has been caused by any tardiness on the part of the Principal in forwarding his returns, we should be glad to know, so that we may request him to forward them more promptly in future.

Thanking you for your attention to these matters,

Believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

MLT.



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For Quarter ended **December 31st,**.....19**37**.....

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Rev. H. T. Chapin, B.A.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	Advance		\$2,500	00
— Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont. A P P R O V E D: D. I. A.				

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School No.....**581**.....

Allot. No.**4005**.....

E. R. No.....**627**.....

17/11/37

The following sent to:-

The Treasurer of the
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto (2), Ont.

Brandon	- \$ 3,000
Coqualeetza	- 3,200
Edmonton	- 2,200
Merley	- 1,200
Mount Elgin	- 2,600
Norway House	- 2,500

TOTAL - \$ 14,700

The following sent to:-

The Treasurer,
Women's Missionary Society,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto (2), Ont.

Ahousaht	- \$ 1,000
File Hills	- 1,800
Kitamaat	- 450
Portage la Prairie	- 1,750
Port Simpson	- 600
Round Lake	- 1,400

TOTAL \$ 7,000

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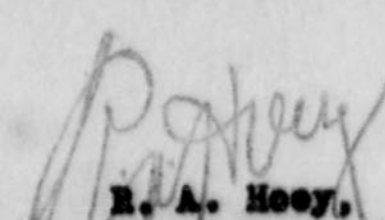
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Ottawa, November 17, 1937.

Rev. Sir:

Enclosed is a statement showing the advances being made on the December quarter earnings of the Indian Residential Schools conducted under the auspices of the United Church of Canada.

Yours truly,


R. A. Heery,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.


Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D.D.,
Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
The United Church of Canada
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ontario.

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PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
	Aver.	90.10		
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B.A.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
		Earnings	\$3,941	88
		Less 5%	197	09
		Amount due	\$3,744	79
		Less Advance	2,500	00
		Bal. due	\$1,244	79
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 255 Queen Street West, Toronto, 421-1111.				
TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE 181-58 Voucher in duplicate detached				

Vote No.....**169**.....

School No.....**581**.....

Allot. No.....**4005**.....

E. R. No.....**627**.....

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For Quarter ended...**March 31st**.....19..**38.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Rev. R. T. Chapin, B.A.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	
	Part Payment		\$ 2,000 00
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to :- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 289 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.			
TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE			

Vote No. **77**.....

School No. **581**.....

Allot. No. **16-805**.....

E. R. No. **85**.....

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Voucher in duplicate detached
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended.....**March 31st**.....19**38.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver. 91.61		
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	
	Earnings	\$ 4,007 94	
	Less 5%	200 40	
	Amount due	\$ 3,807 54	
	Less Part Payment ..	2,000 00	
	Bal. due	\$ 1,807 54	

Vote No.....**77**.....

School No.....**581**.....

Allot. No.**16-895**

E. R. No.....**65**.....

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for Accountant to pay.

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended.....**June 30th**.....19**38**.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	
	ADVANCE		\$ 2,000 00

Vote No.....**77**.....

School No.....**581**.....

Allot. No.**16-805**.....

E. R. No.....**496**.....

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended.....**June 30th**.....19**33.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to :- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver. 91.74		
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	
2000 00		Earnings	\$ 4,013 62
		Less 5%	200 68
		Amount due	\$ 3,812 94
		Less Advance	2,000 00
		Bal. due	\$ 1,812 94

Vote No.....**77**.....

School No.....**581**.....

Allot. No.....**15-805**

E. R. No.....**831**

FORM No. 415

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended September 30th 19 38.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver.	93.88	
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	
	Earnings		\$ 4,107 25
	Less 5%		<u>205 36</u>
	Amount due		\$ 3,901 89
	Less Advance		<u>2,000 00</u>
	Bal. due		\$ 1,901 89

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-805

E. R. No. 1342

FORM I.A. 415

R. 5592

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE

15-10-38

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Province of **MANITOBA**

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **December 31st** 19**36**.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 233 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$276	
	ADVANCE		\$ 2,000 00
APPROVED:			
Director.			

Vote No. **77**

School No. **581**

Allot. No. **10-305**

E. R. No. **1348**

FORM I.A. 415
R. 8592

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Voucher in **10-21498** detached
for Accountant to pay.

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Mr. Brewster
Please see me before
Dec 9th balance
paying
Also file 44/123 with 1/28 from
also pay file Dec 1/28 from
list of Dec 1/28 from
APR 28/1/28

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Norway House # 3

Statement regarding payments for oil required for the lighting plant at Norway House. 60% of the amount is charged to the Norway House school, 25% to the hospital and 15% to the Agency buildings.

	<u>Payments Made</u>	
	<u>Oil</u>	<u>Barrells</u>
Voucher 1385	✓ \$ 408.89	✓ \$ 544.00
Voucher 1384	✓ 1003.61	✓ 816.00
Voucher 1411	198.10	264.00
	<u>\$1608.60</u>	<u>\$1624.00</u>

Of the above amount the following portion was charged to the per capita allowance of the Norway House Indian Residential School:

- (1) Voucher 1385
(2) Voucher 1384
(3) Voucher 1411

\$ 570.54 ✓

~~1003.77~~ ✓ 1091.96

277.26 ✓

\$1939.57
159.97

(4) ✓ 1448 = freight 97
mole = 159
1939.57
159.97
2099.54

The following refunds will also be due to the Norway House school when the barrells are returned:

Voucher No. 1385 60% of \$544.00 ----- \$ 326.40 ✓

Voucher No. 1384 60% of \$816.00 ----- 489.60 ✓

Voucher No. 1411 60% of \$264.00 ----- 158.40 ✓

Total amount of refund to the school on account of barrells

\$ 974.40

The above matter should be further discussed with Indian Agent Lazenby when he visits the Department in January, 1939.

3901

DP
29/12/38

120
960

Province of **MANITOBA**

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH
Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **December 31st** 19**39**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 298 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Ave. 102.15		
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	
	Earnings		\$ 4,469 06
	Less SS		223 45
	Amount due		\$ 4,245 61
	Less Advance		2,000 00
	Less already paid for oil and freight on same		\$ 2,245 61 2,022 73
	Balance due		\$ 145 88

Vote No. **77**

School No. **581**

Allot. No. **16-800**

E. R. No. **1877**

FORM I.A. 415

R. 8592

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher is duplicate detached
for Ad **1-2-39**

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Ottawa,
February 2, 1939.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

The December quarter per capita allowance of the Norway House Indian residential school has been computed as follows:

Earnings	\$ 4,469.06
Less 5%	223.45
Amount due	4,245.61
Less advance	2,000.00
	<u>2,245.61</u>
Less already paid for oil and freight on same	⁷³ <u>2,099.54</u>
Balance due	\$ 146.07

In connection with the deduction of \$2099.54 I may say that when the new lighting plant was placed in operation sufficient gasoline was purchased to run the plant for a period of approximately two years. The sum mentioned covers the school's share of the cost. It was necessary to also pay for the barrels used to transport the gasoline and there will, therefore, be a refund due the school of \$974.40. As you are aware it will not be possible to return any barrels until navigation opens next spring but arrangements are being made to have the barrels returned next year considered as coming from the school. This will mean that a refund can be made as soon as payment is received from the company supplying the gasoline.

Yours truly,

Rev. Geo. Dorey, D.D.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

R. A. Hoey
R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Ottawa,
February 3, 1939.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

With reference to my letter of the 2nd instant regarding the per capita allowance of the Norway House Indian residential school for the December quarter a recheck of the return shows that a slight mistake was made in the original computation. The correct figures are as follows:

Earnings	\$ 4,469.06
Less 5%	223.45
Amount due	<u>4,245.61</u>
Less advance	2,000.00
	<u>2,245.61</u>
Less already paid for oil and freight on same	<u>2,099.73</u>
Balance due	\$ 145.88

Yours truly,



R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.



Rev. Geo. Dorey, D.D.,
Associate Secretary,
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299 Queen St. West,
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Your File
123-5-3

Mr. R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare and Training,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

February 6th,
1 9 3 9.

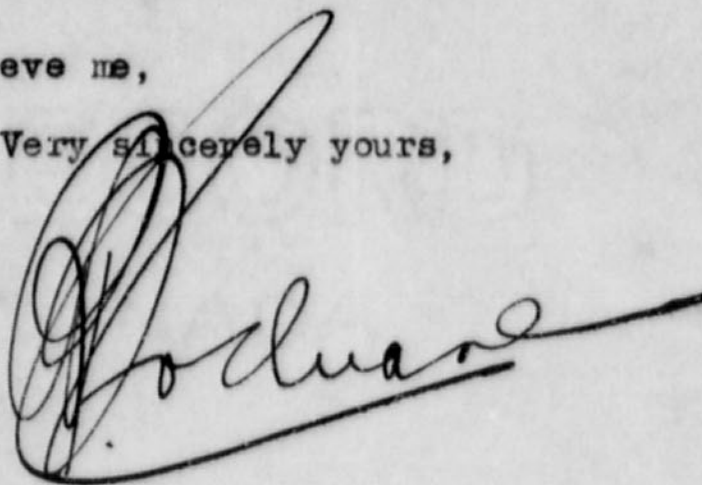
Dear Mr. Hoey:

We are in receipt of your letter of February 3rd, addressed to Dr. Dorey, with reference to the grant to the Norway House Residential School. In this letter you refer to your communication of the 2nd instant, which, however, has failed to reach this office. As your letter of the 2nd is necessary to an understanding of the matter, I shall be glad to receive a copy of it at your earliest convenience.

Believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

MLT.



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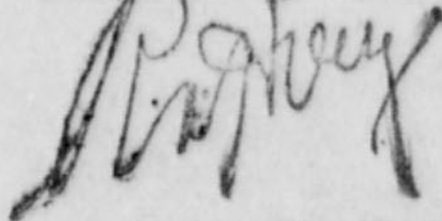
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Ottawa, February 8, 1939.

Dear Dr. Cochrane:

With reference to your letter of the 6th instant, I am enclosing herewith copy of my communication of the 2nd instant, with respect to the per capita allowance of the Norway House Indian Residential School.

Yours very truly,



Encl.

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.



Reverend Robert B. Cochrane, D.D.,
Secretary, Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended December 31st 19 38.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	
			\$152 00

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-805

E. R. No. 1877

In paying the December quarter grant of the Norway House Residential School the amount of \$2,099.73 was deducted for oil and freight on same. Of this amount, \$974.40 covered the cost of barrels. A refund of \$152.00 has now been received from the Company who supplied the oil, and this amount is being refunded to the management of the Norway House School.

This leaves a balance due the school in connection with barrels, for which their grant has been charged, of \$822.40 (\$974.40 less \$152.00).

[Signature]

Ottawa,
March 24, 1939.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

I desire to refer to my letters of the 2nd and 3rd ultimo with reference to the per capita allowance of the Norway House Indian residential school for the quarter ended December 31, 1938.

As you were informed in my letter of the 2nd ultimo there is a refund due the school of \$974.40 covering the cost of barrels which the Department paid and charged to the per capita allowance.

We have now received a refund of \$152.00 covering barrels returned to the company who supplied the oil and a cheque for this amount is being forwarded to you.

This means that there is still due you the balance of \$822.40 for barrels.

Yours truly,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Rev. Geo. Dorey, D.D.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

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See
Mr. R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a,

March 28th,
1 9 3 9.

My dear Mr. Hoey:

Your letter of March 24th, addressed to Dr. Dorey, was duly received, advising that a cheque for \$152.00 would be forwarded, covering refund on barrels in connection with the shipment of fuel oil to the Norway House School. We are grateful for the cheque, which was received to-day.

We note that there is a balance of \$822.40 still due on this account, and we shall be glad to have refunds as they are received from the company who supplied the oil.

Believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

MLT.

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended March 31st 19 39.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to; - Rev. Robert B. Cochran, D. D., 289 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver.	103	
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	
	Earnings		\$ 4,506 25
	Less 5%		<u>225 31</u>
	Amount due		\$ 4,280 94

Vote No.**77**.....

School No. 581.....Allot. No. **16-805**.....

E. R. No. 188

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
28/4/39
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

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"28-4-39."

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Norman House

Deduct 1200 from P.P. Grant
Freight on oil drums.
Voucher 49.

F. 123-5-5

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended June 30th 19 39.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver. 103		
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	
	Earnings	\$4,506	25
	Plus 5% deducted from March Quarter	225	31
	Amount due	\$4,731	56
	Less Freight paid on oil drums	12	00
	Balance due	\$4,719	56

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-805

E. R. No. 410

FORM I.A. 415

R. 8592

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE

Voucher 14-7-39 detached
for Accountant to pay

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Deduct 13.20
from. P. C. Grant Sept. Gr.
for freight paid
on sled barrels
Voucher # 87
F. 42.123

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **September 30th** 19 **39**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to;— Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 217 Queen Street West, Toronto, Ont.	Aver.	103.08	
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	
	Earnings	\$4,509	75
	Less Freight on oil drums	13	20
	Amt. due	\$4,496	55
	Less - Paid for oil Voucher No. 137	45	64
	Bal. due	\$ 4,450	91

Vote No. **77**

School No. **581**

Allot. No. **18-305**

E. R. No. **927**

FORM I.A. 415
R. 8592

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher duplicate detached
12-10-39.
for Accountant to pay.

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended December 31st 1949.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochran, D. D., 288 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver.	103.32	
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	
	Earnings		\$ 4,520 25

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-365

E. R. No. 2104

FORM I.A. 415

R. 8592

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher in duplicate detached
for 23-1-40 to pay.

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For Quarter ended **March 31st** 19**40.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to :- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	NORWAY HOUSE	\$175	
	Part Payment		\$ 3,591 00

Vote No. **77**

School No. **533**

Allot. No. **16-305**

E. R. No. **191**

FORM I.A. 415
R. 8592

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.
30-4-40.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended March 31st 1940.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 298 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Average	102.60	
	March Quarter Earnings ..	\$4,488.75	
	NORWAY HOUSE	\$175	
	Quarterly Grant - 105 @ \$43.75 ..		\$4,593 75
	Pay at 92.34%		\$4,237 27
	Less Part Payment		3,591 00
	Bal. due		\$ 646 27

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-805

E. R. No. 191

FORM I.A. 415

*R. 8592

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE

Voucher in duplicate detached
for 28-8-40.
for Accountant to pay

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Ottawa,
June 25, 1940.

Dear Sir:

I desire to refer to vouchers which you submit each month in connection with the services of Alex Duncan who operates the light and power plant at Norway House.

As you are aware 60% of his monthly salary, or \$36.00, is chargeable to the Norway House Indian Residential School. As the Department does not pay for lighting at any Indian residential school nor for the wages of the man operating any lighting plant it is necessary for us to charge the \$36.00 each month against the per capita grant and at the end of the quarter we have to deduct this amount from the quarterly earnings. This involves considerable bookkeeping and it would be much simpler if the management of the Norway House School would pay Duncan \$36.00 a month and you could submit a voucher for the balance of \$24.00 of which amount \$9.00 is paid from Medical Vote and \$15.00 from Administration Vote. Please take up this recommendation with the Principal of the Norway House School at once and I trust that he will co-operate with us in the manner suggested.

In 1938 I understand that two years' supply of gasoline was purchased and when the account was submitted the firm also charged for the barrels on the understanding, of course, that refund would be made for these when they were returned. Of the total amount charged for barrels the Department considered an amount of \$974.40 applied to the Norway House School and this amount was deducted from their per capita grant. Subsequently we allowed them \$152.00 for barrels

Mr. P. G. Lazenby,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

returned. It would appear that they are still entitled to a refund of \$824.40 provided the barrels have been sent back. I have made inquiries but we do not appear to have received any credits for barrels returned during the summer of 1939. Please let me know the number of barrels, if any, that were returned to the firm during last summer and also the approximate number of empty barrels on hand at the present time which no doubt you will return as soon as navigation opens. Possibly it is your intention to use these empty barrels to replace the barrels that will be required when a new supply of gasoline has to be ordered. In that event there would be no refund coming to the school.

For your information I may say that the following amounts will be deducted from the June quarter per capita earnings of the Norway House Residential School:

Voucher 412	-- Alex Duncan's wages	\$ 36.00
" 430	-- Power & Mine -- supplies	1.02
" 421	-- Alex Duncan's wages	36.00
" 447	-- Oil and grease	<u>69.49</u>
Total		\$142.51

It is possible that before the June quarter return is received you will also have submitted a voucher for Duncan's wages for the month of June. In that event there will be another \$36.00 deducted. It is hoped, however, as stated above, that the Principal will adopt our suggestion of the school paying its share directly to Duncan.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

24-6-40

Mr Phelan to visit Norway House, re payment of wages, in operation of light & Power Plant.

To be deducted from June Dr. P. P. Grant

1940

May. 1 Pm.

412 - Alex Duncan Wages - 36.00 ✓

June 6 - "

430 - Power & Minn Supply -

1.02 portion of oil thermometer ✓

June-1-

421- Alex Duncan Wages. 56.00 ✓

June 8.

" 447 - Shell Oil Company.

69.49 portion oil + grease

A 142.51

60 - a month
 55 up and
 15 up and
 60 up

60 - 36

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For Quarter ended June 30th 1940

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver.	99.01	
	NORWAY HOUSE	\$175	
	June Earnings	\$4,331.68	
	Quarterly Grant: 105 @ \$43.75	\$4,593.75	
	PAY AT 92.24%		\$4,237. 27
	Less		142. 51
	Amount due		\$4,094. 76

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-805

E. R. No. 443

Accounts paid for light and power plant
to be deducted from June Quarter Per Capita Grant:

May 1, 1940 - Voucher No. 412 ..	\$36.00
June 1, " - " 430 ..	1.02
June 1, " - " 421 ..	36.00
June 8, " - " 447 ..	<u>69.49</u>

\$142.51

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for Accountant to pay

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Re: Payments in connection with electrical system at
Norway House Indian Residential School

Statement of amounts paid from Vote 71 which should
have been paid from Vote 76 during the fiscal year
1940-41

Voucher #477 - Power & Mine Supply - Repairs	June 28, 1940 ...	\$ 4.14
" 492 - Alex Duncan - Wages -	June, 1940	36.00
		<u>\$40.14</u>

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Re: Payments in connection with electrical system at
Norway House Indian Residential School

Statement of amounts paid from Vote 71 which should
have been paid from Vote 76 during the fiscal year
1939-40

Voucher #22 - Wages - Alex Duncan - April, 1939	\$ 36.00
" 39 - " " " May "	36.00
" 93 - " " " June "	36.00
" 139 - " " " July "	36.00
" 169 - " " " August "	36.00
" 224 - " " " Pt. September "	27.60
" 226 - " Jas. Apetagon " October "	9.30
" 227 - Power & Mine Supply - Seals for engine October 16, 1939 ...	2.88
" 237 - Wages - Alex Duncan - Pt. October " ...	23.16
" 254 - " " " November, 1939	36.00
" 259 - Power & Mine Supply - Seals for engine December 16, 1939 ..	2.88
" 283 - Alex Duncan - Wages - December, 1939	36.00
" 294 - Power & Mine Supply - Repairs January 15, 1940 ...	9.44
" 315 - Alex Duncan - Wages - January, 1940	36.00
" 329 - Power & Mine Supply - Repairs February 12, 1940 ..	4.35
" 337 - Alex Duncan - Wages - February, 1940	36.00
" 356 - Power & Mine Supply - Repairs March 20, 1940	8.21
" 372 - Alex Duncan - Wages - March, 1940	36.00
	<u>\$447.82</u>

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Re: Payments in connection with electrical system at
Norway House Indian Residential School

Statement of amounts paid from Vote 71 which should
have been paid from Vote 79 during the fiscal year
1939-40

Voucher #22 - Wages - Alex Duncan - April, 1939	\$ 36.00
" 39 - " " " May "	36.00
" 93 - " " " June "	36.00
" 139 - " " " July "	36.00
" 169 - " " " August "	36.00
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" 237 - Wages - Alex Duncan - Pt. October " ...	23.16
" 254 - " " " November, 1939	36.00
" 289 - Power & Mine Supply - Seals for engine December 16, 1939 ..	2.88 ✓
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	<u>\$447.82</u>

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The following is a statement of deduction to be made on September Quarter, 1940:

Voucher #22 - Wages - Alex Duncan - April, 1939	\$	36.00	X
" 39 - " " " May	.....	36.00	X
" 93 - " " " June	.....	36.00	X
" 139 - " " " July	.....	36.00	X
" 169 - " " " August	.....	36.00	X
" 224 - " " " Pt. Sept.	.....	27.60	X
" 226 - " Jas. Apetagon " Oct.	.....	9.30	X
" 227 - Power & Mine Supply - Seals for engine	Oct. 16, " REFUNDED	2.88	X
" 237 - Wages - Alex Duncan - Pt. Oct.	"	23.16	X
" 254 - " " " Nov.	"	36.00	X
X 259 - Power & Mine Supply - Seals for engine	Dec. 16, " Ref	2.88	X
" 283 - Alex Duncan - Wages - Dec.	"	36.00	X
X 294 - Power & Mine Supply - Repairs	Jan. 15, 1940 Ref	9.44	X
" 315 - Alex Duncan - Wages - Jan. 1940	.....	36.00	✓
X 329 - Power & Mine Supply - Repairs	Feb. 12, " Ref	4.55	X
" 337 - Alex Duncan - Wages - Feb. 1940	.....	36.00	✓
X 356 - Power & Mine Supply - Repairs	March 20, 1940 Ref	2.81	X
" 372 - Alex Duncan - Wages - March, 1940	.....	36.00	X
X 477 - Power & Mines Supply - Repairs	June 28, " Ref	4.14	X
" 492 - Alex Duncan - Wages - June, 1940	.....	36.00	✓
		<u>\$487.96</u>	
		2460.20	

Accounts paid for light and power plant by the following voucher numbers:

May 1, 1940 Voucher No.412	- \$	36.00	-
June 1 " " No.430	-	1.02	-
" 1 " " No.421	-	36.00	-
" 8 " " No.447	-	<u>69.49</u>	- \$ 142.51

This amount has been deducted from the June Quarter, 1940.

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September 24th, 1940.

MEMORANDUM

MR. BRISTOW.

Before making payment of the Norway House
Per Capita Grant for the month of September, please
speak to me.

[Handwritten signature]

125

~~60~~
~~25~~
~~15~~

1500
1080
700
200
3480

1740
4145.00

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Amn. 9/35
X 145.00

Am. Con. 105 @ 43.75 = 4593.75
92.24 q/o = 4237.27

Sept Earnings 3996.56

less for 492 - Alex Duncan
Salary June 1940 36-
\$ 3960.56

Plus Refund on barrels as attached 80¢
\$ 4768.56

Draw cheque in favour Receiver General
as per attached 420.06
P.C. Grant for Norway House =
\$ 4348.50

4 Pages

— Norway House —

The following is a statement of deductions to be made from
Sept. 1940 Per Capital Grant

Dr # 22 - Wages - Alex Duncan -	April - 1939 -	36.00 ✓
" 39 - " " "	May 1939 -	36.00 ✓
" 93 " " "	June - 1939 -	36.00 ✓
" 139 " " "	July - 1939 -	36.00 ✓
" 169 " " "	August 1939 -	36.00 ✓
" 224 " " "	Pr Sept - 1939	27.60 ✓
" 226 " Jas Apelagon	" Oct - 1939	9.30 ✓
" 237 " Alex Duncan	" Oct - 1939	23.16 ✓
" 254 " " "	Nov - 1939 -	36.00 ✓
" 283 " " "	Dec - 1939 -	36.00 ✓
" 315 " " "	Jan - 1940 -	36.00 ✓
" 337 " " "	Feb - 1940 -	36.00 ✓
" 372 " " "	Mar. 1940 -	36.00 ✓
" 442 " " "	June - 1940	36.00 ✓
		456.06
		36
		<u>\$420.06</u>

Refund for Empty barrels

Folio 125 - Aug. 1939 -	224.00
" 208 - Nov - "	160.00
" 118 - Aug. 1940 -	368.00
" 118 " " "	104.00
	<u>856.00</u>

less Cheque - 20884

Mar. 13 - 1940 - to
Manitoba Inspectorate

48
\$808.00

- NORWAY HOUSE -

The following is a statement of deductions to be made from September, 1940, Per Capita Grant:

Voucher #22	- Wages, Alex Duncan	- April 1939	..	\$36.00
" 39	"	- May 1939	..	36.00
" 93	"	- June 1939	..	36.00
" 139	"	- July 1939	..	36.00
" 169	"	- August 1939	..	36.00
" 224	"	- Pt. Sept. 1939	..	27.60
" 226	- " , Jas. Apetagon	- " Oct. 1939	..	9.30
" 237	- " Alex Duncan	- " " 1939	..	23.16
" 254	"	- Nov. 1939	..	36.00
" 263	"	- Dec. 1939	..	36.00
" 315	"	- Jan. 1940	..	36.00
" 337	"	- Feb. 1940	..	36.00
" 372	"	- Mar. 1940	..	36.00

\$420.06

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Folio 125	- Aug. 1939		\$224.00
" 208	- Nov. 1939		160.00
" 118	- Aug. 1940		368.00
" 118	- " 1940		104.00

\$856.00

Less Cheque #20884
March 13th, 1940, to
Manitoba Inspectorate .. 48.00

\$808.00

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Province of MANITOBA

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH
Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended September 30th 1940.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert F. Cochrane, C. D., 288 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver.	91.35	
	NORWAY HOUSE	\$175	
	Quarterly Grant:		
	105 @ \$43.75	\$4,593.75	
	92.24%	4,237.27	
	September Earnings ...	3,996.56	
	Less Voucher #492-Alex Duncan-Salary June 1940	36.00 3,960.56	
	Plus refund on barrels, as attached ...	808.00 4,768.56	
	Draw cheque in favour of Receiver- General as per attached	420.06	
	P.C. Grant for Norway House	4,348.50	\$4,348 50

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-805

E. R. No. 1171

FORM I.A. 415
R. 5592

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4-11-40.
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to use.

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To be deducted Dec. Ch. P. O. Grant - Norway House

Dr 609 - J. W. Ashdown Handman (Pellon Hasti)	4.43 4.43
" 578 - Harrisons & Crossfields (Hypochloriti)	9.00
" 537 - Seikink Nanigalmi Emy Dorn	10.80
for one and down	24.23

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Province of**MANITOBA**.....

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

Indian Affairs Branch

PER CAPITA ALLOWANCES - RESIDENTIAL SCHOOLS

For Quarter Ended **December 31st, 1940.**

Principal	Name of School	Annual Per Capita Allowance	Amount Due
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Aver. 89.66

Make cheque payable to
Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
and send to:-
Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, O. D.
250 Queen Street West,
Toronto, (2) Ont.

NORWAY HOUSE \$175

Quarterly Grant:
105 @ \$43.75 ... \$4,593.75
92.24% 4,237.27

December Earnings \$3,922.62

**Less deduction as per
attached 24.23**

Bal. due \$3,898.39

Vote No. **77**.....

School No. **581**.....

Allot. No. **16-805**...

E.R. No. **1529**.....

.....
3-2-41.

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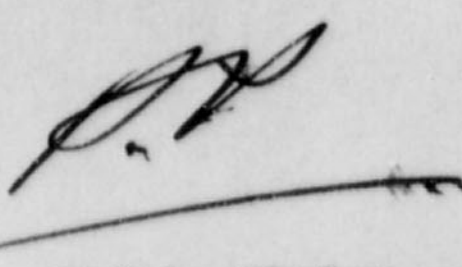
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Ottawa,
December 31, 1940.

Memorandum for file:

Mr. Chapin, Principal of Norway House Indian Residential School, will be transferred to Brandon Residential School early in April, 1941. He will subsequently succeed Dr. Doyle as Principal of the Brandon School. The latter is retiring on June 30, 1941.

Mr. A.E. Caldwell will take charge of the Norway House School following Mr. Chapin's departure.


Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Keep on Top.

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First Paragraph

0352 Helen Thout - new pupil 92 days requested
 as this pupil is shown to have entered 23-10-40
 they were entitled to 70 days grant which would
 account for the aggregate total being changed and a
 different average. which for Dec. An. was. 89.66
 less deductions of 14.23 re payments on
 Power Plant

June Ann. 99-01 - @ 43.75 = 4331.68
 (An. An. 105 @ 43.75 = 4593.75)
 92.24 = * 4237.27
 June An. Paid @ 92.24 / 100 4237.27
 142.51
 less Dr 412 - wages - Apr. 36.00
 " 430 Repairs 1.02
 " 421 wages - May. 36.00
 " 447. oil & grease 69.49
 * 142.51
 \$ 4094.76

Sept - An. 91-35 @ 43.75 = 3996.56
 less Pr. 492 - wages (June) 36.00
 3960.56
 808
 Plus refund on barrels. * 4768.56
 420.06
 Cheques in favour Rec. Gen.
 P.C. Grant to Norway House. \$ 4348.50

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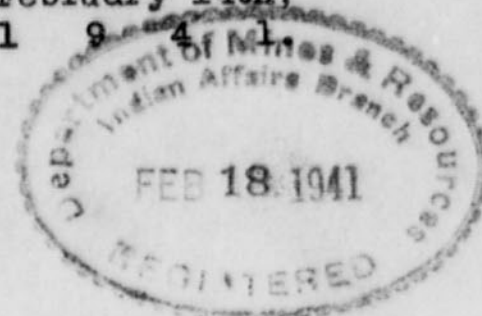
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Attention of Mr. R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare and Training,

February 14th,

1 9 41

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.



Dear Sirs:

Re December Quarter Grant - Norway House
Residential School

We recently received from the Department a cheque for \$3898.39, to cover the December quarter grant to the Norway House School. We are now in receipt of a letter from Mr. Chapin in which he says that for the December quarter his aggregate attendance was 8271, his average attendance 89.9, and the grant earned \$3933.12. I have written to Mr. Chapin, asking him if he can figure out what the difference is between the Department's figures and his. I should be glad, however, if you could help us to explain the discrepancy.

Re - June Quarter

In my letter of December 17th, I included, amongst other matters, the following paragraph in regard to the grant for the June quarter:

"With further reference to the grant to the School for the June quarter, Mr. Chapin figured that it should have been \$4237.37, whereas the amount received from the Department was \$4094.76. This would look as if Mr. Duncan's salary for April and May, amounting to \$72.00, as well as the \$70.00 for repairs to the engines, was deducted from the grant for that quarter. Now, in the statement which came with your letter of November 5th, 1940, it is shown that Mr. Duncan's wages for April and May - \$72.00 - were deducted from the September quarter grant. It would look as if a mistake had been made and that the deduction had been made twice - first in the June quarter and then in the September quarter. I should be glad if you would look into this matter and let me know whether or not Mr. Chapin is correct in his figuring."

I have had no acknowledgment of or reply to this letter. I should be very glad, indeed, if you could forward us the explanation for which we asked.

RBC.MLT

Believe me, Very sincerely yours,

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Ottawa,
February 19, 1941.

Dear Doctor Cochrane:

With reference to your letter of the 14th instant I attach duplicate statements showing the manner in which the per capita allowance due the Norway House Indian Residential School was computed for the quarters ended June 30, 1940, September 30, 1940, and December 31, 1940.

As stated above, two copies of these statements are attached one of which you might wish to send to the Principal of the Norway House School.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Rev. R.B. Cochrane, D.D.,
Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

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Schools
Attention of Mr. R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

February 22nd,
1941



Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Hoey:

Re - Norway House School Account
(Your File 123-5-3)

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of February 19th and thank you for forwarding the statement in duplicate, showing how the per capita grant to the Norway House School was computed for the last three quarters of 1940. One copy is being sent to the Principal of the School, who I am sure will be very glad to have it.

Believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

MLT.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

Indian Affairs Branch

PER CAPITA ALLOWANCES - RESIDENTIAL SCHOOLS

For Quarter Ended .. **March 31st, 1941.**

Principal	Name of School	Annual Per Capita Allowance	Amount Due
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Make cheque payable to
Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
and send to:-

Rev. Robert B. Cochran, D. D.,
288 Queen Street West,
Toronto, (2) Ont.

NORWAY HOUSE

\$175

Part Payment **\$1,900.00**

Vote No. **77**

School No. **551**

Allot. No. **16-005**

E.R. No. **180**

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Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to new,

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **March 31st** 19 **41.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 293 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver.	89.4	
	NORWAY HOUSE	\$175	
	Quarterly Grant:		
	105 @ \$43.75	\$4,593.75	
	Pay at 92.24%	4,237.27	
	MARCH EARNINGS	3,911.25	
	Less Part Payment ..	1,900.00	
	Bal. due		\$ 2,011 25

Vote No. **77**

School No. **581**

Allot. No. **16-805**

E. R. No. **189**

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TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE

Voucher in duplicate attached

31-5-41.

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Deductions to be made from P.C. Grant -
Norway House.

Voucher #133	- July 4/41	- Selkirk Navigation Co.	- \$23.76
" #145	- Apr. 25/41	- Shell Petrol Co	- 61.84
" #147	- June 3/41	- North Standard Oil Co.	- 656.72
" #171	- " 25/41	- " "	- 145.40
			\$887.72

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Province of **MANITOBA.**

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **June 30th** 19 **41.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 289 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver. 92.32		
	MORWAY HOUSE	\$175	
	Quarterly Grant:		
	106 @ \$43.75	\$4,593.75	
	92.24%	\$4,237.27	
	June Earnings	\$4,039.00	
	Less Deductions as attached	887.72	
	Bal. due		\$3,151 28

Vote No. **77**

School No. **581**

Allot. No. **16-805**

E. R. No. **603**

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE

Voucher in duplicate detached
for **11-9-41.**
for Accountant to pay.

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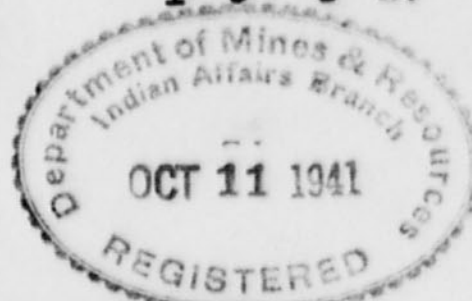
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Attention of Mr. R. A. Hoey

October 9th,
1941.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.



My dear Mr. Hoey: Re - Norway House Residential School

I am in receipt of a letter from Mr. Caldwell, Principal of the Norway House Indian Residential School, in reference to the method in which the Department charges for the oil and the drums shipped to the School. We had correspondence in regard to this matter some time ago while Mr. Chapin was Principal. We accepted your suggestion, I believe, that the School's share of the oil which is shipped to Norway House would be about \$2,000 a year and that when a charge is made for drums, there would be a refund in subsequent quarterly payments.

Mr. Caldwell's objection to the present method is that, under the present arrangement, the Department simply makes a deduction from the quarterly grant without letting us know how the amount is arrived at. It does seem to me quite a reasonable suggestion that, if this method of charging for the oil and the drums is to be followed in the future, we should get an itemized statement telling us just how much is deducted for oil and how much for drums, and if refunds on account of drums returned are to be added to the quarterly grant, we ought to have a statement of these too.

There is a good deal to be said, too, for Mr. Caldwell's other suggestion, which would change the whole method of payment in this connection. Mr. Caldwell thinks that it would be fairer to have the full per capita grant paid quarterly to the School and then bill the School for the amount due for oil and drums, so that the School accounts would show the receipt of the full grant each quarter and the payment for oil and drums would also be recorded in the School accounts. It may be that this method would give the Department extra work and complicate the bookkeeping somewhat, but it does look to me to be the more businesslike way. It hardly seems fair that the School should have to wait sometimes for a considerable period before getting repayment on account of the drums.

I should be glad if you would consider these suggestions and let me know if they are acceptable to the Department. I should also like to have an itemized statement showing how the amount paid on account of the June quarter grant is made up.

RBC.MLT

Believe me, Very sincerely yours,

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Statement of per capita earnings, Norway House
Indian Residential School, June quarter, 1941.

June earnings

\$ 4,039.00

Less

Veh. No. 133 Selkirk Navigation Co.		
Freight on Oil Drums	\$ 23.76	
Veh. No. 147 North Star Oil		
Fuel Oil & Empty Barrel	656.72	
(\$384.00 to be refunded to school)		
(Less Freight on Empty Barrels.)		
Veh. No. 171 North Star Oil		
Diesel Fuel Oil	145.40	
Veh. No. 145 Shell Petroleum of Can.		
Fuel oil and grease	<u>61.84</u>	<u>887.72</u>
June Payment -		\$ 3,151.28

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Ottawa,
October 21, 1941.

Dear Doctor Cochrane:

I have your letter of the 9th instant with reference to the charges for oil drums shipped to the Norway House Indian Residential School.

As requested in the second paragraph of your letter, I attach statement showing the deductions made from the June quarter per capita allowance of the Norway House School. No deductions were made from the March quarter per capita allowance.

You will recall that in my letter of February 19, 1941, I forwarded to you a statement showing the deductions for the quarters ended June 30, September 30 and December 31, 1940.

Further consideration will be given to the suggestion contained in the latter part of your letter and I will write to you later.

Yours truly,

Rev. R.B. Cochrane, D.D.,
Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Province of **MANITOBA.**

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **September 30th** 19 **41.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cockburn, D. Div. 288 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver.	88.93	
	NORWAY HOUSE	\$175	
	Quarterly Grants:		
	105 @ \$43.75	\$4,593.75	
	92.24\$	4,237.27	
	September Earnings ...	\$3,890.68	
	Less amt. paid under Voucher #272 - North Star Oil Ltd.	203.63	✓
	Amount due	\$3,687.05	

Vote No. **77**

School No. **581**

Allot. No. **16-805**

E. R. No. **967**

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R 627

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29-10-41.
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

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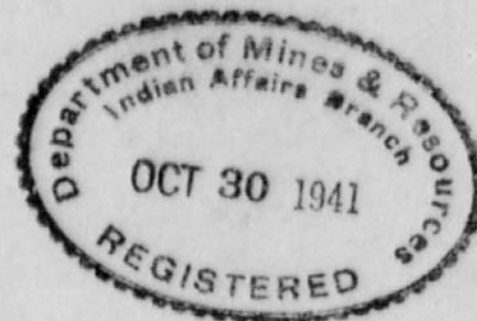
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY

Your File
123-5-3

Noted
Laurel
Attention of Mr. R. A. Hoey

October 29th,
1 9 4 1.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.



My dear Mr. Hoey:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of October 21st, enclosing statement showing the deductions made from the June quarter per capita allowance to the Norway House Residential School, and promising to give further consideration to the suggestions contained in my previous letter. I shall look forward to hearing from you again after you have come to some definite conclusion in reference to these suggestions.

With kindest regards,

Believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

RBC.MLT

Rochman

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended December 31st 19 41.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert G. [unclear] U. C. 200 [unclear] St. [unclear] [unclear]	Aver.	100.42	
	NORWAY HOUSE	\$175	
	DECEMBER EARNINGS	\$4,393.37	
	Quarterly Grant: 105 @ \$43.75	\$4,593.75	
	Pay at 92.24%	\$4,237.27	
	Less amount paid Voucher No. 385 - Selkirk Nav. Co. - freight on oil	\$ 38.80	
	Bal. due		\$ 4,198 47

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-805

E. R. No. 1349

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Dec 22 - less Paid on Pouch 385
Selkirk Navigation Co. Ltd
Freight = 38.80

no more
disbursements
from grant

P.H.
Jan 26/42

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Ottawa,
January 28, 1942.

Reverend Sir:

With reference to the December quarter per capita allowance at the Norway House Indian Residential School the total due the school was \$4,237.27. From this has been deducted an amount of \$38.80 covering the cost of freight on oil shipped previous to December 1, 1941. This amount represents the portion which the Norway House Residential School has paid in the past.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.



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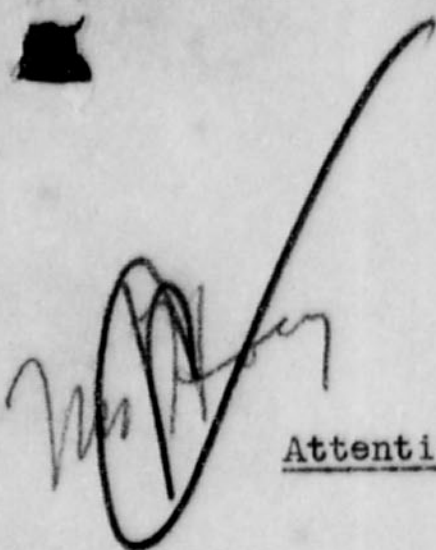
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY

Your File
123-5-3

February 3rd,
1 9 4 2.


Attention of Mr. R. A. Hoey

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.



My dear Mr. Hoey:

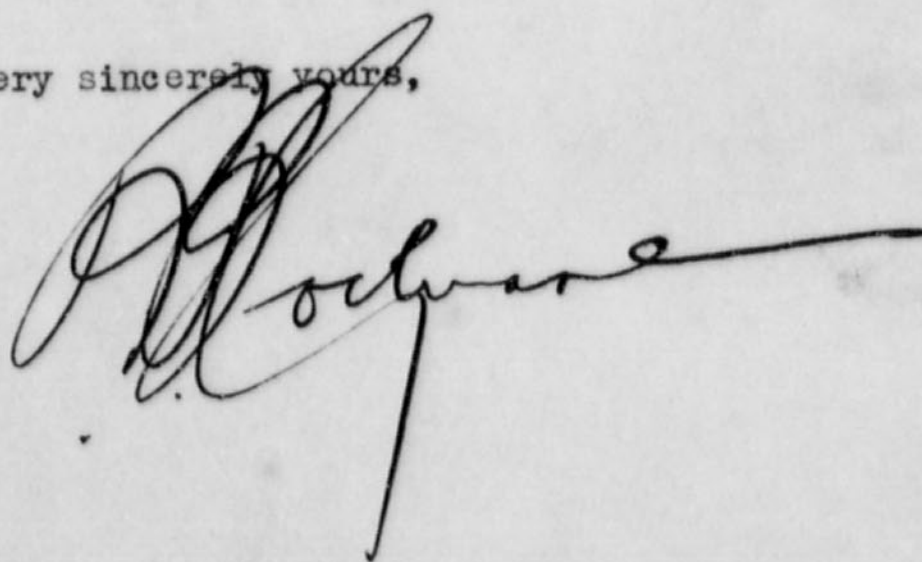
Thank you for your letter of January 28th, informing us regarding the deduction of \$38.80 from the per capita allowance to the Norway House Indian Residential School for the December quarter. We are passing this information on to Mr. Caldwell, Principal of the School. The cheque from the Treasury Department has not yet reached this office, but doubtless it will come to hand in a day or two.

I wonder if it would be possible for you to send me a similar statement regarding the grant for the September quarter. According to Mr. Caldwell's reckoning the School earned \$3893.75. The cheque received was for \$3687.05. So there were evidently deductions amounting to \$206.70. I shall appreciate receiving an explanation of this at your earliest convenience.

Believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

MLT.



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Deduction from Sept. Am.

Rn # 242. North Star Oil hld

For Fuel Oil * 203-63

Refund for School —
for Empty Btls - less Freight
* 115-00

(approx. 9 mos)

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Ottawa,
February 6, 1942.

Dear Doctor Cochrane:

With reference to your letter of the 3rd instant I append the following statement regarding the September quarter per capita allowance of the Norway House Residential School:

September quarter earnings	\$ 3,890.68
Less amount paid North Star Oil	
Limited for fuel oil	<u>203.63</u>
Net amount due school	<u>\$ 3,687.05</u>

I am also advised by the Treasury Branch that there will be a further refund of approximately \$115.00 for empty barrels. The freight on returning the barrels will be deducted from the amount just stated. It will probably be about August 1 before this refund will be obtained.

Yours truly,


Rev. R.B. Cochrane, D.D.,
Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Province of.....**MANITOBA.**.....

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For ~~Quarterly~~.....19.....
FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1941.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 280 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	NORWAY HOUSE Payment of cost-of-living bonus as authorized by P.C. 20-2057 dated 16th March, 1942: Authorized Pupilage - 105 Maximum Number Allowed - 96.85 <u>Average Attendance:</u> March - 89.4 - \$223.50 June - 92.32 - 230.80 Sept. - 88.93 - 222.32 Dec. - 96.85 - 242.12 AMOUNT DUE \$918.74		

Vote No. **77**.....

School No. **581**.....

Allot. No. **16-805**.....

E. R. No. **1349**.....

Auth Rep. 105

Max Allow. 96.85

Rect Att -

Mar - 89.4 - 223.50

June - 92.52 - 230.80

Sept - 88.43 - 222.52

Dec - 96.85 - 242.12

918.74

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **March 31st** 19 **42.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.	NORWAY HOUSE		
	Part Payment		\$ 2,600 00

Vote No. **77**

School No. **581**

Allot. No. **16-808**

E. R. No. **104**

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TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
254,492
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **March 31st** 19 **42.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver.	100.73	
	NORWAY HOUSE	\$175	
	March Earnings	\$4,406.93	
	Quarterly Grant: 105 @ \$43.75	4,593.37	
	Pay at 92.24%	4,237.27	
	Less Part Payment...	2,600.00	
	Bal. due		\$ 1,637 27

Vote No. **77**

School No. **581**

Allot. No. **16-805**

E. R. No. **104**

FORM I.A. 415
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TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
27-5-42.
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to draw

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended June 30th 1942.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 289 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver.	98.75	
	NORWAY HOUSE	\$175	
	June Earnings	\$4,320.31	
	Quarterly Grants: 105 @ \$43.75	\$4,593.37	
	Pay at 92.24%		\$4,237 27

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-608

E. R. No. 436

FORM I.A. 415
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TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher 2447-43 detached
for Accountant to pay.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **September 30th** 19 **42.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 289 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver.	101.15		
	NORWAY HOUSE	\$175		
	September Earnings ...	\$4,425.31		
	Quarterly Grant: 105 @ \$43.75	\$4,593.37		
	Pay at 92.24%		\$4,237	27

Vote No. **77**

School No. **581**

Allot. No. **16-805**

E. R. No. **884**

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Voucher in duplicate detached
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for Accountant to OMA

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **December 31st** 19 **42.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 209 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver.	98.92	
	NORWAY HOUSE	\$175	
	December Earnings	\$4,327.75	
	Quarterly Grant: 105 @ \$43.75	\$4,593.37	
	Pay at 92.24%		\$4,237 27

Vote No. **77**

School No. **581**

Allot. No. **16-805**

E. R. No. **1174**

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TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE

Voucher **19-1-43.** detached

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended: 19.....
CALENDAR YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1942:

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 215 Dundas Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	NORWAY HOUSE Payment of special grant as authorized by P.C. 31/2340 dated 24th March, 1943: Authorized Pupilage: 105 Maximum Number Allowed: 96.85 Average Attendance: March - 100.73 June - 98.75 Sept. - 101.15 Dec. - 98.92 PAY AT 96.85 x \$10 \$ 968 50		

Vote No. 77
School No. 583
Allot. No. 16-805
E. R. No. 1174

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29-3-43, detached
Voucher in duplicate detached
for amount to pay

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Mar. Att. 96.85

Arce Att. ~~100.73~~
Mar. - 100.73
June - 98.75
Sept. - 101.15
Dec. - 98.92

Paym 96.85, 10.00, 968.50

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended March 31st 19 43.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 289 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver.	99.48		
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175		
	March Earnings	\$4,352.25		
	Quarterly Grant: 105 @ \$43.75	\$4,593.37		
	Pay at 92.24%		\$ 4,237	27

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-805

E. R. No. 1174

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Duplicate for file
Voucher 14-4-43 to be detached
for Accountant to pay.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended June 30th 1943.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
	Aver.	98.28	
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada and send to :- Rev. Robert S. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	
	June Earnings	\$4,299.75	
	Quarterly Grant: 105 @ \$43.75	\$4,593.37	
	Pay at 92.24%		\$4,237 27

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-805

E. R. No. 326

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TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
13-7-43
Voucher in duplicate detached
for ACCOUNTANT TO GOV.

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Recd. 100.46

175-00

Sept Fanning's 4395.12

Am. Co. 106 @ 41.75 = 4543.37

By at 92.24/2 = 4237.27

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended September 31st, 19 43.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochran, O. D., 218 Queen Street West, Toronto (2) Ont.	Aver.	98.28	
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175.00	
	September Earnings....	\$4,395.12	
	Quarterly Grant: 105 @ \$43.75	4,593.37	
	Pay at 92.24%		\$4,237.27

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-205

E. R. No. 1009

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Voucher in 429-11-43
for Accountant to pay.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **December 31st,** 19 **43.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 298 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver.	104.64	
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175.	
	December Earnings.	\$4,578.00	
	Quarterly Grant: 105 @ \$43.75.....	4,593.37	
	Pay at 92.24%.....	\$4,237.	27

Vote No. **77**

School No. **581**

Allot. No. **16-805**

E. R. No. **1009**

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19-1-44. FILE
voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

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Auth. Pap. 105

Max Allow. 96.85

Amer. Alford

Mar - 99.48

June - 98.28

Sept - 98.28

Dec - 104.64

Pay at $96.85 \times 10.00 = 968.50$

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **March 31** 19**44**
~~June 30th~~

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 259 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.		
	Part Payment		\$3,000. 00

Vote No. **77**

School No. **581**

Allot. No. **16-805**

E. R. No. **1258**

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TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
31-3-44
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **March 31st.** 19 **44**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 200 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver. 104.36			
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175.		
	March Earnings	\$4565.75		
	Less Advance	3000.00		
			\$1565.	75

Vote No. **77**

School No. **581**

Allot. No. **16-805**

E. R. No.

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended **June 30**, 19**44**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 260 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver.	103	
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175.	
	June Earnings		\$4506. 25

Vote No. **77**

School No. **581**

Allot. No. **16-805**

E. R. No. **345**

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TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
8-7-44
Voucher in duplicate attached
for Accountant to enc.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

Half Year
For ~~Quarter~~ ended June 30th 1944.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to ; - Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 288 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.		
	The Department agreed to allow Special Grant of \$15.00 per capita for Calendar Year 1944, based on Average Attendance. This payment represents amount due for first half of year.		
	Average Attendance: March - 104.36 June - 103.	\$ 391.35 386.25 \$777.60	

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School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-805

E. R. No.

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Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended September 30th 1944.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert S. Cochrane, D. D., 225 Queen Street West, Toronto (2) Ont.	Aver.	100.53		
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$ 175.		
The Department agreed to allow Special Grant of \$15.00 per capita for Calendar Year 1944, based on Average Attendance. This payment represents amount due for the September quarter.	September Earnings		\$ 4398.	18
			376.	98
			\$ 4775.	16

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-805

E. R. No.

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TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
Teacher in due 6-11-44
for Accountant to pay

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**DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH**

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended.....**December 31st.**.....19 **44.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
<i>Amount payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, Rev. Robert D. Cochran, D.D., 250 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.</i> The Department agreed to allow Special Grant of \$15.00 per capita for Calendar Year 1944, based on Average Attendance. This payment represents amount due for the December Quarter.	Aver.	100.92		
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$ 175.		
	December Earnings		\$ 4415.	25
			378.	45
			\$ 4793.	70

Vote No.....**77**.....

School No.....**581**.....

Allot. No.....**16-805**.....

E. R. No.....

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DATE FOR FILE
24-1-45. detached
Voucher in

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended March 31st 19 45.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 259 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175	
	Advance on March Qr.		\$ 2,000 00

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-805

E. R. No.

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TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE

Voucher in triplicate detached
21-3-45.
for Accountant to pay.

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Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended March 31st. 19 45.

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 208 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont. The Department agreed to allow Special Grant of \$15.00 per capita for Calendar Year 1945, based on Average Attendance. This payment represents amount due for the March Quarter.....	Aver.	103.42	
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$ 175.	
	March Earnings	\$ 4524.62	
	.....	387.82	
	Less Advance	\$ 4912.44 2000.00	
			\$ 2912. 44

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-805

E. R. No.

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30-4-45.
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended June 30th 19 45

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	Aver.	102.		
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$ 175.		
	June Earnings	\$ 4462.50		
The Department agreed to allow Special Grant of \$15.00 per capita for Calendar Year 1945, based on Average Attendance. This payment represents amount due for the June Quarter.		382.50	\$ 4845.	00

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-805

E. R. No.

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TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
17-7045
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

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Aver. 100.13

June Earnings \$ 4,380.69

Spec Grant. \$ 375.49
4,756.18

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended September 30th 1945

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
	Average:	100.13	
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175.	
The Department agreed to allow Special Grant of \$15.00 per capita for Calendar Year 1945, based on Average Attendance. This payment represents amount due for the September Quarter.....	September Earnings...	\$4,380.69	
		375.49	
			\$4,756. 18

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-805

E. R. No.

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Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

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12-11-45

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average - 92.15

Net Earnings 4,031.56

Grant 345.56
4,377.12

Norway House

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Province of MANITOBA

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended December 31st 19 45

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
	Average:	92.15	
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 298 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175.	
The Department agreed to allow Special Grant of \$15.00 per capita for Calendar Year 1945, based on Average Attendance. This payment represents amount due for the December Quarter.....	December Earnings...	\$4,031.56	
		<u>345.56</u>	
			\$4,377.12

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 15-805

E. R. No.

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

FORM I.A. 415

22-1-46

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Province of.....**MANITOBA.**.....

**DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH**

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended.....**March 31st,**.....19**46.**

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE	
Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to; - 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$ 175.		
	Advance on March Qr.		\$ 2600.	00

Vote No.....**77**.....

School No.....**581**.....

Allot. No.....**16-805**.....

E. R. No.....

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher in duplicate detached
for amount to be paid.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Per Capita Allowances—Residential Schools

For Quarter ended March 31st, 19 46

PRINCIPAL	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL PER CAPITA ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT DUE
MAKE CHEQUE PAYABLE TO Treasurer of the United Church of Canada AND SEND TO 299 Queen Street, West, Toronto (2) Ont. THE Department agreed to allow Special Grant of \$15.00 per capita for Calendar Year 1945, based on Average Attendance. This payment represents amount due for the March Quarter.....	Average:	93.72	
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175.	
	March Earnings...	\$4,100.25	
		<u>351.45</u>	
	Less Advance	<u>4,451.70</u> <u>2,600.00</u>	\$1,851.70

Vote No. 77

School No. 581

Allot. No. 16-805

E. R. No.

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Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

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MANITOBA.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCHTEACHERS' SALARIESFOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th 19 46.

NAME OF TEACHER AND P. O. ADDRESS	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE
MAKE CHEQUE PAYABLE TO Treasurer of the United Church of Canada AND SEND TO 399 Queen Street West, Toronto 12, Ont. The Department agreed to allow Special Grant of \$15.00 per capita for Calendar Year 1946, based on Average Attendance. This payment represents amount due for the June quarter.....	Aver.	97.3	
	NORWAY HOUSE RES.	\$175.	
	June Earnings	\$4,256.88	
	.....	364.88	\$4,621. 76

VOTE No. 77SCHOOL No. 581ALLOT. No. 16-805

E. R. No.

DUPLICATE FOR FILE
Teacher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

FORM NO. I.A. 416
R 645

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Average - 97.3

June Earnings - 4,256.88
Sp Grant - 364.88

4,621.76

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Department of Indian Affairs

19.....

Norway House

Building Supplies, etc. etc.
Norway House Bldg School.

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OTTAWA, 21

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th October last, asking whether the Department would grant farming implements, a yoke of work oxen and a tool chest for the use of your school; and in reply I beg to say that it is not customary for the Department to furnish such articles, neither has it any funds available for the purpose.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary

E. F. Hardiman, Esq.
Principal,
Norway House Boarding school,
Norway House.

The Dominion Fish
~~North West Navigation Co.~~

210725

Shipped in apparent good order, or condition noted, by *Robinson*
board the good Steamboat called the *Premier* and Barges, Capt.
the following articles, marked and numbered as below, which are to be delivered in like good order, (D
BRIDGES, COLLISION, AND ALL OTHER KNOWN AND UNKNOWN OBSTRUCTIONS TO AND DANGERS OF LAKE OR R
ED) consigned to *Indian Agent* at *Norway*
he or they paying Freight and Charges specified, with the privilege of Lighting, Towing, and Re-shipping and
risk and expense, in case of low water or ice.
In accepting this Bill of Lading, the shipper or other agent of the owner of the property mentioned below, espec
and agrees to all exceptions of the same, and the conditions and stipulations of the Company.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Master or Clerk of the said boat has affirmed to three Bills of Lading, all of this ten
date, one of which being accomplished, the others to stand void.

TRIP No.

B. L. No. *149*

MARKS AND NUMBERS.	No. of Pieces.	ARTICLES.	WEIGHT OR No. OF FEET	FREIGHT.		BACK CHARGES	Total.
				Rate.	Amount.		
	<i>1</i>	<i>3d 3 ash</i>	<i>170</i>	<i>75</i>	<i>127</i>		
Received above mentioned articles in Good order and condition for Consignee.							

Selkirk, 210725, Dec 11 1900
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

IN ACCOUNT WITH

THE DOMINION FISH COMPANY, Limited, DR.

1900

Aug 23

Freight on 1 Bbl Storm Sash
consigned to Indian Agt Norway House
by Robinson & Co.

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Receipt and certificate attached

(3) Duplicate

4770

DEC 11 1900

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THE DOMINION FISH COMPANY, LIMITED,

GENERAL OFFICES,

SELKIRK, - MAN.

Dept. of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

Dear Sirs

We send you again our invoice of Dec. 11, in triplicate, for freight on one bundle storm sash, per Steamer Premier, consigned to the Indian Agent at Norway House. On your returning this to us we sent it to Mr. Short, Indian Agent, who has certified to the correctness of the bill. We therefore enclose his certificate together with the invoice\$ and bill of lading, and trust that this will be satisfactory evidence of receipt of the goods.

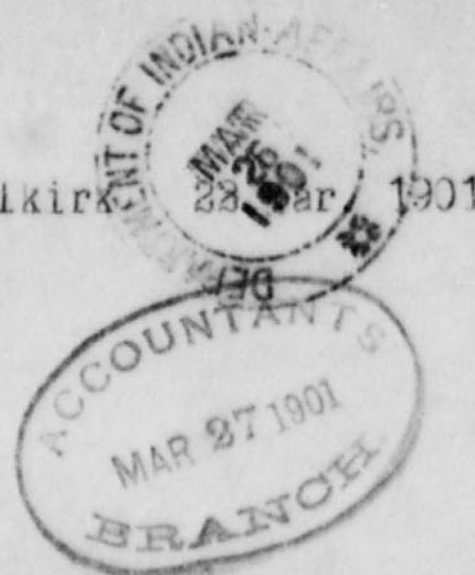
Yours truly.

The Dominion Fish Company, Limited.

Per *[Signature]*.....

PAY

ACC'T.



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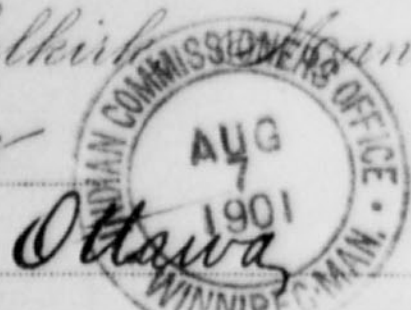
VOTE

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Indian Department

Selkirk

June 11



Norway House Boarding School



W. H. G. Gibbs, 216838 31

DRUGGIST AND STATIONER.

1901

June 10	10	1 gal Castor Oil	tin	1/2 lb fl Ex Cascara	tin	2	72
"	"	1 lb Mag. Sulph	tin	1 lb Rochelle Salts	tin	1	03
"	"	100 pill Abs + Myrth	tin	1 lb P. Glycyrrhiza Co	tin	1	67
"	"	1/2 lb Tr. ferri Chloros	tin	1 lb Tr. Cinch. Co.	tin	1	02
"	"	1 lb Bland pills	tin	1/4 lb Pot. Bromide	tin	1	30
"	"	1 lb Alum	tin	1 lb Acid Carbolie	tin	7	0
"	"	1 gal Ac. Carbolie	tin	1 oz Monrel Solution	tin	2	05
"	"	2 lbs Ury Zinc Ox	tin	2 lbs Vaseline	tin	1	42
"	"	1 oz Iodiform	tin	1 gal Rubber Adhesive plastic	tin	9	1
"	"	1 lb Absorb. Cotton	tin	10 lbs Linseed meal	tin	1	39
"	"	1 gal Cod Liver Oil	tin	Emulsion	tin	3	12
1 Box and packing						50	
Drugs supplied at wholesale prices						17	83
W. H. G. Gibbs							

Goods Received
S. H.
Hardeman
June 19 1901

Boarding School -

7044

Material Supplied,
Prices charged fair and just.

M. A. C.
INDIAN COMMISSIONER.

OK SENT 14 Aug

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D. X. H.

Act

Office of the Indian Commissioner,

Winnipeg, AUG 8 - 1901

Classification No. 6

Norway House Agency
Boarding School.



SIR:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers

of Receipts letter
No 168.918/9

No. 31, amounting to \$17.⁸³

20th April 1901.

for Medicines

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Harold

Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa.

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INDIAN RIVER AGENCY

INDIAN RIVER AGENCY

Volume 78

West Selkirk, Man., Dec 9th 1901

Rivay House School

222421

Vol 7
Page 5

FOLIO.....

CAR No.....

TERMS.....

% Rev J Nelson

Bought of

ROBINSON & CO.,

MANUFACTURERS OF AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

LUMBER, LATH, SHINGLES, SASH, DOORS, ETC.

1901 Eight per cent, charged on overdue accounts,

Claims for Shortage must be made on receipt of Lumber.

Sept 7	To 1750 ft Siding	29.	50 45
"	5500 " Boards	29 ⁰⁰	134 45
"	2650 " Ceiling	29.	76 85
"	18 ft 2. 6. 18	32 ⁰⁰	8 10
"	36 " 14	504	24 ⁰⁰ 1209
"	50 " 2. 4. 10	333	24 ⁰⁰ 815
"	10 " 12	80	24 ⁰⁰ 192
"	20 " 16	213	" 511
"	1000 ft Flooring	1000	2900
"	10 " 1" Cedar Shingles	47 ⁰⁰	47 50
"	1 Door 2/10 6/10. 1 3/4.		300
"	7 wds 12/28 - 4 lbs.	200	1400
"	450 Brick		24 75
"	1 Bbl Lime		3 75
"	50 lbs 4" wire nails	6	300
"	2 Kers 2 1/2 " 8-		10 70
"	50 lbs Shingles Nails	6	300
"	2 Door Locks Complete		200
"	4 Pr Butts.		275
			4417
			26 94
			110 69
			598 20

Correct

John M. Dougall,

MATERIAL SUPPLIED
Prices Fair and Just.

John Semmens

Indian Agent



DEBENS RIVER AGENCY

DEBENS RIVER AGENCY

To accompany
voucher 78

West Selkirk, Man., Dec 13th 1901

Mc. Nerway House School

222421

Vol 7
Entry 5

Bought of Wm. Robinson,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GENERAL MERCHANT.

Sept 7	To 30 lbs m.s.B.	1.55	46.50
"	182 lbs Bacon ^{24.57} / ₁₃₂ , 80# Tea ^{18.40} / ₂₃		42.97
"	100# Lump Sugar ^{6.50} , 1 Sk R&Oats	2.60	9.10
"	92 yds wrapperette ⁷⁸² / _{8 1/2}		782
"	61 1/2 " w Cotton ⁴³⁰ / ₇		430
			110.69

3604

Correct-

John M. Dwyer

MATERIAL SUPPLIED
Prices Fair and Just.

John Sammons
Indian Agent.



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BERENS RIVER AGENCY



BERENS RIVER AGENCY

Winnipeg voucher 78 *Winnipeg* 20 Nov 1901

✓ Vole 7
Fifty 5

Norway House School

222421

To North West Navigation Co. Dr.

LIMITED.

OFFICE: MANITOBA MORTGAGE BLOCK, PORTAGE AVE.

*To B.L. 658 attached
Transportation*

2634

3603

Correct.

John M. Dougall

work done

to horses fair & good

John Semmens

Indian Agent



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Rev. J. Nelson,

B. L. 658

Selkirk Sept. 7th / 01

To Steamer Premier

Do 222421

For transportation of freight from Selkirk to Norway House.

	No of Packs	Articles	Weight in No of Feet		Freight		Total
					Rate	Amount	
	30	Sks. M. A. B. Flour	3	000			
	1	Sks. Bacon	1	000			
	1	Sks. Tea	1	000			
	1	Sks. Lump Sugar	1	200			
	1	Sks. Rolled Oats	1	000			
	1	Pcks. Dry Goods	1	25			
				3512	75	26 34	26 34

Received Above mentioned Articles
sd/ John Nelson

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BERENS RIVER AGENCY 168918-5

Indian Agent's Office

567 Mc Dermot Avenue - Winnipeg

December 27 th 1901



222421

In your reply refer to
No. 168
also to date of this letter.

Ref.: Your Letter 1 No.

Sir,

I beg to present herewith Voucher 78 of this Agency
in favor of Robinson and Company West Selkirk Manitoba amounting to
\$578.20 five hundred and seventy eight dollars and twenty cents .

Authority for this purchase is duly given on the face of the Voucher
and the expenditure was made in connection with the enlargement of the
Norway House Boarding School

Inasmuch as the Robinson and Company and the North West Navigation
Company are practically the same the voucher has been made one and is
accompanied with certified attachments.

I have the honor to be

Your Obedient Servant

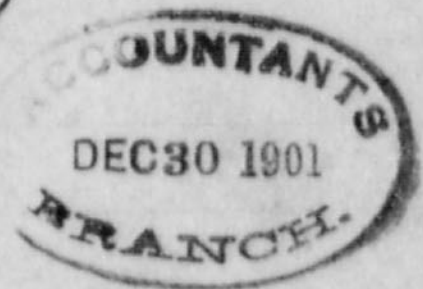
John Semmens

Indian Agent

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa — Canada



OK. SECT 4/1/02

will have
to issue
chks in favor
of each
firm

\$ 600 mi
Est. for this
school

man
my that as the
ages are made on
in the names of
W. Robinson - West Selkirk
North West Nav Co. W. P. Dermot
Robinson & Co. West
chks will issue instead
accompanied by instead
of in favor of Robinson & Co

Accl

MIX'D.

Ottawa 7th January, 1903.

Revd Sir,

With reference to the Vouchers which accompanied your letter of the 27th ultimo, No 168, I beg to say that as they are made out respectively in favour of W. Robinson, West Selkirk, the North West Navigation Co, Winnipeg and Messrs Robinson & Co, West Selkirk, the cheques in payment of the same ^{have been} ~~will~~ issued accordingly instead of in favour of Messrs Robinson & Co.

J. M. L.
[Signature]
BCL

Your obedient servant.

[Stamp]

Secretary.

Revd John Semmens,

Indian Agent,

Care Indian Commissioner's Office,

Winnipeg, Man.

SCHOOLS.
FEB 19 1902

Department of Indian Affairs,

OTTAWA, 13th February, 1902



ACCOUNTANT:-

Please see letter under. Are there
funds to the extent of at least \$150.00 for the ex-
penditure in question?

Wesley Graham

Yes per acct

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Ex'd.

Supplied


OTTAWA, 19th February, 1902

Rev. Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 1st ulto.
I beg to say that a supply of kindergarten material
will be ordered for your school.

The Department cannot, however, comply with
your request to furnish Indian clubs and dumb bells
for the physical developement of the pupils.

Lo. L.
MB

Your obedient servant,

Rec'd 66
cty 877.
to forward
207 Nov

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary

Rev. R. F. Hardiman,

Principal,

Indian Boarding school

Norway House,

Man.

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Bemo B...
Voucher No 130
Man...
July 7 1902
Vote 7
231007
J. Perry Summers

In account with **Robinson & Co.,**
MANUFACTURERS OF AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Sash, Doors, Etc.

for Norway House Boarding School
17 Rolls Paper to \$ 1020
13 " Lat Paper 975
995
DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
EXAMINED.
Goods supplied to charges fair and just

John Summers
Indian Agent

Authority
Purchased in direction of
Commissioner's charge against
repairs to Norway House Boarding
School
1902-1903
Debt 5th Aug.
ACC'T.

0.27- Letter in 76321

Exd.

Acct.

See 231.007. Has
the cheque been sent.

J. A. H.

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Indian Department

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Vote 7

Indian School (per Miss Lousley) 247348
To The Hudson's Bay Company
for the following Norway House



1903

mar 24 To 1/2 doz. Horn dress^g combs 15
1/2 rubber " 25
1 ea Tin Kettle + 5 40
1 " " + 6 50

\$ 130

C. & C.

Keewatin Dist. Office

Norway House

11th June 1903.



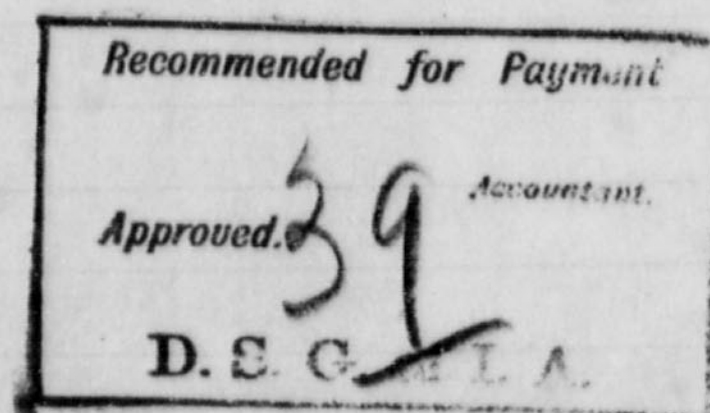
Certified correct,

"Material purchased,

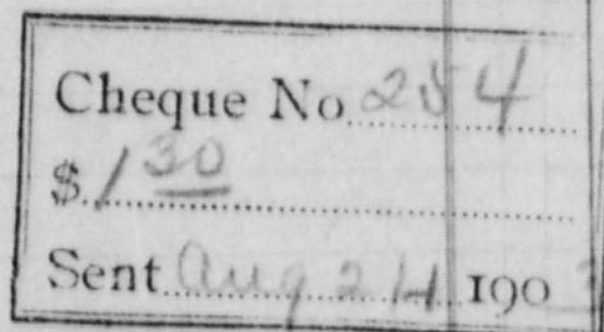
Prices fair and just."

Laura R. Lousley.

[Signature]

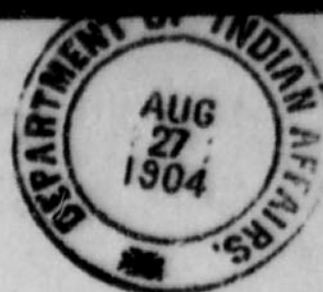


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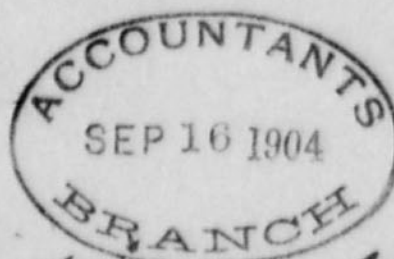
Office of the Indian Commissioner,

Acck

Winnipeg, AUG 24 1904 ~~100~~

Classification No. 22

Norway House Agency. Agency.



Estimates 1903-1904.

SIR:—

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers

No. 788, amounting to \$800.⁰⁴

for material for erection of a
building in connection
with Norway House Boarding
School. I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

H. C. H. H.

Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Handwritten: ~~Recd.~~

OTTAWA, September 21st---1904

Sir:

The enclosed account is returned as there appears to be two errors in it.

Before accounts are forwarded from your office, it would be well to have them bear the initials of the clerk whose duty it is to examine them.

Your obedient servant,

Handwritten: J. H. McLean

Secretary.

Hon. David Laird,

Indian Commissioner,

WINNIPEG, Man.

VOTE 7

265086

West Selkirk, Man.,

31 Dec., 1903

Indian Boarding School,

263739

Norway House Agency.

FOLIO.....

Norway House.

CAR No.

Bought of

TERMS.....

Robinson & Co.

788

MANUFACTURERS OF AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

LUMBER, LATH, SHINGLES, SASH, DOORS, ETC.

1903

Eight per cent. charged on overdue accounts.

Claims for Shortage must be made on receipt of Lumber.

Aug	21	3 Kegs	4" Wire Nails		3.80	10	80
		2 "	3" " "		"	7	20
		3 "	2" " "		3.80	11	40
		2 "	Shingle "		4.50	9	00
		30 Sks	Man. S. B. Flour in 1/4 Sks		1.75	52	50
		70 Lbs	Bacon		.12	8	40
		75 "	Tea		.20	15	00
July	28	500 Ft.	Flooring		.25.	12	50
Aug	24	860 "	Boards (8x8x5 1/2)		20.	17	20
		1672 "	"		25.	41	80
		2151 "	Siding		30.	64	53
		1237 "	Flooring		30.	37	11
		26 Pcs	2x4x14	243	25.	6	07
		22 "	18	264	26.	6	86
		4 "	24	64	27.	1	35
		14	18	149	25.	3	72
		26	2x10x20	867	27	23	41
		100 Pkgs	No. 1 Ced. Shingles	25 th (a)	4.50	112	50
		700	Brick		45.	31	50
Oct.	5	3491 Ft.	Boards D15.		25.	87	27
		3000 "	Ceiling		30.	90	00
		16	Windows 10x12x12		1.75	28	00
		16	Storm Windows		1.85	29	60
		50 Pcs	2x4x12	400			
		50 "	2x10x16	1333, 1733	25.	43	32
		3 Doors	3x7x1 3/4		4.10	12	30
		3 "	2'10" x 6'10" x 1 3/8		3.40	11	70
		5 "	3'2"x6'7"x 1 3/8		5.50	27	50
		1 "	3'2"x6'7"x1 3/4		7.00	7	00

Material Supplied,
Prices charged fair and just.

(over)

APPROVED,

COMMISSIONER.

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Indian Boarding School
Norway House

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that
the materials herein mentioned and billed
have been purchased from Capt. Wm.
Robinson, Selkirk, Man. for erection of
a building in connection with this
school. The building to provide accommo-
-dation for sick ones & additional rooms
for staff.

J. A. Lonsley,
Principal.

Office of the

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Indian Commissioner

for Manitoba and the Northwest Territories,

In your reply refer to
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No.
and date of this letter and
address
Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

Winnipeg,

26 Sept. 1904



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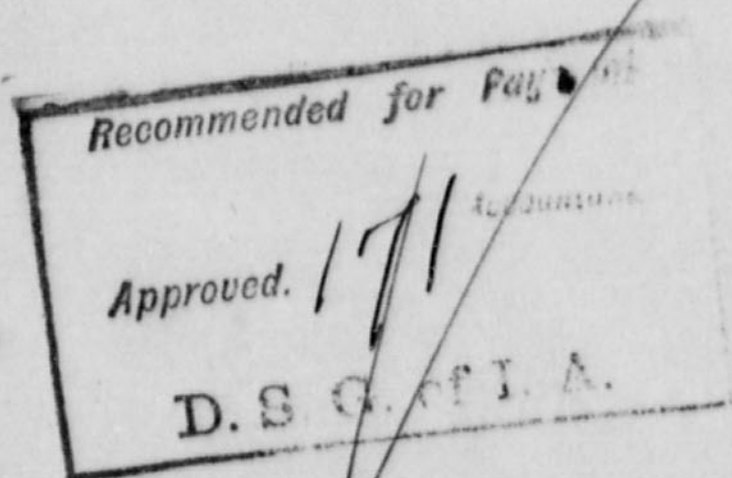
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Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 21st. instant,
I beg to re-enclose herewith voucher No. 788 in favour
of Messrs. Robinson & Co., for material supplied the
Norway House Boarding School. Your remarks relative
to this account have been noted.

Your obedient servant,



J. M. Newman
Asst. Indian Commissioner.

Secretary,

Dept. Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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Selkirk, Man.,

31 July 1905

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Indian Boarding School, Norway House

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Norway House Agency,

Bought of

Wm. Robinson,

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GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE,
FURNITURE, FLOUR AND FEED.LUMBER, LATH, SHINGLES, SASH, DOORS,
WOOD AND BRICK.

STORE DEPARTMENT, PHONE 21.

LUMBER DEPARTMENT, PHONE 13.

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July	20	20	Rolls Building Paper		65.	13	00	
		1	Key 4" Nails			3	40	
		1	" 3" "			3	50	
		3	" 2 1/2" Nails		8.65	7	10	
			Freight			2	40	
Aug	20	55	Pcs. 2x6x14	770	20.	15	40	
			Freight			3	35	
Sept	22	3000'	Boards D 1 S		20.	60	00	
			Freight			15	00	
	12	4000'	Shingles		23	32	00	
		1000'	4" Flooring			25	00	
		50	pcs. 2x4x13	600'	21	12	60	
			Freight			23	00	
	5	2	bus. Lime		40		80	
		3	S. Sash 10x17-4		1.60	12	80	
		3	1/2 Windows 12x16-12		2.75	9	82	
		2000	Bricks		15.00	80	00	
			Freight			38	44	
	7	200	ft. 1 1/2x3					
		300	" 3/4 x3	500	25.00	12	50	Not used in I.B.S. building
		5	pcs. 2x3x12	50	20.00	1	60	
		650	ft. Boards		20.	13	00	
			Freight			6	15	
		63	pcs. 1x3x12 Shingles	504	23.	11	50	
			" 2x4x12 Soc.	45	20.		36	
			Freight			4	14	
			" 2 1/2" Nails			3	40	
			" 4" "			3	25	
			" 3" "			3	35	
		1	" 2 1/2 "			3	40	
			Freight			1	60	
		40	Bus. Lime		40	16	00	
			Freight			1	40	
		4	Pcs. 2x10x12	1330	23.	35	34	Not used in I.B.S. building also freight on this item 11.25-
		0	ft. 5" Flooring					
		0	" Ceiling	4300	25.	120	00	
		0	" Shingles		23.	23	00	
			Freight			56	10	
						687	90	

Sent Sept. 28thERRY POOR
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Amounts not used in I.B.S.

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Office of the Indian Commissioner,

Winnipeg, SEP 9 - 1905 ~~190~~

Classification No. 22

Norway House Agency. ~~Agency~~

SIR:—

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers

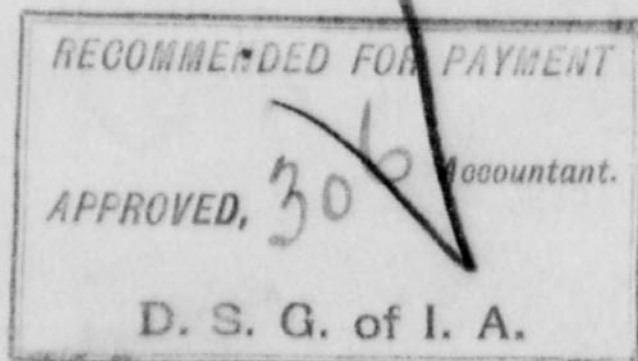
No. 49, amounting to \$956.⁴⁰/₁₀₀

for lumber, &c, for Norway House
Boarding School.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,



[Signature]

Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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for Manitoba and the Northwest Territories,

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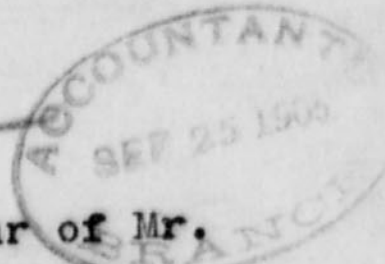
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Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

Winnipeg,

9 Sept. 1905.

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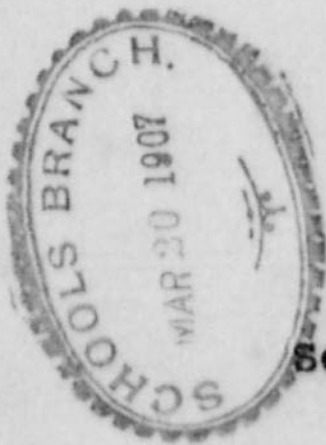
*Adm
Acct*
Sir,

With reference to voucher No.49 in favour of Mr. Wm. Robinson, of Selkirk, for lumber, &c. supplied the Norway House Boarding School, I beg to refer to my supplementary estimates for 1905-1906 forwarded to the Department under cover of my letter of the 5th. May last, wherein I inserted an item of \$700.00 for material and work to complete an addition to the above institution. No provision was made for the heating apparatus, as it was not asked by the Principal at the time, but as this is indispensable, I trust the Department will allow same. The cost of the material is also in excess of the estimate submitted by the Principal, but it was evidently necessary to complete the work.

Your obedient servant,

Laird

Indian Commissioner.



Secretary,

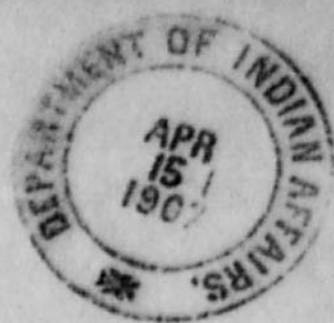
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Ottawa.

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Office of the Indian Commissioner,

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Winnipeg, APR 9 1907 190

Classification No. 22

Norway House Agency. Agency.

SIR:—

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers

No. 337, amounting to \$ 538 75

for miscellaneous goods for
Norway House Boarding school.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

D. J. Macdonald

Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, 5th July, 1907.

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Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 9th April, I re-enclose herewith Voucher No 337 amounting to \$538.75 in favour of Mr Wm. Robinnon for goods supplied for the Norway House Agency, and I have to request that you will kindly quote the authority for the purchase. The certificate on the voucher reads that the goods charged for "are on hand for repairing I.B.S." Among the articles charged for are flour, bacon, sugar and rubber boots. In view of the certificate these charges require explanation.

I may add that there is a charge of \$79.08 for freight and no receipt has been furnished in connection therewith. This is required.

Your obedient servant.

J. D. McLEAF

Secretary.

The Indian Com.
Winnipeg
Man.

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Office of the

168918-5
Indian Commissioner

for the Northwest Provinces and Territories.



Winnipeg, 2nd August, 1907.

In your reply refer to
No. 122/78
and date of this letter and
address
Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

Sir, -

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I enclose a copy of a letter from the Rev. Mr. Ferrier respecting the Norway House Boarding School, in which you will observe he expresses strongly the opinion as to repairs that "it will be a total loss to put any more on the present building", and that the only thing to do is to erect another one on a different site.

I find that on the 22nd of March the Principal reported that the building had been extremely cold and all but uninhabitable during the winter, that in the office the thermometer would not average more than 15 degrees above zero, and that bacon left there was frozen so hard that it could not be cut with a knife. Yet from the 1st of November over 200 cords of wood had been used in an effort to heat the building. The Principal in his letter states "it is really up to the Government or the Church to do something or close the school".

I find that in the estimates for 1906-7 \$1000.00 was provided to "drain basement, repair and paint new building". I understand that certain expenditure has been made, but mainly in procuring material. In the estimates for the present year \$500.00 is provided for certain repairs.

Upon receiving Mr. Ferrier's letter of the 7th June, and reading that from the Principal already referred to, I concluded that it would be wise to have a

report

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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report from the Inspector before proceeding with expenditure upon a building declared to be so unfit for habitation. Mr. Semmens was then on his way to pay the annuity moneys, and I thought he would be able to make the report when on that trip. Unfortunately, however, he had to return by reason of illness. He is now on a trip on the Lakes, and I expect a report from him on his return in about two weeks.

Mr. Lousley interviewed me to-day in regard to the work, and I expressed the opinion to him that it would be better not to do anything until the Inspector's report was received and considered by the Department. He informs me that the building is on a rock in which there is a large cavity that fills with water, and that the sum available for the purpose ^{of drainage} from the amount voted would not at all meet the expenditure. He, like Mr. Ferrier, is absolutely convinced that there should be a new building on another site.

The present building was erected by the authorities of the Methodist Church, and is owned by them.

You will observe in the concluding part of Mr. Ferrier's letter that he asks to be advised as to the amounts voted for the schools at Brandon, Red Deer, Morley, and Norway House. Am I to advise him of the provision made in the estimates as to any or all of these institutions, and authorize the expenditure?

Your obedient servant,

J. G. McNeill
Asst. Indian Commissioner.

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(Copy)

Industrial School,
Brandon, Man., June 7, 1907.

Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

Dear Sir,-

Last year there was a grant of \$1,000 made to improve the Boarding School at Norway House. I did not sanction the investment of any of this money inasmuch as I believe it will be a total loss to put any more in the present building. There is only one solution worthy of consideration, and that is to build another building on a different site. I should like you to find out what is the opinion of the Agent and the Inspector on this matter. My own judgment is that inasmuch as there were ten deaths in that school during the past nine months, a new building cannot be too soon on the way.

Would you kindly let me know what grants have been made for Brandon, Red Deer, Morley and Norway House. An answer at your earliest convenience will greatly oblige,

Yours respectfully,

(Sgd) T. FERRIER.

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Memo re Jn

Ottawa, August 12th., 1907.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd instant enclosing copy of a communication from the Rev. Mr. Ferrier calling attention to the unsanitary condition of the Boarding School building at Norway House and suggesting that a new one be put up on another site; and in reply I beg to say that this matter will receive consideration.

*For
Jn*

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary.

The Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg,
Man.

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Selkirk, Man.,

Feb. 15 th. 1907

Indian Boarding School Dept.

Norway House.

Norway House Agency.

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Bought of

Wm. Robinson.

GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE,
FURNITURE, FLOUR AND FEED.

STORE DEPARTMENT, PHONE 21.

LUMBER, LATH, SHINGLES, SASH, DOORS,
WOOD AND BRICK.

NUMBER DEPARTMENT, PHONE 13.

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105	Gals Raw Oil.	945	71 40
44 1/4	" black ^{boiled} "	398	30 97
50#	Red Ochre. \$1.75 1750# A. Lead \$131.25.	1800	133 00
12	Brushes. \$10.80		
12	" 9.00		
12	" 12.00		31 80
6	" 1.50		
3	" 30		
3	" 30	25	2 10
2	Gals Turpentine. \$2.20 1 can. 30¢	20	2 50
120#	Red. Oxide. \$4.20	120	4.20
1	10x12 register. \$1.50		
1	10x14 " 2.00		
1	8x12 " 1.25		
1	8x12 " 2.50	50	7 25
82 1/2#	Tea. \$19.25 230# Bacon. \$32.15		
	300# L. Sugar. \$18.00	613	69 40
50	SKS. M.S.B. Flour.	5000	72 50
4	pr. Rubber Boots.	15	15 00
1	keg. Nails.	100	3 55
200	ft. 2" Oak. 98¢	800	16 00
	Freight. 480¢ per hundred. per Boat	9886	79 08
	from Selkirk to Norway House.		538 75

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Sent Aug. 24th

Abaine goods received & are on
hand for repairing & ss.
Prices fair & just

RD,
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MISSION

J. A. Linsley
Norway House Boarding School
March 22nd. 1907.

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Norway House, June 21, 1907.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Brandon, Man.

Dear Bro: Ferrier:

I enclose herewith a statement of Finances of the Boarding School to end of June, 1907. The Government Report also goes out on this mail, it being the first mail since March 31st.

You will understand that the big deficit of this year is not due to carelessness or extravagance when I state that we opened school with sixty-five children and had to make provision for them all. That is fifteen for whom no Government grant was given. Then I cannot hold myself altogether responsible, that is, I am responsible, but do not condemn myself, because I am poorly served with dry goods. For example, I have on four occasions ordered heavy brown duck suits for the boys from Capt. Robinson and he, in spite of repeated protest, has sent me light canvas. These have come late in Fall when I could not exchange and I was compelled to use them and of course they only lasted a short time. Those heavy suits which you ordered for me and which did not arrive till last spring went to pieces like asbestos paper and are now after one winter's wear cast aside. Indeed, if we had not had others we could not have got through the winter in decent shape. My first order last summer for stocking webbing, ^{after} most express emphasis being laid on quality and going so far as to say not to send anything but the best was rotten. I duplicated the order and half of it was rotten, and our supply and outfit of stockings now is a disgrace to the school. Considering these things I have felt compelled to have a good stock on hand.

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Copy of Letter from Rev. J. A. Lousley--2

I hope you have been able to secure Government aid for the purchase of horses, harness, waggon, and a large freighting boat as these things are absolutely necessary to the management of this school through another year.

I expect to be out in July to order drygoods and will try to see you then if you are not in.

Yours sincerely,

J. A. Lousley.

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R E P O R T
of the
NORWAY HOUSE BOARDING SCHOOL
For the year ending June 30, 1907.

Class-room.--

There are two teachers, one for the Reserve and one for the Boarding School, and the children from the Boarding School and the Reserve are graded in classes according to their standing. The junior room is taught by the Reserve teacher and the senior room is taught by the Boarding School teacher. The plan works well and both schools are helped by the arrangement.

Being holiday time, I had no opportunity of seeing the work done nor examining the children.

When the school closed June 29th there were fifty-four pupils in attendance.

Health of the Pupils.---

The year has been a long and trying one on the general health of the pupils and more deaths have occurred than in any previous year. Ten have died; nine of these were brought in last year, and nine died of consumption of the lungs or bowels, one of spinal meningitis. Only two of the deaths were of pupils from the Norway House Reserve.

The school started with sixty-five children, probably more than should have been in the dormitories considering the lack of ventilation.

A hospital is a much needed institution so that afflicted children could be removed at once from the school.

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The Staff and Salaries Paid.--

Principal,	\$750.00,	furnished house and table
Assistant Principal,	300.00,	board and washing,
Matron,	300.00,	" " "
Cook,	216.00,	" " "
Seamstress,	200.00,	" " "
Teacher,	300.00,	" " "

Buildings.--

The main building is kept clean but it is of such a finish that what is done does not show up to advantage. The floors on the ground flat are about worn out. The cellar and basements are in tumbledown condition and with about a foot of water in each and the only relief is in baling it out with pails or pumping and at present the pump used is out of order. They are certainly very unsanitary and there must be a drain, which will be a very difficult task to be accomplished when we have to depend upon native help. Quicksand and rock will be encountered and it will need shoring up and it is next to impossible to get Indians to work at that kind of job.

Heating and Ventilation.--

The furnaces are placed in these dilapidated basements which are merely holes in the ground and the way they are installed it is an impossibility to heat the building. The Department have made a vote of \$100.00 to fix the furnaces. What is required are new furnaces, new basements, and new flues if the building is to be properly heated and ventilated, and nothing whatever can be done towards this end with so small an amount of money. I advised the Principal to get the consent of the Department to spend this \$100.00 in box stoves and discard the furnaces altogether.

There are so many requirements for this building to make it what it ought to be that I have already reported that nothing but a new building will be a satisfactory solution of the problem.

Other outbuildings.--

A good ice-house has been built and does good service in keeping milk, meats, etc.; a large woodshed, also, used for storing lumber and other supplies of a light nature; a root-house for keeping potatoes and vegetables but it is a difficult matter to keep it frost-proof; and a good warm stable that will accommodate ten head of cattle and a team of horses. There are eight head of cattle belonging to the school.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

of the

NORWAY HOUSE BOARDING SCHOOL

For the year ending June 30, 1907.

----- RECEIPTS -----

Missionary Society Grant	\$ 5 500 00
Special Grant for Salary	150 00
Grant to paint Church & Mission House	150 00
" for Balance of Church Repairs	166 17
" " Interpreter	50 00
Goods sold to Missionaries and others	748 84
Government Grant for Repairs	538 75
Deficit	3 394 10

----- DISBURSEMENTS -----

Salaries	\$ 1 983 00
Hardware, Oil & Lead, Light	1 022 43
Dry Goods	1 647 56
Groceries & Provisions	3 049 14
Boots & Shoes	468 63
Drugs & Stationery	154 96
Building & Repairs	722 81
Household Furnishings	203 88
Freight and Transport	1 050 82
Deficit last year	394 63
	\$10 697 86 \$10 697 86

There is about \$1,200.00 worth of goods on hand, made up as follows:-

Wood,	\$300 00
Hay,	75 00
Moccasins and Leather,	270 00
Dry Goods	235 00
Accounts to collect	320 00

Enclosed find a letter from the Principal as to reason for the large deficit.

He applied to the Government for a grant for 65 children and was expecting that it would be granted.

The item of over \$3,000 for provisions contains the only cash outlay for meat, fish, hay, wood, and moccasins, provisions being exchanged for these articles. The most of the goods sold have gone out of this account.

The freight and transportation account is high and cannot be controlled by the Principal. Freight rates from Selkirk were 40c. per 100 lbs. until this year, now 50c., and prices for goods and labor have been raised proportionately.

Some help would be rendered by having a large amount of the goods purchased for him and landed at Selkirk in the month of June in time to ship on the barge that goes up to the mission as soon as navigation opens.

Under present conditions it will take at the very least \$6,500 a year to maintain this school with 50 children.

It will be seen from Mr. Lousley's letter that a freighting boat, team of horses, harness and wagon are essential to manage the outside work. I have looked carefully into this and am of the opinion that the team, harness and wagon are an absolute necessity.

All the wood on the school property is done and neither the Government nor Indians will allow the supply to be cut from the Reserve so that a distance of 4 to 6

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miles has to be travelled for fuel. Last year it took an average of $1\frac{1}{2}$ cords per day from November 15th to March 1st. The only time this wood can be hauled is over the ice and with the oxen it was an all-winter job and the oxen used so continually that they tired out on the journey and lay down on the road. It is impossible to get a supply ahead at the school. At present there are about ten cords, not enough to last until the ice is formed. The stock of wood now on hand is from four to five miles from the school. The horses and outfit are essential and should be sent up by boat so as to be there ready for use when the ice forms.

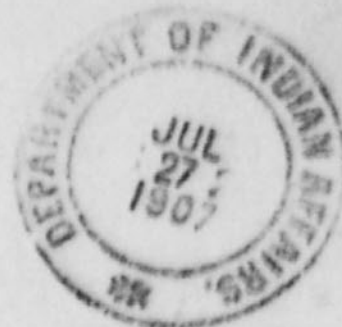
All of which is respectfully submitted.

Enc.

J. Ferrier

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Industrial School,

Brandon, Man., July 23, 1907.

To the Secretary of the
Department of Indian Affairs,
O t t a w a , O n t .

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing you a brief report of the Boarding School at Norway House.

You will notice that there is a large deficit of \$3,394.10. There have been smaller deficits that have occurred from year to year in connection with the handling of this school but the Church have paid up to the present.

You will also see by the report that a team of horses, harness, and wagon are about an absolute necessity. These ought to go up over the lake while navigation is open which is not likely to be after the 15th of September.

As this is such an urgent case and, I think, under the circumstances, a just expenditure on the part of the Department, I should like to have the authority to purchase these and send them up at the earliest date possible.

I have the honor to be,

Your obedient servant,

J. Ferriell

Enc.

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*There are
no funds
voted for
this purchase
J. Ferriell*

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(Copy)

Norway House, July 19th, 1907.

Mr. J. A. J. McKenna,
Asst. Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

312871

Sir,-

Replying to yours of July 11th, No.122/78, would say that I have no written authority for that expenditure except as you see it mentioned in No. 122/78, April 9th last from Hon. David Laird. In that he says, "But owing to your remote situation you may expend the balance this year". That word "balance" refers to what is left of the \$1000.00 mentioned there after this bill which I sent in has been paid. I received verbal instructions from the Commissioner while in Winnipeg last Fall, also from Rev. T. Ferrier, and was also informed by the Inspector, Rev. Jno. Semmens, of the grant made, all of which however came too late for me to get the work done last Fall. But the goods were ordered last Fall, and part of the work is already finished.

All work in this part has hitherto been paid for with groceries, drygoods, and hardware, etc., the Indians preferring it that way to any other. We never would be able to get work done at all if we had to follow the regular way of putting in vouchers for work done. These Indians would not, really could not, wait for it as they live daily from hand to mouth.

I have a very wet muddy drain to dig, and anything but long rubber boots for the job would be useless, hence I ordered a few pair and will charge these on wages of men working at the draining.

Re

*Extract from Prin's letter
of the 19th July 1907*

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Re trading. All fuel for School, cutting and hauling, hay for stock, moccasins for children, meat, etc., in short, all that the Indian offers us which is useful in the School, we buy and pay for in this way.

This has all been discussed with the Commissioner and met with his approval, that is, I should say, was allowed to go on without further comment.

Yours sincerely,

(Sgd) J. A. Lousley,
Principal, Indian Boarding School,
Norway House Agency,
" " P.O.

168918-5
Office of the

Indian Commissioner

for the Northwest Provinces and Territories.

Winnipeg, 13th August, 1907.

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BRANCH
In your reply refer to
No. 122/78
and date of this letter and
address
Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

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Sir,-

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Referring to your letter of the 5th ultimo, with which you returned voucher No. 337 amounting to \$538.75 in favor of Captain William Robinson for goods supplied for the Norway House Boarding School, you ask me to quote the authority for the expenditure, and also to explain the charges for flour, bacon, sugar, and rubber boots.

The Principal of the School was asked for explanations, and I forward copy of his reply, which, upon the whole, is not very satisfactory. I cannot find that I gave the Principal any written authority for the expenditure, and I do not remember that I gave him any verbal instructions. At the same time, as Rev. Mr. Ferrier, on the 17th of last August, and Mr. Inspector Semmens in his report on the School dated the 5th of last September, reported the urgent necessity of draining of the basement of the School, I may have mentioned to them and to the Principal that there was an item of \$1000.00 in the estimates of 1906-7 "to drain basement, repaint, and paint new building". Indeed I see that I placed a marginal note on the Inspector's report that such a sum was available, and I understood the work was in progress.

However, the material in Capt. Robinson's account appears to have been purchased for repairs to the School

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

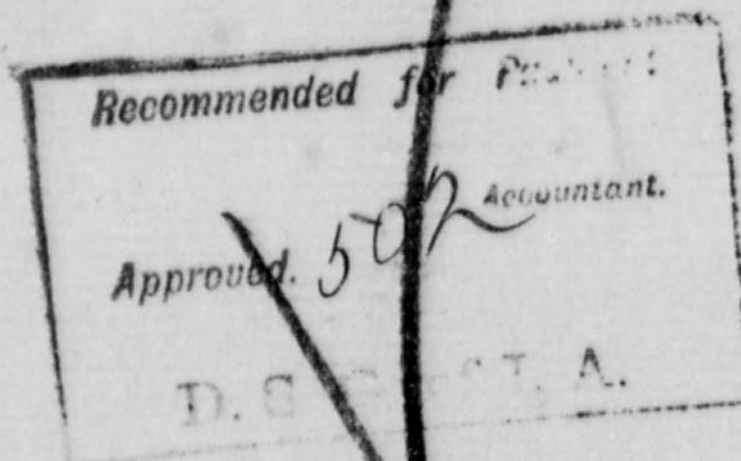
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School, and I would recommend it to be paid. The paint and oil are according to the vote for painting; the flour and bacon to pay the Indians while working at the basement; and the rubber boots for the workmen while standing in the water digging the drain. No receipt is necessary for the item of \$79.08 for freight. Captain Wm. Robinson is the owner of the steamer that did the freighting, and he is the man forwarding the account.

Yours truly,



[Signature]
Indian Commissioner.

314092

(Copy)

Stonewall, Man. Sept. 7, 1907.

Sir,

Your letter No. I22/78 of the 11th. of June has for long lain in the Stonewall Office owing to my continued absence from home.

In reply to your request for a report upon the advisability of sanctioning the erection of a new building for the Norway House Boarding School, I wish to make some remarks.

(I) In the summer of 1906 the Rev. Thompson Ferrier called at my Pay Tent and asked me to accompany him to the Boarding School for the purpose of considering certain suggestions he had to make by way of improvements which he hoped with my recommendations the Government would provide for.

I went with him and spent some time in discussing what appeared to be desirable. After mature consideration I recommended certain things as seen in my last special report totalling 1000.00 dollars. He has not been able to carry out the improvements to the great detriment of the school's health. He now says he "does not sanction the investment of this money". He was the one to ask for additional grant for improvements. He failed to use advantage afforded. He now covers up his failure by saying the building is not worth it. Why not have asked for a new School a year ago when he knew all he now knows concerning it.

The Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg.

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Had the improvements which I suggested been carried out, I could easily have recommended that a further improvement which I had kept in reserve be provided for this year. You will see that the new part lately added to the rear must needs add to the warmth of that side of the building. Now if to this new siding with a thickness of tar paper had been placed south west and east the Building might have been serviceable for another five years. This was my idea which of course has not been realized.

As it is now the building is scarcely fit for use and the children are bound to suffer with cold, and this may result in much ill-health, as was the case last year. It is impossible to place a new building there during the present season. I now feel disposed to recommend that the school be suspended for a year, and that in the meantime an amount be placed in the estimates covering the cost of a new building to be erected on a new site.

In doing this I think that a representative of the Department should select the site and have authority to exercise supervision during the course of construction, and that the workmen should be sent out by the Department, that is to say the contract should be let to some responsible contractor, so that the work done should be guaranteed and the unfortunate failures noticeable in the first building be avoided.

I know all this is radical enough, but it is not the fault of the officers of the Department that things are as they are, and yet responsibility remains largely with the Department and ill-health is likely to be charged against the Government by the general public, who do not understand how things have gone.

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I shall be glad to have a personal interview with you at any time, so as to reach the best conclusions and arrive at speedy and definite results.

I have the honour to be,

Your obedient servant,

(sd.) John Semmens,

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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Office of the

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Indian Commissioner

for the Northwest Provinces and Territories.

In your reply refer to
No. **122/78**
and date of this letter and
address
Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

Winnipeg, 11 September 1907.

314092



Schools
168,918/5

Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 12th. ultimo, in regard to the condition of the Boarding School building at Norway House, and the question of erecting a new one on another site, I beg to enclose herewith copy of Mr. Inspector Semmens' report on Rev. Mr. Ferrier's letter, and on the present defective state of the building, which is dangerous to the health of the pupils. The Methodist Church authorities are responsible for the shell of a building that was first erected; and the money expended thereon since appears to have done very little good.

The pressing question just now appears to be should the Department allow the school to remain open during the approaching winter? It is probable that the Principal has already laid in most of the food and clothing required for the winter; yet I am of opinion that unless the Church authorities strongly object, the school should be closed about the 1st. of December.

The whole question of the cost of a new building is for the Department to consider.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Laird
Indian Commissioner.

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Ottawa, September 28, 1907.

cc
The Deputy Superintendent General,-

The Indian Commissioner has forwarded a report from Mr. Inspector Semmens on the condition of the boarding school building at Norway House, from which it appears that it is in such a delapidated condition that it is dangerous to the health of the pupils, and the Commissioner asks whether the Department should allow the school to remain open during the approaching winter.

The Methodist Church authorities are responsible for the shell of a building that was first erected, and what has been expended thereon since ^{in the way of repairs} appears to have been thrown away. The Commissioner further remarks that it is probable the Principal has already laid in most of the food and clothing required for the winter, yet he gives it as his opinion that, unless the Church authorities strongly object, the school should be closed on or about December 1.

This was in July, last.
Mr. Ferrier in speaking of the building says,- "The cellar and basements are in a tumble-down condition and with about a foot of water in each, and the only relief is in baling it out with pails or pumping it out. There is no drain and it is in a most unsanitary condition. The furnaces are placed in these delapidated basements, which are merely holes in the ground, and the way they are installed makes it impossible to heat the buildings." He concludes by stating that

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that there are so many requirements for this building to make it what it ought to be that nothing but a new building will be a satisfactory solution of the problem.

There were ten deaths in the school last year, and if it is continued this winter this number is likely to be exceeded, as I find on March 22 the Principal reported to the Commissioner that in the office the thermometer would not average more than 15 degrees above zero and that bacon left there was frozen so hard that it could not be cut with a knife. Yet from November 1, 200 cords of wood had been used in an effort to heat the building. He concluded his letter by stating that it was up to either the Government or the Church to do something or close the school.

Mr. Semmens in his report above referred to says that he feels disposed to recommend that the school be suspended for a year and that in the meantime an amount be placed in the estimate covering the cost of a new building to be erected on a new site. He remarks that this is radical enough, but it is not the Department's fault; yet responsibility lies largely with the Department, if the school is kept open, and ill-health is likely to be charged against the Government by the general public, who do not understand how things have gone.

In view of the dangerous condition of the building, which is a menace to the health of the pupils, I would suggest that the consent of the Methodist Church authorities be asked to close the school at
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the date recommended by the Commissioner and that in the meantime the question of rebuilding on a more suitable site be considered. The present premises are the property of the Methodist Church and are most unsuitable in every way for a school of this kind, and no doubt grave blame would attach to the Government if it was allowed to continue in its present condition. No expenditure would make the present site or buildings fit for the purpose for which ~~intended~~ they were intended.

This is only another instance of the want of foresight and common sense shown by the Churches in establishing schools.

Arthur Benson

168918 / 5



Ottawa, October 7th., 1907.

Memorandum:

Mr. Benson.

Mr. Pedley decided to approve of your memorandum of 28th September. The question of re-building school will come up later when the Supplementary Estimates are being considered. *Please take a note.*

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be "Schur" followed by a stylized flourish.

Accountant.

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Ottawa, October 8, 1907.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th ult., inclosing a copy of Mr. Inspector Semmens's report on the Norway House Boarding School, and in reply I beg to say that, in view of the very defective state of the building, which is dangerous to the health of the pupils, the Department has decided that the school shall be closed during the coming winter.

You will be good enough to advise the Church authorities accordingly, and the Department approves of the date suggested by you for the closing of the school, namely, December 1, next.

The question of rebuilding the school will be dealt with when the supplementary estimates are under consideration.

The Rev. Mr. Ferrier, as Superintendent of Methodist Indian schools, should be written to in this matter.

Your obedient servant,

STEWART

Asst. Secretary.

The Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Man.

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Norway House

Buildings

M. Boarding School

Vote No.

Treaty No.

Department of Indian Affairs

To J. B. Keeper

c/o Rev. T. Farrier,

Brandon, Man.

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
1921		
Oct. 10th	67 hrs. re- wiring attic in Indian Boarding School statement Norway House @ .90¢ per hr. as per 2388 attached	60. 30

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Sent Nov. 18/21.

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Rev. T. Ferrier
President of Methodist
and Hospitals in Canada

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Brandon, Man. Nov 9. - 21

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The Secretary Department
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.



Dear Sir
Enclosed find two bills
in favor of the Northern Lick Co
One is for \$365.¹⁶/₁₀₀ This is for
freight charges on lumber cement
&c.. Shipped to Norway House
for general repairs on the
Boarding School plant.

The other is for \$19.²⁰/₁₀₀ Return
ticket for man sent out to do
the electric work required.

I also enclose you a voucher
for his wages for \$60.³⁰/₁₀₀ - 64 hours
at 90^{cts} per hour. The School provides
Board &c.

Yours Sincerely
T. Ferrier

Phone A 2457

Electric Appliance Co. Ltd.

318 Donald Street

Winnipeg, Man. Nov 19th 1921 192

Sold to Indian Boarding SchoolNorway House

TICKET

334

Order No.

R

200	ft # 14 wire	5	00
250	ft $\frac{1}{2}$ flexible Tubing	11	10
300	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch Tubes	5	25
150	Split Knobs	6	75
2	Gross Screws for Split Knobs	2	60
7	lbs friction Tape	6	93
4	lbs Rubber Tape	3	80
6	indicating Snap switches	3	15

44 58

6 68

37 90

10 64

48 54

Less 15%

Received by

REPORT No. 71
MINUTE No. 2650Certified
D.K.

as per attached

Phone A 2457

Electric Appliance Co. Ltd.

318 Donald Street

Winnipeg, Man. Nov 19th 1921 192

Sold to Indian Boarding SchoolNorway House Man

TICKET

331

Order No.

R

195	ft # 14 R G Wire	4	39
100	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch Tubes	1	75
100	5 $\frac{1}{2}$ Split Knobs	4	50

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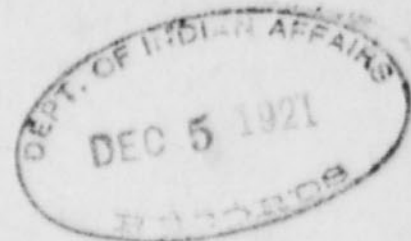
Rev. T. Herrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

Brandon, December 2nd, 1921.
Man.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.



Dear Sir,-

Enclosed find an account for \$48.54 in favor of the Electric Appliance Co., Winnipeg. This is for goods that this firm supplied to make the necessary changes in the attic of the Norway House Boarding School. As a former report of mine points out that the wires were all lying out on the joists exposed and they now have been put in porcelain tubes running through the joists and they have been covered with shiplap. As far as I know this is the last of the accounts to be presented for the repairs which were made during the fall at this Institution.

I wish to express my satisfaction and gratitude to the Department for the liberal treatment meted out to the Institution in furnishing material which was very much needed.

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pay
[Signature]

ACCOUNTANT
DEC 7 1921
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Yours sincerely,

TF/ED

T. Herrier
Industrial School, Brandon.

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Indian Industrial School.

Norway House, Man.

IN ACCOUNT WITH **WOOD, VALLANCE, LIMITED**

Jul.	28	2%	4.15		
"	28	Net,	5.60		
"	28	2%	9.60		
Aug.	11	2%	22.54		
Sept.	2	2%	59.13	X 41	28
Sept.	29	2%	13.05		
"	29	Net	10.91		
			124.98		
Aug.	30	C/N	2.78		
Sept.	30	C/N	6.34		
			115.86		

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Wood,
President.

J.C. Falls,
Vice Pres. & Gen. Mgr.

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D. Wood,
Secy. Treas.

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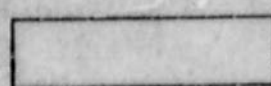
WOOD, VALLANCE HARDWARE CO. LIMITED
NELSON, B.C.



Wood, Vallance Limited.

WHOLESALE

Iron & Hardware Merchants.



Winnipeg, Dec. 14th, 1921.
Canada.

ADDRESS REPLY TO THE COMPANY
ATTENTION OF W.M. Gilbert.

Ans

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:-

Re Indian Industrial School,
Norway House, Manitoba.

We are holding, as unpaid against the account of the above, the undernoted invoices and credit notes. Will you kindly have them checked in your department and let us have a remittance to cover, if possible, before the end of the year. We are desirous of having all accounts cleaned up before that time and assure you that the co-operation of your department will be very much appreciated.

Possibly the item shown under date of September 2nd, \$59.13 requires a little explanation. We have already received from you your cheque #2071 in the amount of \$41.08, which amount is the total of the net goods on this invoice. You have, apparently, omitted to take into consideration the discount goods, namely; \$59.13, as stated above. You will notice that all of our invoices carry two columns, hence, it will be necessary for you to keep this in mind when checking invoices you receive from us.

E.H.



Yours respectfully,
WOOD, VALLANCE LIMITED.

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Ottawa, December 21st., 1921.

Dear Sirs,-

In reply to your letter of the 14th instant, I beg to say that a cheque for the balance of your account dated 2nd Sept. viz:- \$59.13 is being sent you. In regard to the other accounts included in your statement, I have to say that these have not reached the Department, and I would advise you to communicate with Rev. T. Ferrier, at Brandon, as the supplies were evidently ordered through him, and he should be able to certify the accounts which is necessary before I can make payment.

Yours truly,



F.H. Paget
Accountant.

Wood, Vallance Limited,
Winnipeg, Man.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Norway House

Nov. 11th, 1921. 191

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 8A.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

I am in receipt of a letter from Mr. J. T. Blackford the Principal of Norway House Boarding School, enclosing copies of two accounts, which he states have been paid from the School Allotment. These accounts I attach.

The glass and lumber are articles which are chargeable to the Indian Department, as general repairs to School buildings, and Mr. Blackford is asking for a refund.

These goods were purchased by him when he first assumed charge of the School, for work which he considered urgent, and which could best be done while the children were absent on their holidays. Not being posted in the regulations regarding purchases, and as he supposed the accounts should be paid from their general allotment, he failed to secure a list of competitive prices, or authority from the Indian Department for the purchases. He engages to follow the regular procedure in future.

I may say that the material has been used economically and to the advantage of the School, the glass for repairing windows, the lumber, etc. for a partition in the office, part to be used for storeroom, thus releasing a good room for the accommodation of a member of the staff; part for completing the engineer's house, which is the property of the Department, and some for making closets for the clothing of the children.

I have told Mr. Blackford that it would be necessary for him to secure receipts in triplicate for payment of these accounts. This, with our mail service, will take some time. In the meantime, I would ask to be informed if the Department can make the refund under the circumstances.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

*must have
certified voucher
if it is decided to
reimburse me
School -
The Asst. should
be receipted for
pay to be made
Blackford*

OTTAWA, January 3rd, 1922.

Sir, -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of November 11th, last, enclosing copies of two accounts for glass, lumber, etc., purchased by the Principal of the Norway House Boarding School, requesting to be informed as to whether payment will be made for this expenditure.

In reply I beg to say that, if properly certified vouchers are forwarded, consideration will be given to the matter of payment being made.

The accounts which you forwarded are returned herewith, as it will be necessary to obtain duplicate copies which should be attached to vouchers.

If payment is to be made to the Principal, the accounts should be receipted by the different firms. If, however, it is intended that payment be made direct to the respective firms from whom the material was purchased, it will only be necessary to attach the accounts to voucher forms, in duplicate, which you should certify.

It is noted that you have instructed the Principal regarding future purchases, and that he is to obtain competitive prices before making such purchases.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE FIRM

WOOD, VALLANCE & CO.

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WOOD, VALLANCE & ADAMS, LIMITED

CALGARY, ALBERTA

WOOD, VALLANCE & LEGGAT, LIMITED

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WOOD-VALLANCE HARDWARE CO. LIMITED

NELSON, BRITISH COLUMBIA



Wood, Vallance Limited.
WHOLESALE
Iron & Hardware Merchants.

INVOICE NO.

11504

IF WRITING PLEASE QUOTE

Winnipeg Sept. 29/21.
Canada.

Sold to The Indian Boarding School,
c/o Northern Fish Co.,
Norway House, Selkirk, Man.

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Repairs

2% 30 DAYS
OR NET 60 DAYS

NET 30 DAYS

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2	Only #15 M & Break Induction Coils	1 75	3 50	
24	#6 Burgess Dry Cells Batt	44n		10 56
3	6 Cell 661 Burgess Multiple Batteries	3 05	9 15	
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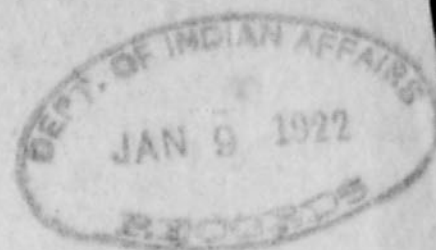
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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada



Brandon, January 6th, 1922.
Man.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir,-

Enclosed find an account from Wood Vallance Limited for \$23.96. This was for goods sent the Indian Boarding School at Norway House which were required for the electric batteries. To the best of my knowledge the account is correct.

Yours sincerely,

INDIAN EDUCATION

Carroll
CRD

T. Ferrier
Industrial School.



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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Norway House

MAR 3 1922

February 13th 1922

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 47-49A
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

563915

Sir,—

Referring to my Estimates for this Agency for the year 1922-23, in my Estimates for Norway House Boarding School I asked for the construction of a silo.

I would ask the Department to let me know at an early date if this will be allowed, as unless the silo is to be built, it would be useless to sow for sunflowers, since they are of little use except as silage.

If we were to sow sunflowers, we should know in time to order the seed before the mails over the ice cease. If ordered on the last mail, the seed could come in via the Hudson's Bay Railway and Cross Lake. The first boat up the Lake, reaching here about the beginning of June would be a little late, but this would depend largely upon the season.

As there is very little arable land here, and as milch cows are a necessity at the School, silage is the most profitable means of feeding. Sunflowers can be grown here without difficulty, and have proved themselves very satisfactory for silage. Hay costs here from \$15. to \$20. per ton. A silo would diminish the quantity of hay required by the School by 40 or 50 tons per year, or a saving in hay of a minimum of \$600. per year. The work of cultivating the sunflowers or corn, preferably the former, as the corn might be frozen, could all be done by the Staff and pupils, to the advantage in experience of the pupils, and after the first outlay for silo and feed cutter, the cost would be negligible.

Owing to the mail arrangements here, if a reply to this letter is to reach me ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ in time to send out an order over the ice for seed, it would require an immediate answer. Our last outgoing mail leaves here Apr. 6th, so that a letter in order to reach me before that should reach Riverton at the latest about March 16th.

My suggestion re silo and stable was the building of an octagonal stable with a silo in the centre, which would reduce the cost, and make a building which would be very satisfactory for a windy country like this, and would also be very convenient. This, however, could be decided later.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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ADDRESS REPLY TO THE
SECRETARY, DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
OTTAWA.



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No.

ALSO TO THE DATE OF THIS LETTER.

PLEASE WRITE ON ONLY ONE SUBJECT
IN EACH LETTER.

Immediate

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

March 4th, 1922.

MEMORANDUM:

Mr. Orr.

Referring to the request of Agent Gordon hereunder regarding the construction of a silo at the Norway House Boarding School, I beg to say that we have provided an item of \$3,000 in the estimates for the new fiscal year for the erection of a barn. I do not know whether this is sufficient to erect both a barn and a silo as we have no information as to the size of the barn required.

If, however, you consider that the above amount will cover the cost for both purposes, you should notify Agent Gordon to that effect as soon as possible so that he can arrange for the purchase of the sunflower seed.

See last paragraph of Agent's letter.

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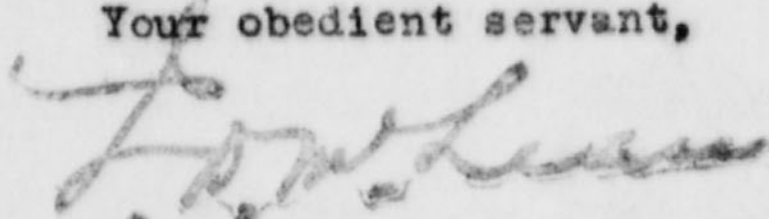
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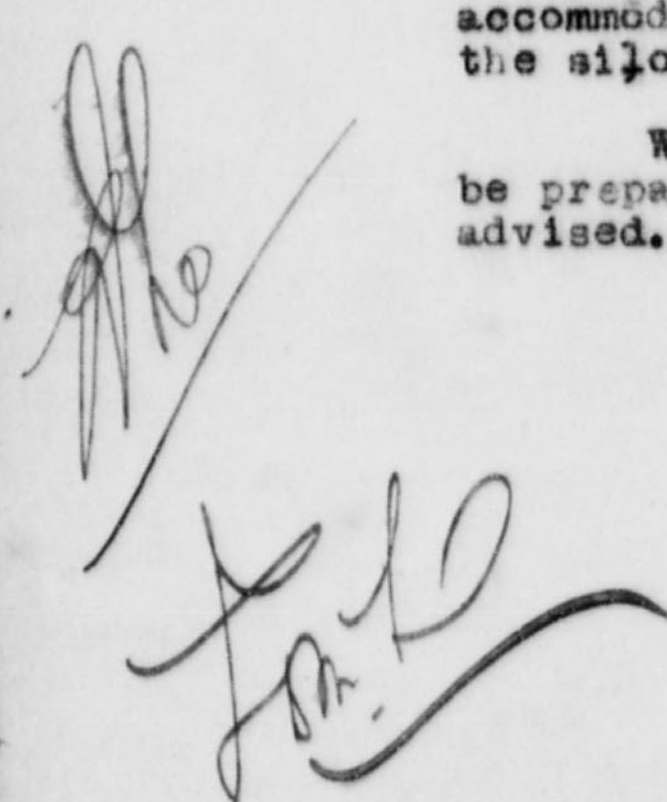
Dear Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the 13th ult., with reference to the building of a silo and stable at the Norway House Boarding School, I beg to say that the Department is prepared to erect a silo for the use of this school during the coming summer. Before building operations are commenced, however, it will be necessary for you to furnish me with a rough sketch showing the accommodation required in the stable, and the size of the silo needed.

When this information is received, plans will be prepared here for the work, and you will be further advised.

Your obedient servant,


(J. D. McLean)
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.


William Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

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Vote No...Vote...7.

Treaty No.....5....

Department of Indian Affairs

To.....J.T.Blackford.....

..Principal Norway House I.B.S.

Norway House.

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
1921		
Sept. 29	To paid Russel Lang & Co. for School books required immediately for Grade 1X pupils, if they were to do the work in the term. See Receipts attached.	14.90 2.00
	Owing to the change of management and the change of teachers at the School, the books necessary for the pupils in Grade 9 were not requisitioned for. If the pupils were to proceed with the work of the Grade with any chance of success, the books were required at once. On these grounds, I recommend the refund to the Principal of the amounts expended.	
	TOTAL,	\$16.90

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Wm Gordon
Agent.

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Letter No. 1B

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123-5-5



Office of the Norway House Indian Agency.

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February 18th 1922

Sir,

I have the honour to inclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 413, amounting to \$ 16.90

for books for Norway House Boarding School, Grade 9.

Vote 7.

This Expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated

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I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Wm Gordon

Indian Agent

Favor of J.T. Blackford,

Principal Norway House I.B. School,

Norway House.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

No. 413.

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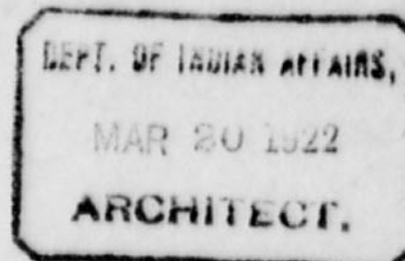
Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian School and Hospitals in Canada



Brandon, Man. March 14th, 1922.

564477

[Handwritten signature]
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.



Dear Sir,-

Last fall certain purchases were made for material from the William Robinson Company, Ltd., and sent to Norway House. The vouchers passed through my hands and I certified to them being correct to the best of my knowledge. When I did so I was under the impression that all the material purchased was to be used in the main building, and in repairing the ice-house and stable. I have word from Mr. Blackford that some \$300 or \$400 was used to repair the large warehouse near the docks on mission property. This warehouse was built by the Methodist Church some years ago. It is used for a two-fold purpose. 1. To store goods the year around that are used in the boarding school. The car load of flour and feed that goes up in the fall is stored there and a great deal of this material was used to make a portion of the building mouse-proof. 2. During the summer months it is used for storing goods shipped in for missionaries inland, so that they can come and get it at their own convenience. I have also discovered that a small amount of the material was used to repair a house moved over from the mission property to the school property by the late principal and to be used by one of the employees of the school.

[Faint circular stamp: ACCOUNTANTS]

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Now that some of the material sent in has been used for these purposes mentioned, it may be said it has been used in the interests of the boarding school. I have explained the whole matter to your Inspector Mr. Bunn. If the Department does not approve of having this charged to the Government I will take the matter up next summer when I go out, finding out the exact amounts and a rebate can be made. In the meantime it might be well to communicate with Mr. Bunn who is quite familiar with all the buildings and their uses. If I find on investigation that any of this material has been used in the mission house, this will be adjusted.

Yours sincerely,

J. Service

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1 " Hyd lime	60
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Treaty No.....5.....

To.....J. T. Blackford,.....

Principal N.H.I.B. School,

Norway House.

4177
sent Mar. 28/22

Wm Gordon

NO. 415.

Letter No. 1 A

123-5-5



Office of the Norway House Indian Agency.

March 8th 1922

Sir,

I have the honour to inclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 415, amounting to \$ 179.11

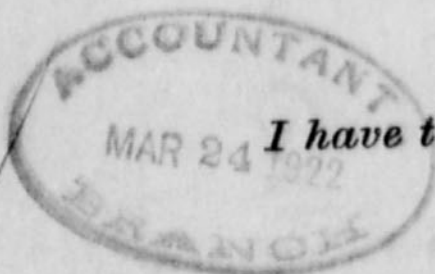
for glass & lumber, repairs to School N.H.I.B.S.

This Expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Vote 7.

Letter No. 123-5-5 dated January 3rd, 1922.

[Handwritten signature]



I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Wm Gordon

Indian Agent

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Favor of J.T. Blackford,

Principal Norway House Boarding School,

Norway House, Man.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

No. 415.

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123-5-5.

March 29, 1922.

Rev. Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the 14th instant with reference to purchases made last Fall of materials from the Willima Robertson Co.Ltd., for Norway House, I would ask that you look into this matter next Summer when you visit Norway House and advise me as to what portion of the materials were used other than for the Indian Boarding School.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Principal,
Indian Industrial School,
Brandon, Man.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



Norway House.....

....April....3rd.....1922

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 13-10A...
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

S. B. Gordon
Architect
Sir,

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The principal of the Norway House Boarding School has called my attention to the walls of the Institution, which require to be kalsomined, and some painting around bases, burlap, etc. This would make a great difference in the appearance of the building, and make the rooms more sanitary. Some of the staff rooms and playrooms have been improved, but the balance of the building requires freshening.

This work could be done during the summer holidays, if the material were on hand. The material required would be as follows;-

Alabastine, white,	3 cases.
" cream, No. 17,	2 "
" " " 15	2 "
Paint, interior, cream	10 gal.
" " leather brown,	10 gal.

If this can be supplied, I would ask that it be purchased and forwarded by Inspector Bunn, so that it would reach here before the end of June.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

OTTAWA, April 27th, 1922.

Sir, -

A communication has been received from Mr. Agent Gordon, Norway House, in which he recommends that a quantity of alabastine and paint be supplied for the use of the Norway House Boarding School. He states that some of the interior walls require to be kalsomined, and some painting is also required around the bases, burlap, etc., which would make a great difference in the appearance of the building, and make the rooms more sanitary. He also states that if the material were supplied, the work could be done during the summer holidays.

I have, therefore, to request that you will be good enough to purchase and have shipped to the school the following, viz: -

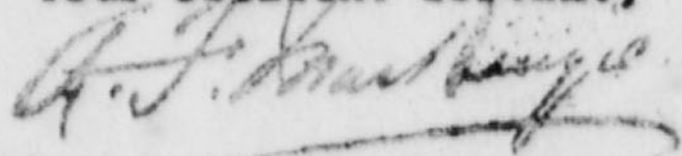
3	Cases Alabastine, White,
2	" " " , Cream, #17,
2	" " " " , #15,
10	Gals. Paint, Interior, Cream,
10	" " " " , Leather Brown.

In the purchase of the above, it will be necessary to obtain competitive prices and the purchase should be made from the firm quoting the lowest price.

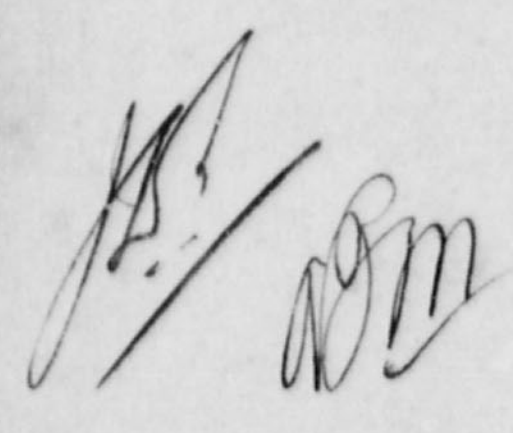
Properly certified accounts, in duplicate, should be forwarded by you covering the expenditure incurred, and a memorandum should be attached showing the quotations received.

You will be good enough to arrange for the forwarding of this material to the school in order that it will arrive before the end of June, so that the work can be done during the holidays.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
Act. Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



J. R. Bunn, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
595 Broadway St.,
Winnipeg, Man.

123-5-5.

OTTAWA, April 27th, 1922.

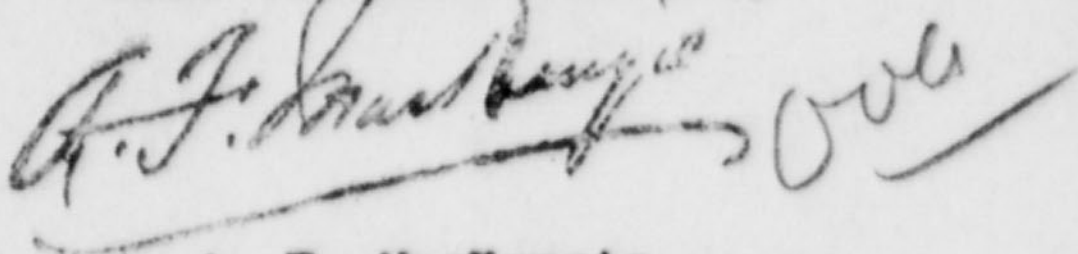
Sir, -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant, with reference to the kalsomining and painting required to the interior walls of the Norway House Boarding School, and giving an estimate of the material required to have the work done.

In reply I beg to say that we are authorizing Mr. Inspector Bunn to buy the quantity of alabastine and paint mentioned in your letter, and to arrange for the shipment of same to Norway House.

It is to be understood that the work of kalsomining and painting is to be carried out by the staff pupils without any expense to this Department.

Your obedient servant,

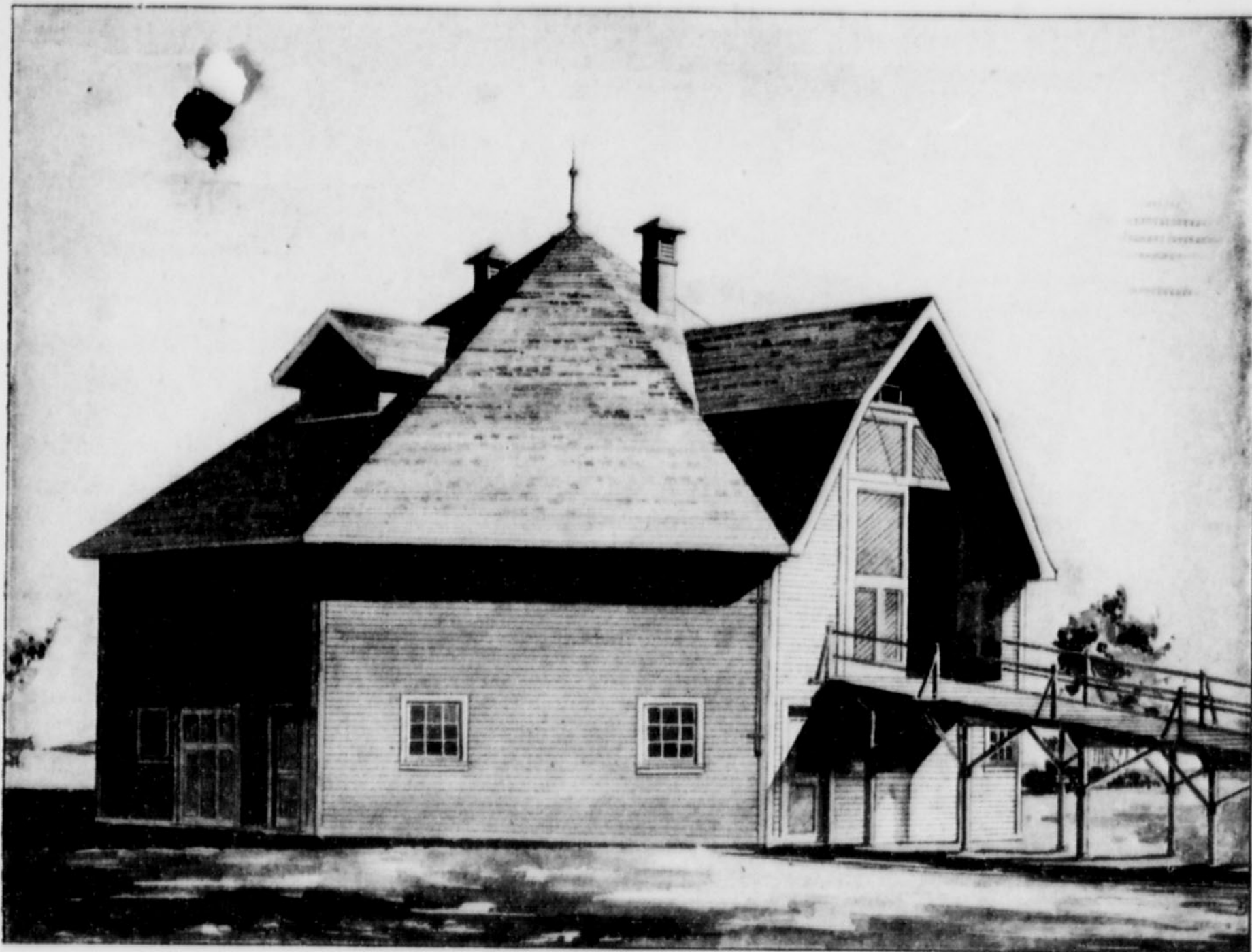


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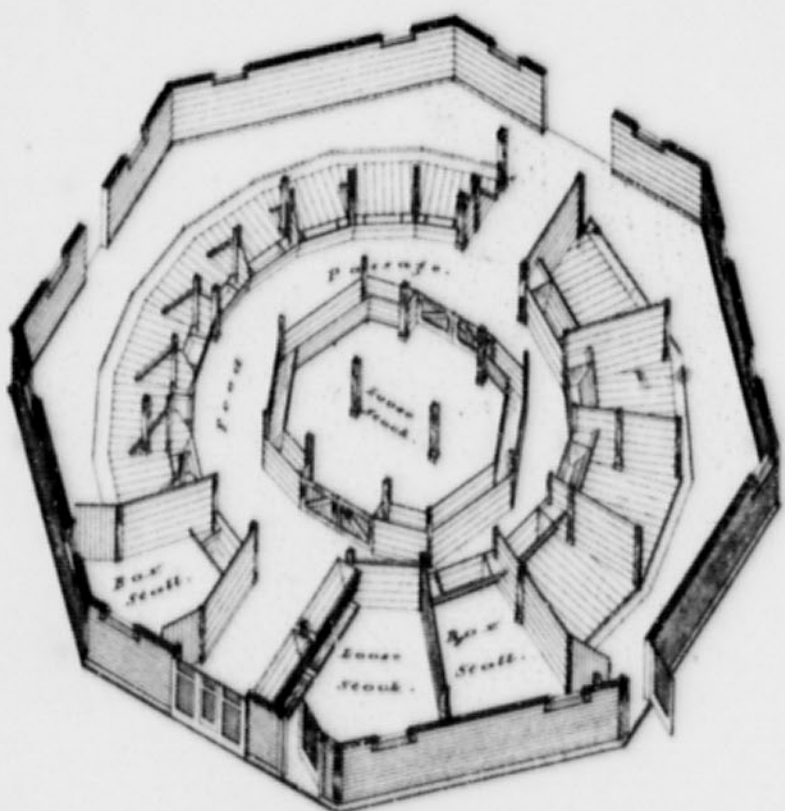
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 - ✓ 4. Easy for ventilation, cleaning and feeding.
 - ✓ 5. No high gables to catch the wind.
- In many cases it would be a great advantage to omit the space now devoted to loose stock, and to use that space for a silo.

With these points in its favor—it should be a barn that will commend itself to any progressive farmer who wishes to get the best results from his stock, with the least amount of labor.

The picture shows a driveway leading to the large loft, and is preferred in many cases, but this is entirely optional—ordinary loft doors, with hay sling, may be substituted.

LOCATION AND FOUNDATION—The foundation and location of the barn should be on high ground to permit good drainage. Barn drainage should always be away from the house. This is necessary both from the standpoint of health

and cleanliness. Barn yards should be well drained.

The foundation wall should be made of cement or stone, and built up at least one foot above ground to prevent wood posts and plates rotting. Floors should be made of cement, they are permanent and sanitary. Floors should be six or eight inches above the surrounding ground, and should be well drained by gutters the entire length of the barn in a straight line and on a slant, to ensure dry stalls. The floors of the stalls should be overlaid with plank for the stock.

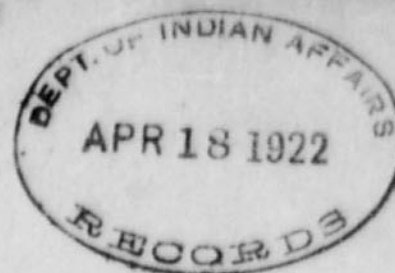
It will be seen that there is accommodation for eight horses in four double stalls, and 16 cows in eight double stalls, besides which there are two large box stalls and stalls of ample size for loose stock.

The system of ventilation has been well proportioned, and the owner may rest assured that his barn will be dry, and that the cattle will be getting the maximum amount of sunshine and fresh air.

WELL PREPARED PLANS MEAN ECONOMY OF COST IN BUILDING

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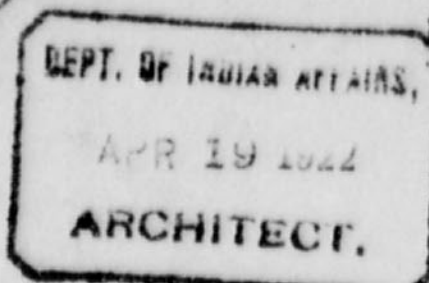
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.....Norway..House.....

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 325-49A
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Architect



565827

.....April..5th.....19 22

Sir,—

Replying to your letter of the 6th Ultimo, re building of stable and silo at Norway House Boarding School, would say that the size of stable required would be for 6 horses and 15 cows, with a couple of box stalls extra for emergencies and for any extra stock that might be on hand for a time.

The silo should be 14 ft. in diameter and 28 ft. high, or equivalent in storage capacity.

I enclose a cut taken from the catalogue of Brown & Rutherford, of Winnipeg, which would accommodate a few more head than required here, but the plan of which, if it could be reduced somewhat would be satisfactory. The silo could be placed in the centre, where is shown the box for loose stock. One entrance might be used, the passage, for the cutting box and gasoline engine. If necessary, the silo could be made larger, and not so high. I think 50 ft. in diameter would X X X provide the necessary accommodation and I think would work out correctly for passages, length of stalls, etc. I have not had the time to check these so, carefully as I would wish, as our last mail, when the letter was received, was very late, and this is our last mail, out over the ice, no more outgoing mail until June.

Application to Brown & Rutherford would bring rough working sketches, and a Bill of the lumber required for the building shown in the enclosed.

I had intended to enclose a rough sketch of this reduced to the suggested size, but could not get it finished for this mail.

I trust, however, that from the information given, the Department can make the necessary plans, etc. and am hoping that not only the silo, but the stable as well will be completed this summer. Arrangements would have to be made early, as the season is short.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

in my letter No. 747-49A, of the 2nd Inst., I will only add that as milk is a very valuable article of diet in combating Tuberculosis, great care should be taken that cows providing milk for such a large Institution as this especially, should be kept in dry, warm, light and sanitary stables. Cold, damp, dark stables are veritable breeding places for germs, and, I understand, milk absorbs such germs very readily.

I would therefore ask, on behalf of this School, sympathetic consideration of the above suggestions.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon

Indian Agent.

123-5-5B

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No 753-8A.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Norway House.....

February 23rd 1922

565839

Sir,—

With reference to my report on Norway House Boarding School of even date, I would respectfully call attention to two or three matters which should be attended to this coming Summer if at all possible.

The rear foundation wall of the building heaves considerably with the frost, and is not only breaking up the concrete floor in the basement, but is separating the walls of the first story from the floor. There is at the present time a space of some three inches along the wall, between the wall and the floor. A reference to the plan of the building will show that on the East and on the west sides just close to the north end of each wall, a door was cut through, extending above the concrete wall, thus leaving the North or rear wall to stand alone, without any connection with the East and West walls, with the exception of the frame work above. Owing to this heaving, the plaster is being cracked on walls several feet away from the North wall. Considerable damage has already been done, and unless something is done shortly, the north side of the building will be wrecked, and might even collapse.

In a letter dated June 20th last, No. 8A, I made a recommendation that the N.W. wing of the building be extended some 12 feet, with full basement wall, to protect the foundation wall of this wing, and to provide a very necessary additional space in the kitchen, which is too small for an Institution of this size, where girls are in training for cooking. This Winter the N.E. corner has also heaved, and as the Institution is in need of a roothouse, one could be put in at this point, where it would be convenient, and would protect the wall.

Further damage could be avoided by putting the wall below the frost line, or by putting in a wall outside of the present one, about two feet thick below the present wall to the frost line, and tapering into the present wall at the top. But this would be expense with only one advantage, while the suggestions I have made, while more expensive, would protect the wall and give the additional space required.

A second matter is the stables, for which, with a silo I included an sum in the Estimates. As I referred to these in

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

Regina, Sask.,
15th April 1922.

Report forwarded

W. G. G. G.
INDIAN COMMISSIONER



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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



.....Norway House.....

.....April 8th, 1922.19

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 331-49A
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Architect

566615

Sir,—

Referring to my letter of the 5th Inst, No. 825-49A

written in reply to yours of March 6th, No. 123-5-5B re the erection of a silo and stable at the Norway House Boarding School this summer, would say that as I was somewhat hurried when writing said letter, I omitted two of the strongest arguments in favor of placing the silo inside of the stable. I note that users of silos in the west are now strongly advocating this, as the ensilage freezes in the very cold weather we have here, and is not only harder to get out of the silo, but must be thawed out before it is safe to feed it to stock. This would not be likely to occur in the enclosed silo. Then, too, the enclosed silo would be likely to last much longer than if exposed to the change of the weather.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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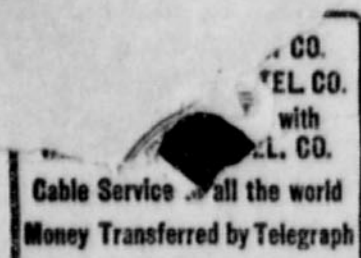
Ottawa, June 13, 1922.

Russell T. Ferrier,
% Brandon Industrial School,
Brandon - Man.

Impossible to build barn Norway House
on lines suggested by Principal for Three Thousand
Dollars, as this appropriation cannot be exceeded.
Can you suggest a more economical type of building?

Charge Dept. I. A.

DUNCAN C. SCOTT.



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Letter No. 1A

123-5-5
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Office of the Norway House Indian Agency.

1 [Signature]
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Sir,
Archibald



I have the honour to inclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 433, amounting to \$1.75

for books for Norway House Boarding School.

Vote 7.

This Expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated

[Signature]
[Signature]
[Signature]

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Wm Gordon

Indian Agent

Favor of J.T. Blackford,
Norway House Boarding School,
Norway House.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

No. 433.

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Canadian National Railways
Hotel System.

The Fort Garry,
Winnipeg, Man.

June 16 1922

Mr. Gorr
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.

Dear Sir,
My son has informed me that the ~~committee~~ for Norway house should be reduced in cost. I would suggest that you cut out the Silo. Let me have a blue print at your earliest convenience.

Yours sincerely
J. Fries

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HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO, ONT.

GEO. D. PERRY, GENERAL MANAGER

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REGINA SASK JUNE 15

DUNCAN C SCOTT 123

DEPT INDIAN AFFAIRS OTTAWA ONT

IN REPLY TO YOUR TELEGRAM RE NORWAY HOUSE BARN I BEG TO SUGGEST
THAT ARCHITECT PREPARE PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS SO AS NOT
TO EXCEED APPROPRIATION. WARMTH AND PROPER ACCOMMODATION DESIRABLE
EXTREME NEED FOR CONSTRUCTION THIS YEAR AND SHORT NAVIGATION
SEASON MAKE FURTHER CORRESPONDENCE WITH PRINCIPAL INADVISABLE
REVEREND FERRIER CONCURS

RUSSELL T FERRIER.

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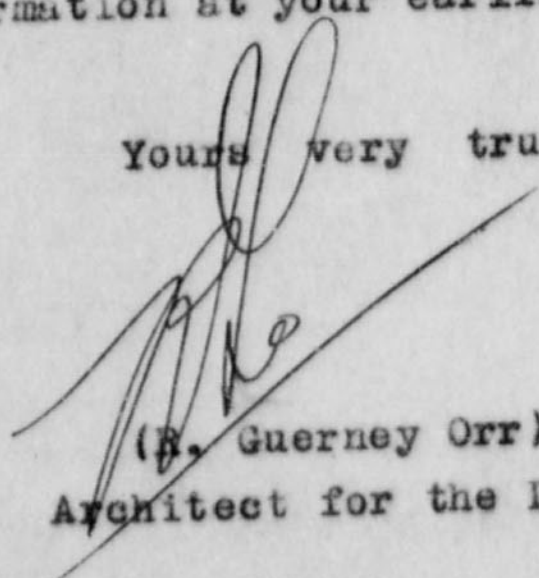
Ottawa, June 19, 1922.

Radford-Wright Co. Ltd.,
Winnipeg, Man.

Gentlemen,-

Would you please furnish me with full details of your Fir Stave Silo, giving dimensions, price, etc. I should be glad to have this information at your earliest convenience.

Yours very truly,



(R. Guerne Orr)
Architect for the Department.

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WINNIPEG June 27th. 1922.
CANADA

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont. Canada.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

WOOD, VALLANCE LIMITED

April	15/22.	Mdse.			267.66
	27.	"			278.11
	29.	"			5.81
June	3.	"			226.67
	3.	"			40.50
	14.	"			83.39
			Total:-		<u>\$902.14</u>

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Secy. Treas.

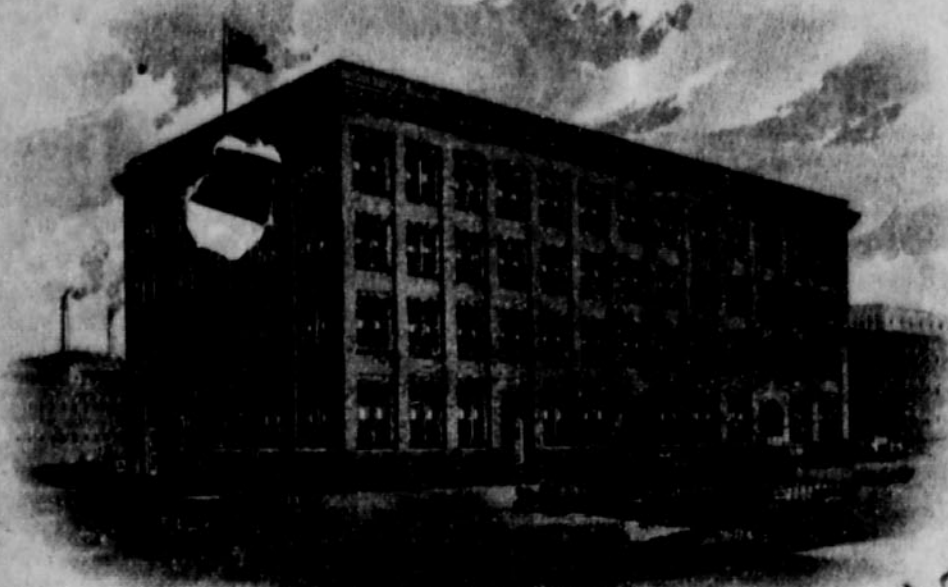
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Wood, Vallance Limited.

WHOLESALE

Iron & Hardware Merchants.

Winnipeg, June 27/22.
Canada.

ADDRESS REPLY TO THE COMPANY

ATTENTION OF *D. A. Wood..*

Accl

568832



The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

We enclose herewith, statement of
your account as it stands on our books to-date.
We would draw your attention to the three April
invoices, which are still outstanding and overdue.

Will you kindly remit to cover at
your earliest convenience.

Yours truly,

WOOD, VALLANCE LIMITED.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, July 4, 1922.

Mr. Orr
Mr. Scott
Approved
del

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott.

R.77.? An amount of \$3,000.00 was included in this year's estimates for the erection of a barn in connection with the Norway House Indian Boarding School. This amount was not sufficient to construct the barn in accordance with the suggestions of the Reverend Principal. Reverend Mr. Ferrier was communicated with and he suggests the building of the silo only, this year, the cost of which, complete, is approximately \$1200.00.

Silos are manufactured by different firms in the West all ready to be erected, the larger manufacture being the Radford-Wright Co. of Winnipeg, and I would recommend that Inspector Bunn be authorized to purchase a silo in a knock-down condition complete, and have it shipped to Norway House.

A small quantity of cement will also be required and this could also be purchased by Mr. Bunn who would, of course, be instructed to obtain competitive prices.

*Mr Bunn
showed for both
prices on both
silos & cement*

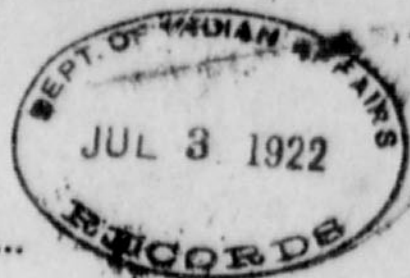
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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



IN YOUR	REFER TO
No. 5-49A	
ALSO	
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER	

Architect

Norway House

June 26th 1922

568912

Sir,—

Referring to your letter of March 6th, No. 123-515B in reference to the building of a silo at Norway House Boarding School, also a stable, and my replies of April 5th and April 8th, I would say that I have since received no information as to what action was taken by the Department.

As the season is now passing, and as navigation closes early in October, leaving only about three months for arrangements and for freighting, one boat only per week, if the work is to be done this season, arrangements should not be delayed.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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123-5-5.

July 6, 1922.

Dear Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the 26th ult., with reference to the silo required for the Norway House Indian Boarding School, I beg to say that Inspector Bunn has to-day been authorized to purchase a silo approximately 14' x 28' in a knock-down condition complete, also the necessary cement required for the foundation and floor.

When the silo reaches Norway House, I would ask you to make arrangements for the erecting of same, and the building of the necessary foundation.

In employing the labour required, the time should be kept and sent in to the Department when forwarding the voucher.

Your obedient servant,

(J. D. McLean)
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, MAN.

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123-5-5.

July 6, 1922.

Dear Sir,-

An application has been made by the Reverend Principal of the Norway House Indian Boarding School, for a silo and I have to request that you purchase a silo complete in a knock-down condition, approximately 14' in diameter and 28' high, similar to that manufactured by the Radford-Wright Company of Winnipeg.

In purchasing the silo, it will be necessary to obtain from the manufacturers the quantity of cement required to construct the foundation and floor, and this should also be purchased and shipped to Norway House.

In making the purchase of the silo and the cement, competitive prices shall be obtained and purchase made from the firm quoting the lowest price.

Yours very truly,



(J. D. McLean)
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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asw*

John R. Bunn, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg - Man.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE FIRM

WOOD, VALLANCE LIMITED

WINNIPEG

STATEMENT TO

569300 JUN 30 1922

The Dominion Government,

Dept. of Indian Affairs, 10 1922

Ottawa, Ont.



PAYABLE AT PAR IN WINNIPEG

INTEREST AT 8 PER CENT. CHARGED UPON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

DATE	PARTICULARS	DEBITS	DATE	PARTICULARS	CREDITS
	MAY 31 BAL	1,071.61			
JUN 3	NET	226.67 300			
JUN 3	NET	40.50 300			
			JUN 19	CSH	334.95
			JUN 12	CSH	185.08
JUN 14	NET	833.93 300			
JUN 29	NET	45.31 300			
JUN 30	NET	54.45 300			
JUN 30	FRT	3.56			
JUN 30	FRT	11.90			
JUN 30 BAL		1,017.36			

PAY LAST AMOUNT MARKED **BAL.**

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Indian Residential School
Norway House, Man.



July 18 - 1922

Duncan Smith Esq.
Deputy Superintendent
Indian Affairs
Dear Sir -

On March

6th The Assistant Deputy
& Secretary wrote The Indian
Agent here Mr. W. Gordon,
that the Department was
prepared to build a silo
for the use of the school
here. On the strength
of this advice I have
had broken about



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Kindly permit me
to ask for your
consideration in this
matter

I am Sir
Yours faithfully
James L. Blackford
Principal

18 acres of land &
have seeded about
12 acres to sunflowers
& oats - This ~~for~~ to
make ensilage.

The crop is coming
along rapidly & unless
the silo is erected to
receive it - & be ready
sometime about the
middle of August -
I fear the I.B.S. will
lose hundreds of dollars.
We cannot make pit
silo's here as the
ground is too low.

123-5-5.

OTTAWA, July 26th, 1922.

Sir: -

Replying to your letter of the 18th instant, with reference to the silo required for the Norway House Indian Boarding School, I beg to say that Mr. Inspector Bunn was authorized to purchase a silo, approximately 14' x 28', complete, in a knock-down condition, also the necessary cement required for the foundation and floor, and to have the same forwarded to Norway House, and to make all arrangements for the erection of the same, and the building of the necessary foundation.

Mr. Agent Gordon, Norway House, was informed to the above effect.

The material for this silo will no doubt arrive at an early date.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
for Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J.B.
A.F.M.
Jas. T. Blackford, Esq.,
Principal, Indian Boarding School,
Norway House, Man.

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NORWAY HOUSE BOARDING.

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But

At the time of my visit to Norway House this summer there were many repairs and some new equipment needed. Action has been taken on the files in this connection.

Noted for future

In the future we should place a new fence around the 40 acre lot - \$250 is an estimate. A root house is needed - \$300 is required in this connection. Eight wash basins should be supplied soon for the boys' basement, and a cottage for smaller girls is needed in the future. Two tanks for rain water, and a drain for the overflow and to clear the furnace pit could be installed for \$300.

Submitted on 10/11

Authority should be given to the Principal and Agent to arrange for a change in the land surrender to straighten out the school property. Blue prints should be directed when this authority is offered.

R. J. F.

Supt. of Indian Education.

WINNIPEG August 10/22 1922
CANADA

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ontario.

IN ACCOUNT WITH **WOOD, VALLANCE LIMITED**

April	15th	Mdse	267.66
	27th		278.11
	29th	Freight	5.81
June	3rd	Mdse	226.67
	3rd		40.50
	14th		83.39
	30th	Freight	3.56
	30th	"	<u>11.90</u>

\$917.60

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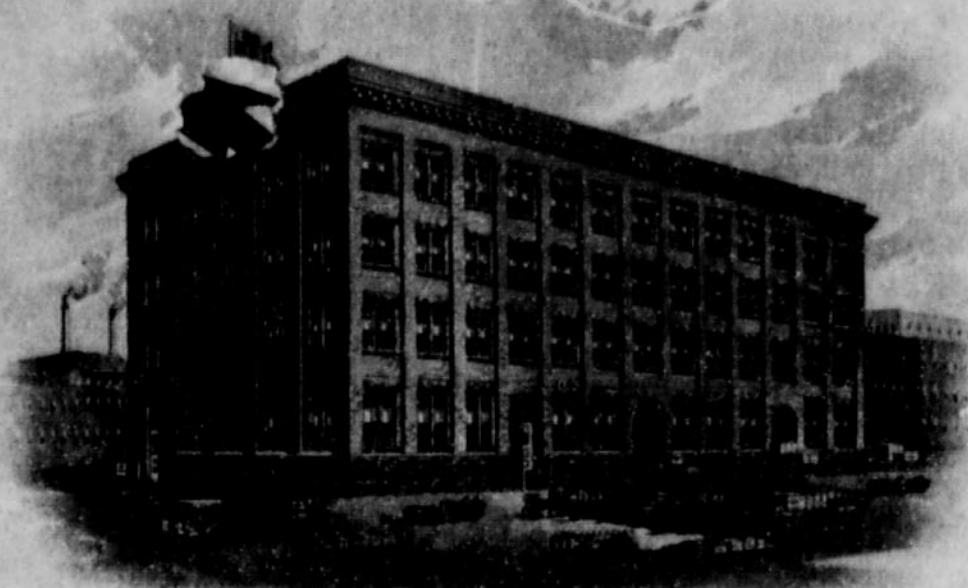
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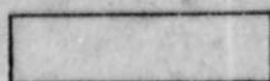
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YORK



Wood, Vallance Limited.

WHOLESALE

Iron & Hardware Merchants.



Winnipeg Aug. 11th, 1922.
Canada.

ADDRESS REPLY TO THE COMPANY

ATTENTION OF D. A. Wood.

Acct

570648

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:-

We are enclosing herewith statement of your account as it stands on our books at the 31st of July. You will see that there are a number of invoices which are overdue. We would ask you to let us have remittance to cover at your earliest convenience.

If you are not in possession of any of these invoices, we will be pleased to furnish you with copies upon request.

Yours truly,

WOOD, VALLANCE Limited.

D. A. Wood,
E. H.

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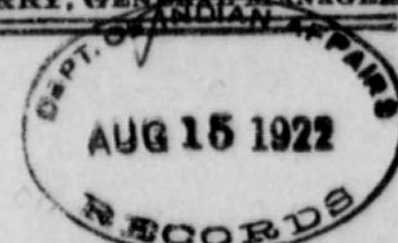
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS OTTAWA ONT

REFERENCE NORWAY HOUSE SCHOOL WHAT HAS BEEN DONE
CONCERNING BARN ITSELF SILO ARRANGEMENTS SATISFACTORY WIRE
BUNN IMMEDIATELY

RUSSELL T FERRIER.

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GEO. D. PERRY, VICE PRES'T AND GEN'L MANAGER.

RECEIVER'S NO.	TIME FILED	CHECK

SEND the following Day Letter, subject to the terms on the back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

August 16 1922

To John R. Bunn, Winnipeg, Man.

Not intention to build barn Norway House this year.

J. D. McLean

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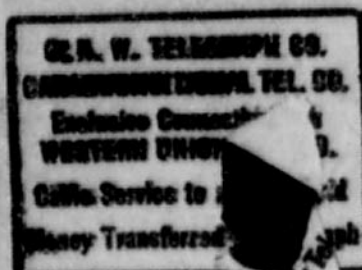
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Charge to I. A.

SENDER'S ADDRESS
FOR ANSWER

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WINNIPEG MAN 15 AUG 1922

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DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS OTTAWA ONT

PRINCIPAL FERRIER WRITES REPAIRS TO GASOLINE ENGINES FOR PUMPING WATER AND GENERATING ELECTRICITY AT NORWAY HOUSE SCHOOL ALMOST IRREPARABLE WILL COST PRICE OF NEW ENGINE REPAIRED ENGINE WOULD BE OF DOUBTFUL SATISFACTION RUSSELL FERRIER FULLY INFORMED WE AGREE THAT NEW ENGINE BE SUPPLIED IMMEDIATELY COST ABOUT FOUR HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS PLEASE WIRE DIRECTIONS TO PURCHASE WRITING

JOHN R BUNN.

120 AM

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HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO, ONT.

GEO. D. PERRY, VICE-PRES'T AND GENERAL MANAGER

Send the following message, subject to the above Terms
which are hereby agreed to.

COUNTER NO.	TIME FILED	CHECK

Ottawa, August 21st, 1922.

John R. Bunn, Esq.,
Chief Inspector,
Winnipeg, Man.

May purchase gasoline engine Norway House
School. Competitive prices must be obtained and purchase
made from firm quoting lowest price.

Chgo. D. of I.A.

Duncan C. Scott.

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Winnipeg, **Sept 13, 1921.**

Sold to **Indian Boarding School**

Norway House Man

Engines and Boilers

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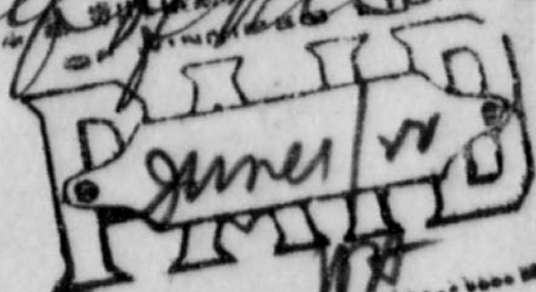
Our Order No.

Invoice No.

	the following repairs for Field Gas engine 8 H P # 5408	
2	connectingrod bushings	10.35
2	ignition rods	8.05
1	igniter rod holder & spring	1.95
2	" " " studs	1.40
1	" " " stud & collar	1.85
2	" " springs & nuts	1.65
1	doz Knockout springs	1.40
2	oil guard supports	2.95
1	piston & rings	28.40
1	doz piston rings	6.25
1	spark advance lever complete	6.90
2	crank shaft bearings complete	69.00
6	lbs extra babbit	.75
1	main bearing bushing	4.69
1	set of 4 rubber springs for Toronto Laundry Co Extractor # 26	19.60
1	doz stationery electrodes and insulation	18.70
1	" contact points for Field engine	53.40
	tax	5.70
		3.65
		\$ 245.89

Material supplied. Work performed.
Prices fair and just, each item a proper
charge against the Gov't. of Canada.

on behalf of *J. Currie*
Principal.



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Continuation of Wood, Vallance Limited Invoice to

The Indian Boarding School, Norway House, Man.

DATE ~~Aug~~ Sept 31st, 1921

INVOICE No.

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2% 30 DAYS

NET 30 DAYS

12	only	#6	N.S. Dry Cells	.43n		5 16
6		232	Batteries	.40	2 40	
2-1/3	dozen	prs	1431F Hinges	2.40	5 60	
1	dozen	3 1078	Japd Bbl Bolts	1 15	1 15	
2		229	Cup Catches	2.25	4 50	
1/4	gross	2 1/2	Gate Hooks	1 80	45	
1/4		3		2.16	54	
2/3	dozen	4		.30	20	
1/22	dz pr	915x6	Hinge Hasps	2.60	22	
1	gross	1-10	F.H.Bright Screws	.39	39	

OK
Sales Tax 2 1/4%

Material supplied. Work performed.
Prices fair and just, each item a proper
charge against the Gov't. of Canada.

T. Ferrier on
behalf of the Principal.



Repairs

* 107.46
2.42 sales tax

bal ofc 109.88 - 1841
Sent Sept. 19/22.

107.46

65.75

~~3.90~~

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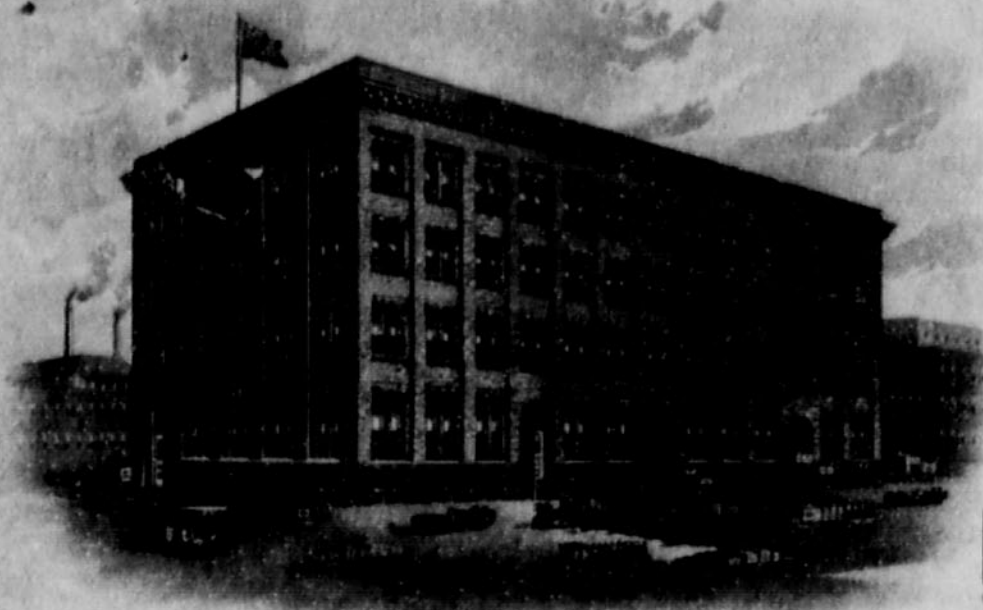
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VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA

WOOD-VALLANCE HARDWARE CO. LIMITED.

NELSON, BRITISH COLUMBIA.



Wood, Vallance Limited.

WHOLESALE

Iron & Hardware Merchants.

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IF WRITING PLEASE QUOTE

Winnipeg Aug. 31st, 1921.
Canada.

Sold to The Indian Boarding School,

Norway House, Man.

2% 30 DAYS
OR NET 30 DAYS

NET 30 DAYS

12	only	#6	N. S. Batteries	.43n		5	16
1	case	12x28	S. D. Window Glass	9.00	9 00		
42	sets	AA 8	Slid. Furn. Shoes	.45	18 90		
1	dozen	1 qt	Glass White Enamel BerryCraft	1.49	11 92		
30	feet	6	Victor Leather Belting	1.01	30 30		
1	pound	3/8	Cut Belt Lacing	1.70	1 70		
1	bbl.		Raw Linseed Oil 44 1/4	1.20n		53	10
1	tin	25 lb	Putty 25	5.50c	1 38		
1/2	dozen	76B	Ex Curtain Rods	7.00	3 50		
1/2	dz pr	3 1/2 x 3 1/2	804 Butts	2.50	1 25		
1	gallon		Dark Oak Berry Craft	4.05	4 05		
1	only		O' Cedar Oil 1/12	28.00n		2	33
1	lb		Gold Bronze Powder	1.80	1 80		
2	quarts		Banana Oil Bronzing Liquid	1.25	2.50		
25	only	7"	Stove Pipes	18.95c	4 74		
1/3	dozen	7"	Elbows	2.90	97		

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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

123-5-5



Brandon, August 18th, 1922.
Man.

570891

[Handwritten signature]
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

R

Dear Sir,-

I have just returned from Norway House where I have carefully looked into all items of receipt and expenditure. Mr. Blackford as a new principal has made certain purchases during the year which he believed the management was responsible for the payment of. These however belong to plant and should properly be considered an expenditure over and above the per capita grant. I am enclosing you three vouchers,-

The first is for goods purchased from Wood Vallance Limited at a cost of \$69.65. ✓

The second is an account paid to the A. R. Williams Machinery Company for repairs to the engine and laundry machinery. This amounts to \$245.89.

The third is for Special Bibles given to graduates leaving the school, bought at Russell Lang & Company for \$32.50. ✓

This makes a total of \$348.04. Inasmuch as a large number of repairs were necessary and the cost of maintenance for the year has been high, the Missionary Society of our Church have contributed about \$7,000 for the year. I would appreciate very much if the Department would issue this cheque to the principal of the school.

Yours respectfully,

T. Ferrier

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TE/GD

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Indian Office, Chambers of Commerce,

Winnipeg, August 15th, 1922.

J. R. Bunn, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg, Man.

Dear Mr. Bunn,-

I am writing to Mr. Blackford, Principal of the Norway House Boarding School, in connection with the desirability of purchasing a new stationery gas engine for pumping and generating.

I have been informed by the A. R. Williams Co. that the bill for repairing the engine shipped from Norway House, will be roughly speaking \$390.00.

I understand that the new engine suitable for the work to be done will cost in the neighborhood of \$450.00 which price includes the accessories necessary.

I earnestly request that you wire to Ottawa explaining these facts in brief and asking for authority for purchasing a new engine.

Yours truly,

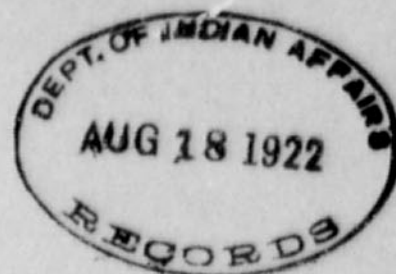
(sgd) T. Ferrier
Principal of the Brandon
Industrial School.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



Ref. No.

Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
Inspector's Office

570862

Winnipeg.....15th August, 1922.....

Aug 18 1922
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.-

Dear Sir,-

I sent a "night letter" dated as above, which read as follows, I beg to confirm same now by letter.

"Principal Ferrier writes repairs to gasoline engines for
"pumping water and generating electricity at Norway House ~~School~~
"School, will cost price of new engine. Repaired engine would
"be of doubtful satisfaction".
"Russell Ferrier fully informed. We agree that new engine
"be supplied immediately, cost about four hundred and fifty
"dollars.
"Please wire directions to purchase. Writing."

I am sending also a copy of the letter I received from Principal Ferrier about this matter. This letter gives the cost of repairs to old engines, and quotes the price of new engine that he states would do the work.

I discussed the matter fully with Mr. Russell Ferrier, and we both agreed that the proposition as to new engine would be the most satisfactory way to meet this problem.

I have the honor to be,
your obedient servant,

W. A. Bunn

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Enclosures.

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Copy for file

123-5-5.

Indian Office, Chambers of Commerce,
Winnipeg, August 14th, 1922.

File No. 123-5-5.

W. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

Sir,-

This will authorize you to expend the sum of \$105.00 for lumber, nails and cement for the purpose of erecting at the Norway House Boarding School a temporary store house for ensilage.

This action is considered necessary because of the inadvisability of erecting a silo independent of the new barn.

Yours truly,

Russel T. Ferrier

Russel T. Ferrier

Supt. of Indian Education.

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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

123-5-5



Brandon, August 16th, 1922.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

570861

Dear Sir,-

Replying to yours of March 29th No. 123-5-5:

OK
I have just returned from a visit to Norway House and have looked into the matter of material that was purchased by the Department and used during the past fiscal year. I find that \$325.00 worth of lumber, cement and wire netting was used to repair and make mouse-proof a large ware-house used for storing supplies. This ware-house was built and owned by the Methodist Church, during the time the old building was used as a boarding school. Fully 80% of the building is used for storing supplies used in the boarding school. The Principal of the school keeps the key and has full charge of everything that goes into the building. The remaining space of the building is used for storing goods off the steamer to be shipped further inland to our mission-aries. Inasmuch as this building in the greater part for the boarding school I would suggest that the \$325.00 which has been spent for repairs be contributed by the Department. I may say the Church has spent during the past year \$400.00 for repairs on this building and on the house occupied by the mechanical instructor.

If the Department will grant this request we will be very grateful for the same.

Yours sincerely,



T. Ferrier
Industrial School

TF/GD

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NIGHT LETTER

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SEND the following NIGHT LETTER subject to the terms on the back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, August 31, 1922.

J. R. Bunn,
Chamber of Commerce,
Winnipeg, Man.

Batteries for Cross Lake Boarding School shipped on August twenty-fifth - STOP - New scheme for Norway House barn under consideration - STOP - Reverend Ferrier is to prepare rough plans and indicate to Department and to you nature and quantity of materials needed - STOP - Consideration will then be given concerning purchase this fall.

A. F. MacKenzie.

Chg. Dept. I. A.

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123-55

SEND the following NIGHT LETTER subject to the terms on the back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, August 31, 1922.

Rev. T. Ferrier,

Brandon, Man.

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Tenders have been invited for Coqualeetza barn - STOP - Concerning Norway House barn please prepare rough sketch and specifications - STOP - Submit same to Department with estimated quantities cement and lumber that could be used to advantage by principal before navigation opens in spring - STOP - Department will then give consideration to purchase and shipment this fall - STOP - Department Architect states no change necessary in Edmonton chimney.

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A. F. MacKenzie.

Chg. Dept. I. A.

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C O P Y

Original on file 123-1-5.

Ottawa, Sept. 1, 1922.

Sir:-

I have to confirm my night lettergram of yesterday's date, as follows:-

"Batteries for Cross Lake Boarding School shipped from Toronto on August twenty-fifth. New scheme for Norway House barn under consideration. Rev. Ferrier is to prepare rough plans and indicate to Department and to you nature and quantity of materials needed. Consideration will then be given concerning purchase this fall."

In explanation, I might add that the Exide Batteries of Canada Limited received the order from the Department of Indian Affairs on the 24th ultimo, and their bill to us shows that shipment was made on August 25th of the following:-

- 13 EEC-17 HyRay Exide Cells, including jars, covers, glass, sand trays, sand connectors, lead tape, also
- 2 Socket Wrenches,
- 1 Hydrometer,
- 1 Thermometer
- 400 lbs. Electrolyte,
- 4 Carboys, returnable.

The Department is convinced of the merit in placing some of the material for the Norway House barn on the proposed site this fall, so that the principal can have the foundation and framework prepared by the time navigation opens in the spring of next year. With this in mind, we are asking Rev. Mr. Ferrier, of Brandon, to prepare rough plans and to indicate to us the nature and quantity of materials needed for the work that the principal can do next spring. As explained, in my night letter, consideration will then be given to the purchase and shipment of this material this fall.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. R. Bunn, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Room 204, Chambers of Commerce,
Winnipeg, Man.

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123-5-5.

Ottawa, Sept. 1, 1922.

Reverend Sir:-

I have to confirm my night lettergram of yesterday's date, as follows:-

"Tenders have been invited for Coqualeetxa barn. Concerning Norway House barn, please prepare rough sketch and specifications. Submit same to Department with estimated quantities cement and lumber that could be used to advantage by principal before navigation opens in spring. Department will then give consideration to purchase and shipment this fall. Department Architect states no further change possible in Edmonton chimney."

Concerning the Norway House barn, the Department understands the desirability of placing on the proposed site rough material for the foundation and framework, before navigation closes this year. This will permit the principal to have the work well under way by the time the first boat reaches Norway House next spring.

It will be necessary, however, that you prepare rough plans and specifications of a suitable barn, and the contractor at Brandon should estimate roughly the quantities of cement and lumber that could be used to advantage by the principal before navigation opens in the spring. As intimated in my night letter, the Department will then give consideration to the purchase and shipment of these rough materials this fall.

During the winter, the Department Architect prepare proper plans and specifications from the rough sketches, and the work could be proceeded with next spring. It may be necessary to arrange for a further appropriation for this purpose.

Your obedient servant

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Supt. Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, MAN.

A. F. MacKenzie
Act'g. Asst. Deputy

Ottawa, Sept. 2, 1922.

Reverend Sir:-

I have to acknowledge yours of the 16th ultimo, referring to \$325.00 worth of material, supplied by this Department and used in the repairing of the warehouse utilized by the Norway House Boarding School.

This matter has been brought to the attention of the Deputy Superintendent General, and your request is granted inasmuch as the building in question is largely used for the storing of provisions and materials belonging to the boarding school.

A copy of this communication is being addressed to Mr. Inspector Bunn, of Winnipeg.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. T. F.
Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent,
Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

D. M. O. K. Herunder.

123-5-5.

Adm. Sec. under

Sir:-

Enclosed you will find copy of official letter directed to Rev. T. Ferrier, Brandon, Man.

In explanation, this refers to an account of last year. Certain cement and lumber was used in the repairing of the warehouse on the wharf at the Norway House Boarding School. The principal and the Rev. Mr. Ferrier urged that there be no refund to the Department, on the grounds that the major portion of the building in question was used for school purposes.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Encl.

R. J. F.
A. F. M.
J. R. Burn, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Chambers of Commerce,
Winnipeg, Man.

Ottawa, September 6, 1922.

Gentlemen.-

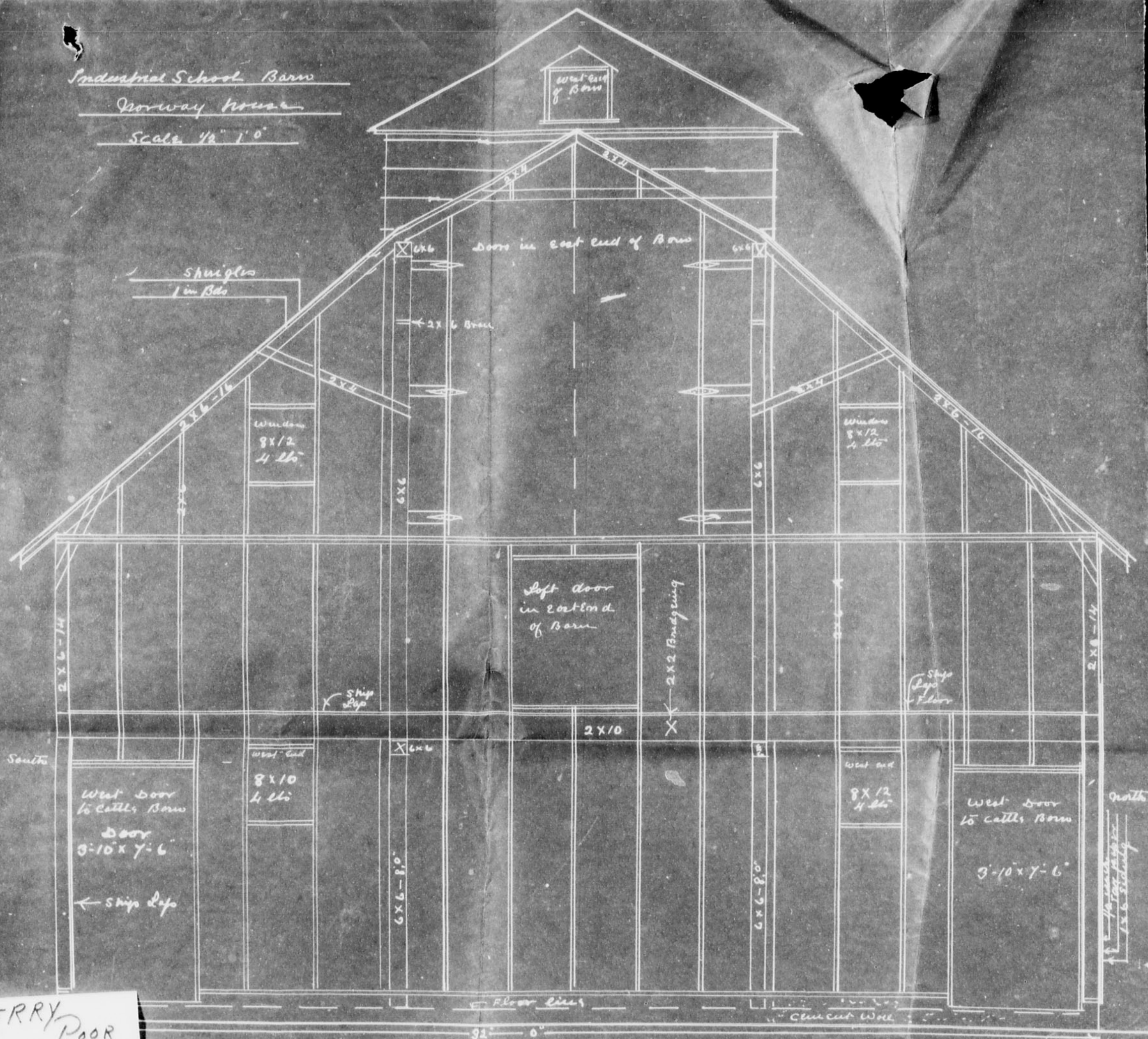
I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th ultimo with which you forwarded a statement of your account to the amount of \$917.60 against this Department, and in reply I may say that seemingly there is no record in the Department of the receipt of the accounts referred to. It seems advisable, therefore, for you to communicate with the official who placed the orders for which charge is made. I may say that accounts are not paid by the Department until certified as correct by the officer who incurred the expenditure.


Your obedient servant,

A.F. MacKenzie
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Messrs. Wood, Vallance, Limited,
Iron & Hardware Merchants,
Winnipeg, Man.

Scale $\frac{1}{2}" = 1'0"$



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LIST OF LUMBER REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTION OF BARN AT NORWAY HOUSE
(INCLUDING OTHER MATERIAL)

			FEET
26	pcs.	6 x 6 - 8 #1	624
16	"	6 x 6 -16 #1	768
2	"	6 x 6 -14 #1	84
8	"	6 x 6 -10 #1	240
20	"	2 x10 -14 #1	468
90	"	2 x10 -12 #1	1800
15	"	2 x12 -18 #1	540
30	"	2 x12 -16 #1	960
30	"	2 x 8 -16 #1	644
125	"	2 x 6 -16 #1	2000
150	"	2 x 6 -14 #1	2100
30	"	2 x 2 -16 #1	160
50	"	1 x 2 -16 #1	132
50	"	1 x 6 -16 #1	400
50	"	1 x 4 -16 #1	282
150	"	2 x 4 -14 #1	1400
4000	feet	1 x10 Ship lap #1	4000
1500	"	1" Boards #1	1500
3500	"	1 x 6 Drop Siding #1	3500
500	"	1 x 6 - 16 flooring #1	500
5000	"	1" Boards #1	5000

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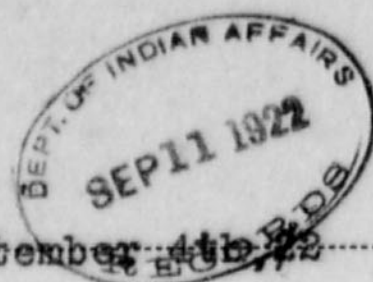
22,000	Shingles.
10	Rolls Tar paper.
28	Sash 8 x 12 - 4 Lts.
10	Pairs 10" strap hinges.
10	Pairs 6" " "
12	Heavy Hooks and Staples.
4	Heavy Latches.
1	Keg 1 1/2" Nails.
4	" 2 1/2" " "
2	" 4" " "
1	" 3" " "
2	Gal. Paint - White.
10	Gal. " - Colored.
350	Sacks Cement.

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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

123-5-5



Brandon, Man. September 4th 1922

571713

The Secretary, Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.

Dear Sir:

In answer to your telegram for sketch of barn at Norway house and list of lumber and materials required. This I have had done hurriedly, at the same time I think it will fill the bill, although there may be some small items of material required to finish it next summer. But if this bill should be sent out during the fall, it would enable the principal to proceed with the construction of the building. I am sending a copy of this list and of the plans, to Mr. Bunn, your Inspector.

I wish to thank the Department for making it possible for the material to go out this fall.

Very sincerely yours,

T. Ferrier

F/F

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



Ref. No.
Letter 123-1-5.
Dated 1 Sept. 1922.

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571719

Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
Inspector's Office

Winnipeg.....6th.....September, 1922..

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.-

Sir,-

With reference to your letter, number and date as given above, and which is hereby acknowledged, I beg to make reference to that portion bearing on the material for the barn at Norway House Indian Boarding School.

The Rev'd T. Ferrier called at my office this morning, and submitted a list of the materials required for this barn. The list covers the whole of the material required, with the understanding that if the amount exceeds \$2347.65, I am to cut out certain quantities, and ship only the dimension bill, after the Department has considered the matter and directed me to purchase and ship. The amount \$2347.65, is the balance of the \$3000.00 voted for this barn less the cost of the Silo that has been purchased and shipped to Norway House.

I have asked for tenders for the bill of materials that I received from Mr. Ferrier, these tenders are returnable at noon on the 9th instant, as soon as I get these quotations I will be ready to ~~skip~~ purchase and ship, pending order to do so.

I have the honor to be,
your obedient servant,

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Note. Rough plans are also promised to me by Mr. Ferrier.

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Received R.T.



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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ref. No.

571721

Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
Inspector's Office

Winnipeg.....6th.....September, 1922.

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.-

Sir,-

The Principal of The Norway House Indian Boarding School has submitted the following list of Window glass, Door Brakes and Windows for attention, to be supplied to repair storm windows and broken lights.

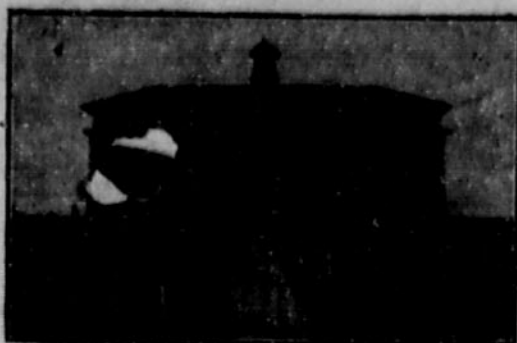
100	lbs	Window Glass	10" x 12",	single,
24	"	do do	12" x 16",	do
12	"	do do	16" x 15",	do
12	"	do do	8" x 10",	do
12	"	do do	12" x 14",	do
12	"	do do	12" x 15",	do
24	"	do do	13" x 18",	do
18	"	do do	18" x 23",	do
1	"	do do	12" x 38",	do
18	"	do do	10" x 10",	double
18	"	do do	10" x 12",	do
2		only Door Brakes, for front doors,		
1	"	Window, 8 lbs,	double,	
1	"	do 4 "	do	

These repairs seem to necessary, but I sybmit that more care should be exercised in the care of windoww.

I have the honor to be,
your obedient servant,

W. R. Bunn

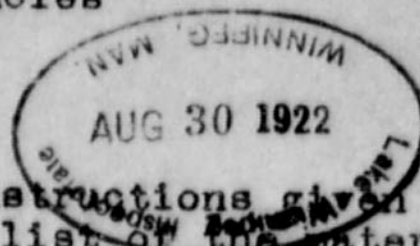
Inspector of Indian Agencies.



*Indian Boarding School
Norway House, Man.*

August 22nd. 1922

J.R.Bunn Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies
Winnipeg, Man.



Dear Sir,-

Following instructions given me in your office recently I am giving below a list of the material required for alterations as advised.

5pp-

5000 feet of six inch shiplap for flooring

50 pieces of 2X4X12

2 doors, heavy, 7'X 6" X 2-1/2 inches

1 keg of 2-1/2" nails,



Thanking you for giving this your attention.

Yours truly

James F. Blackford
Principal

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Ref. No.

Attention of
Russell T. Ferrer, Esq.

571723

Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
Inspector's Office

Winnipeg 8th September, 1922.

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



Sir,-

I am enclosing herewith a letter received from Principal Blackford of the Norway House Indian Boarding School.

The material mentioned in this letter was discussed by you with him when you were both in my office.

I am hardly clear about this, but I understood that some authority was to be arranged about this matter, and that I was to await direction before any action was taken.

The season is advancing to a close, and I thought it best to bring the matter to your attention.

Please return the letter, with your reply.

Is this material for some contemplated alterations ?

Your obedient servant,

W. A. Bunn

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Enclosure.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

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Ref. No.

Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
Inspector's Office

571725

Winnipeg.....6th.....September, 1922.

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.-

Sir,-

Principal Blackford of the Norway House Indian Boarding School has placed the following list with me for attention.

(14 only Plank, Spruce #1, 2" x 8" x 12'
28 " do do #1, 2" x 8" x 16',
1 keg Nails, wire, 6".

These supplies are required, I am informed, to protect the intake pipe for the water supply for the school coming from the lake. The high water in the lake having washed down the filling cover.

It is apparently necessary that this work should receive attention as intimated to insure the water supply.

I have the honor to be,
your obedient servant,

W. R. Brun

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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GEO. D. FRENEY, GENERAL MANAGER

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DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS OTTAWA ONT.

THREE TENDERS RECEIVED FOR NORWAY HOUSE SCHOOL BARN MATERIALS.
SEVENTEEN HUNDRED AND FIVE DOLLARS SEVENTEEN HUNDRED AND
FOURTEEN DOLLARS SEVENTEEN HUNDRED AND TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS.
PLEASE WIRE AUTHORITY FOR NECESSARY ACTION

JOHN R. BUNN.

3000.00
Revised
as:

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, September 12, 1922.

571918

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott,

In this year's estimates an amount of \$3,000.00 was included for the erection of a barn in connection with the Norway House Indian Boarding School. When the sketches of the desired barn were submitted to this Department, it was found that this amount was not sufficient to provide for the erection of the building. A silo, however, was authorized, at an estimated cost of \$1,000.00.

Reverend Mr. Ferrier has asked the Department to utilize the balance of the money **voted** in purchasing lumber for the erection of the barn and have it shipped in this Fall, in order that a start may be made in the erection of the building, early in the spring.

Mr. Bunn has obtained competitive prices and has to-day wired the Department for the authority to purchase the lumber. The lowest price received is \$1,705.00 and I beg to recommend that he be authorized to purchase the materials at once in order that it may be shipped ~~to~~ Norway House before navigation closes.

OK
J. L. B.

[Signature]
ARCHITECT.

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This Company shall not be liable for the actor omission of any other Company, but will endeavor to forward the telegram by any other Telegraph Company necessary to reaching its destination, but only as the agent of the sender and without liability therefor. The Company shall not be responsible for messages until the same are presented and accepted at one of its transmitting offices; if a message is sent to such office by one of the Company's messengers, he acts for that purpose as the sender's agent; if by telephone, the person receiving the message acts therein as agent of the sender, being authorized to assent to these conditions for the sender. This Company shall not be liable in any case for damages, unless the same be claimed, in writing, within sixty days after receipt of the telegram for transmission.
No employee of the Company shall vary the foregoing.

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO, ONT.

GEO. D. PERRY, VICE-PRES'T AND GENERAL MANAGER

Send the following message, subject to the above Terms
which are hereby agreed to.

COUNTER NO.

TIME FILED

CHECK

Ottawa, September 13, 1922.

John R. Bunn, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg - - MAN.

Replying telegram reference materials Norway

House Barn, may purchase from firm quoting lowest price.

J. D. McLean.

Charge Dept. I. A.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

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Ref. No.
Letter 123-1-5
Date Sept-1-1922

Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
Inspector's Office

Winnipeg.....11th September, 1922.

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.-

Sir,-

Re barn for Norway House Boarding School.

I beg to confirm my telegram of this forenoon as follows in connection with this matter.

"Three tenders received for Norway House School Barn Materials.

"Seventeen hundred and five dollars.

"Seventeen hundred and fourteen dollars.

"Seventeen hundred and twenty five dollars.

"Please wire authority for necessary action.

I duly received from the Rev'd T. Ferrier the rough blue plans for the barn.

I advised you on the 6th instant that I had asked for tenders for the building materials, these I have received as I have wired.

The total vote I understand is \$3000.00. The amount that has been paid out is as follows,-

Silo Plant	630.00	
Gov't sales tax	26.35	658.35

Building materials for barn, the whole bill as requested for by Rev'd T. Ferrier, Lowest tender.	1705.00
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Total for materials	2363.35
Frt from Selkirk to Norway House, say	200.00

Total apparent outlay	2563.35
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This leaves a balance of the \$3000.00, of about \$436.65

I have the honor to be,
your obedient servant,

W. D. Burns
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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OTTAWA, September 15th, 1922.

Sir: -

I have to acknowledge your letter of the 6th instant, concerning the repairs needed to the windows and doors at the Norway House Boarding School.

In reply I beg to state that you are authorized to purchase the window glass, door brakes and windows needed, if, in your opinion, these repairs should be made at this time. I have noted that more care should be exercised in the care of the windows at this boarding school.

I also wish to acknowledge yours of the 8th instant, enclosing a list of materials needed in the Norway House Boarding School for minor alterations to the interior. This matter was brought to the attention of the Superintendent of Indian Education, and the Department authorizes the purchase of the following: -

5000' of ⁷/₈" shiplap for flooring,
 50 pieces of 2x4x12,
 2 doors, heavy, ~~7'6" x 3'6"~~, (ascertain size)
 1 keg of 2-1/2" nails. Dept believes 7'6" x 3'6" x 1/2"

The flooring and 2x4x12 will be used in connection with alterations to the sewing room to permit of more dormitory accommodation for girls. The two doors should be of heavy material, suitable for ground floor doors to and from the girls' and boys' side. Your early attention to the purchase and shipment of this material is requested. Competitive prices should be invited for all materials.

I have also your letter of the 6th instant, referring to materials needed to protect the intake pipe for the water supply at the edge of the lake. Mr. Russell Ferrier reports that this work should be done this Fall to insure a supply of water for the winter months. The Principal should be directed to cover the ground and ice over the intake and piping near the lake with brush or other material that will catch the snow so that the added warmth will prevent freezing.

You are authorized in this connection to purchase,

14 only Plank, Spruce #1, 2"x8"x12',
 28 " " " #1, 2"x8"x16',
 1 keg Nails, wire, 6".

R. J. Bunn, Esq.,
 Inspector of Indian Agencies,
 Chambers of Commerce,
 Winnipeg, Man.

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This material should be purchased after competitive prices are obtained, and shipped without delay.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

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Acting ~~Asst.~~ Deputy & Secretary.

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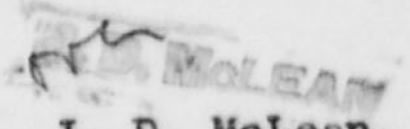
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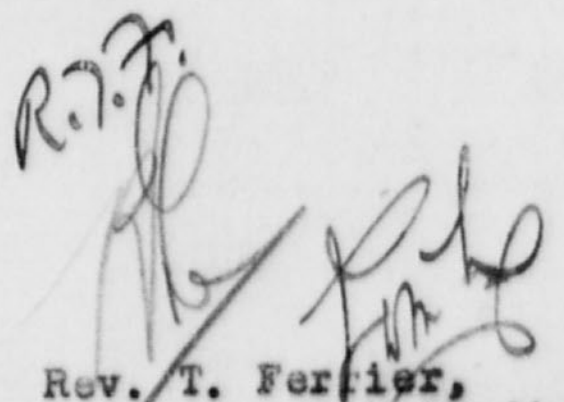
Rev. Sir: -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th instant, enclosing a plan of the barn at the Norway House Boarding School, and a list of materials needed for the initial operations early next Spring. I might inform you that Mr. Inspector Bunn, of Winnipeg, called for tenders for this material, and was authorized to purchase from the lowest bidder. The sum of \$1705.00 was spent in this connection, and I trust that there will be an early shipment to Norway House.

Mr. Inspector Bunn has also been authorized to purchase window glass, some 5,000 feet of flooring and a little material to protect the intake pipe for the water supply of the school.

Your obedient servant,


J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


Rev. T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

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123-5-5.

OTTAWA, September 15th, 1922.

Sir: -

I have to acknowledge your telegram of the 11th instant, concerning the tenders received for the materials needed in the erection of the new barn at the Norway House Boarding School.

I wish to confirm my telegram of the 13th, as follows: -

"Replying telegram materials Norway House Barn, may purchase from firm quoting lowest price."

I trust that you have been successful in having these materials shipped to Norway House, so that a start on the building operations will be made before navigation opens next Spring.

I have to acknowledge your letters of the 6th and 11th in this connection.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R.T.T.
John R. Bunn
John R. Bunn, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Chambers of Commerce,
Winnipeg, Man.

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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

123-5-5



Brandon, September 11th, 1922.

*1/2 School
2 pay*

571985

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir,-

In regard to the voucher sent in for material purchased by the principal of the Norway House Boarding School for which the Department kindly sent me a cheque for \$345.62,-

I am sorry there was an item of \$107.46 that was not included in my total. A reference to the letter will show you this item in Wood Vallance Account. The total is given on page 2 of the same. If this can be included in the account it will be greatly appreciated.

*where is
the voucher?*

*bal. paid by 1841
TF/GD Sept 19/22-*

Yours sincerely,

T. Ferrier



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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 16 1922
RECORDS

Brandon, Man.

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See under R

The Secretary Department
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.

Dear Sir
This voucher should have
been sent with the letter sent
yesterday.

Yours faithfully
T. Ferrier

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Commission

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BY APPOINTMENT
TO H. M. THE KING**MASSEY-HARRIS COMPANY, LIMITED**

Makers of Farm Implements

Established 1847

Brandon, Manitoba,
August 22, 1922.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent,
Indian Industrial School,
Brandon, Manitoba.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to the questions asked in yours of the
19th, we beg to advise as follows:

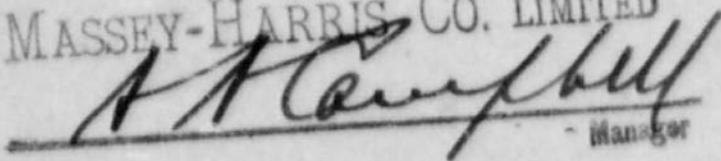
- (1st) Width of Throat? 9 inches.
- (2nd) Height of Cutting Box Feed Table 28 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches
Height of box at point where pipe is connected? 44 $\frac{1}{2}$ ins.
- (3rd) Number of Lengths of cuts? 4, 1/4", 1/2", 3/4" 1 1/2"
- (4th) Power required? For light cutting 8 H.P. but
best satisfaction can be secured with 10 H.P.
However, by carefully feeding the box it can be
successfully operated with a gasoline engine that
fully develops 8 H.P.
- (5th) Price quoted includes a 7 inch pulley, with
leather facing.
- (6th) Main Fly-wheel shaft 1 3/8 inches.
- (7th) Diameter of fly wheel 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches, with six steel
wind blades 4" in depth and practically the width
of the inside of the box.
- (8th) Box is equipped with a travelling feed table.

Trusting this will give you the information you
require, however, if it should not we will be glad to give
you any further particulars you desire.

Yours truly,

AAC/FMC.

MASSEY-HARRIS CO. LIMITED


Manager

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Brandon, Manitoba,
July 31, 1922.Indian Industrial School,
Rev. T. Ferrier,
Brandon, Manitoba.

Dear Sirs:-

As requested we have pleasure in submitting
the following quotation on our:No.5 Ensilage Cutter, with 2 ft. of pipe
2 elbows & deflector hood \$173.00Additional Pipe in 2 ft. lengths \$1.25 per length
" 4 " " \$2.45 " "
" 8 " " \$4.80 " "This is the box which you inspected at the fair
Grounds here last week.We are sending you one of our Ensilage cutter
folders and trust we may be favored with your valued
order.

Yours truly,

AAC/FMC.

MASSEY-HARRIS CO. LIMITED

A. A. Campbell

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INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER COMPANY OF CANADA LTD

FARM OPERATING EQUIPMENT
McCORMICK INTERNATIONAL DEERING

HARVESTING MACHINES
HAY AND CORN MACHINES
TILLAGE IMPLEMENTS
SEEDING MACHINES
PLOWES
THRESHERS
BINDER TWINE

MOTOR TRUCKS
OIL TRACTORS
OIL ENGINES
CREAM SEPARATORS
MANURE SPREADERS
FARM WAGONS
FEED GRINDERS

BRANDON BRANCH
J. C. BROSNAHAN, MANAGER

1735 PACIFIC AVE.,
BRANDON, MAN.,

August 7, 1922.

FOR MR.
YOUR LETTER
SUBJECT

Rev. T. Ferrier, Supt.,
Indian Industrial School,
Brandon, Man.

Dear Sir:

In accordance with your request we are pleased to submit the following prices on ensilage or feed cutters -

Type "F"

With feed throat 9" wide, 3" high.
Six different lengths of cuts;
Power required four to six horse power;
Equipped with ten inch pulley with leather facing;
Diameter of the fly wheel 30", with traveling feed
table, complete with deflector\$152.00
Pipe is extra and would cost \$1.00 per foot in
1-foot lengths. 75¢ per foot in 4, 6, 8 or 10-
foot lengths.

In the event that this machine would be too small for your requirements we quote you the following on our Type "G".

Type "G"

With feed throat 11" wide, 5" high; six
different lengths of cuts;
Power required from eight to ten horse power;
Equipped with 6" pulley and 1½" bore; equipped
with traveling feed table and 36" fly wheel,
complete with deflector\$190.00
Pipe is extra and would cost 34.80

Above prices are f.o.b. Winnipeg.

We thank you for the inquiry and trust to be favored with your order for
Norway House. We can make prompt delivery to the dock for immediate shipment.

Yours truly,

INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER COMPANY OF CANADA LIMITED

BY

J. C. Brosnahan
Manager.

JCB:F

ADDRESS REPLY TO THE COMPANY, MENTION BRANCH,
NAME OF WRITER, AND THE DATE OF THIS LETTER

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International Harvester Company of Canada, Ltd.



INVOICE

ACCOUNT OF

Brandon Man
Branch House

Aug 10 1922 T-444
Date Invoice No.

Date of Order	Block
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Date or No. Your Order _____

Shipped to: (If different from "Account of")

J. F. Blackford

Norway House

GOODS DESCRIBED BELOW ARE THIS DAY SHIPPED YOU AS PER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF CONTRACTS BETWEEN US. PRICES ARE EXTENDED ON THIS INVOICE FOR CONVENIENCE OF ACCOUNTING. COMMISSION GOODS WHEN SOLD MUST BE SETTLED FOR ACCORDING TO THE TERMS AND PRICES SPECIFIED IN THE AGENCY CONTRACT.

**MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO
THE ORDER OF THE COMPANY**

PRICES ARE EXTENDED ON THIS INVOICE TO THE CONTRACTOR TO BE SETTLED FOR ACCORDING TO THE TERMS AND PRICES SPECIFIED IN THE AGENCY CONTRACT.							
QUANTITY	SIZE	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	AMOUNT		DISCOUNT	
						RATE	DATE
1	G	Ensilage Cutter skidded with Travelling Feed Table			190	00	
26'	7"	Blower Pipe			34	80	

DATE SHIPPED. August 10, 1922.

VIA

CAR INITIAL & No.

FROM

ADVANCE CHARGES COLLECTED, OUR GOODS . \$ _____

ADVANCE CHARGES COLLECTED, OTHER GOODS, \$ _____

TOTAL ADVANCE CHARGES COLLECTED FROM R. R. CO. . \$_____

WEIGHT _____

NO CLAIMS FOR SHORTAGE OR BREAKAGE ALLOWED UNLESS MADE IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIPT INVOICE No.
OF GOODS, AND ACCOMPANIED BY PAID FREIGHT BILL.
IN REFERRING TO THIS SHIPMENT ALWAYS GIVE INVOICE NUMBER.
PLEASE REPORT ANY EXTRAORDINARY DELAY IN ARRIVAL.

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Rev. C. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

123-5-5



Brandon, September 21st, 1922.
Man.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir,-

Enclosed find a voucher in favor of the International Harvester Company for \$224.80. This is for an insilage cutter that was sent out to Norway House. I called for tenders from the Massey Harris Company as well and enclose you their tender, together with the tender received from the International Harvester Company. The latter company tendered \$152.00 for the machine the Massey Harris tendered for, you will notice. I concluded that neither of these were large enough and accepted the type "G" for \$190.00 without the pipe.

This machine had to be sent out on short notice in order that the silage might be saved.

Yours sincerely,

T. Ferrier

TF/GD

Ottawa, 23rd September, 1922

Submitted for the information of the
Purchasing Commission.

F.H. Paget
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.



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THE PURCHASING COMMISSION OF CANADA

Sept. 25th, 1922.
Date

Department.....INDIAN AFFAIRS.....File No.....

F.D.....

P.C. No.....

C.D.....

S.R.....

SUBJECT:— 1 Ensilage Cutter size "G", and 7" Blower Pipe—
Norway House, Man.

Cost \$224.80

Report and other documents have been examined and found to be in order.
The following is suggested:—

Report received from the Accountant and
Purchasing Agent.

Purchase from the International Harvester
Co., Ltd., Brandon, Man, f.o.b. Winnipeg, noted for
payment.

AH.



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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

123-5-5

R



Brandon, September 16th, 1922.

Acet
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

Enclosed find an account from the A. R. Williams
Machinery Company, Winnipeg for \$401.30.

This is for repairs to an engine sent in from the
Norway House Boarding School. Mr. Blackford, the principal
sent it in for general repairs. It is the engine used for
pumping water to the main building and was completely out
of repair. He had no idea it would have been so expensive
to put it in order. The engine is back again at the school
and as far as I know is in good running order.

Trusting this account will receive the favorable con-
sideration of the Department, I remain

Yours sincerely,

T. Ferrier

*Report for
debits as to
how the charge
of \$388.56 is made up*

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Ottawa, 23rd September, 1923.

Rev. Sir:-

I beg to return herewith an account in favour of The A.R. Williams Machinery Co., of Winnipeg for repair of field gas engine amounting to \$401.31 in all. It is desired to know the details of the charge \$388.56, in order that they may be supplied to the Auditor General.

Yours truly,

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools & Hospitals
in Canada,
Brandon, Man.

F. H. Paget
Accountant.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



Ref. No.
Letter 123-5-5
Date 15 Sept. 1922.

Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
Inspector's Office

572390

Winnipeg 19th September, 1922.

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.-

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge your letter, number and date as quoted above.

I beg to advise that I was able to handle this matter of buying and shipping the material for the barn at the Norway House Indian Boarding School, with despatch, and that this shipment went forward on the steamer leaving Selkirk for Warren's Landing and to Norway House, this afternoon. The business has been dealt with, at this end without any delay.

I have the honor to be,
your obedient servant,

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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Copy.

Brandon 14th September, 1922.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Indian Industrial School,
Brandon, Man.-

Dear Sir,-

Following our conversation of even date, we hereby submit to you the prices on Beatty Bros barn equipment, for the new barn at Norway House. The prices named are laid down at Selkirk, Man.-

One piede Head rail	20'	)	175.00
" " " "	26'8"	)	
14 style A stalls, complete at \$12.50		)	
This to include 16 stall posts and		)	
12 partitions.		)	
Two Bull Pens 8' x 8' square, including gate			
at \$210.00 each			420.00
coener manger for bull pen with stanchion			
@ \$20.50 each			41.00
Hay Carrier outfit, for 40 foot barn			75.00
3 extra 6" slings			23.25
\$ 7.75 each			12.50
45 lbs Rope at 28¢ per lb			6.25
extra for big lift			24.65
Track and fixtures 9' door 24' track			
			778.63
Less discount \$776.03 10%			77.60
			701.03
Sales Tax 2½%			15.77
			716.80
Frt Brandon to Selkirk			9.78
			\$726.58

We submit these prices believing that the company will be able to ship the material at an early date, as we understand that it must be sent early in order to catch the boat to destination.

signed.

A.L. Campbell.

Note by J.R. Bunn.

Why 2 bull pens and equipment incident thereto ?
This seems unnecessary.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



572295

Ref. No.
Re New Barn at Norway House.

Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
Inspector's Office

Winnipeg.....19th September, 1922.

Accepted

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.-

Sir,-

I beg to enclose herewith a copy of a tender for the equipment for the new barn at Norway House, forwarded to me by the Rev'd T. Ferrier from Brandon.

I have made a footnote about the Bull pens. This ~~seems~~ seems ~~to~~ unnecessary.

The Gilson Manf'g Co, deal in barn equipment and would like to have an opportunity to tender.

The building material is all gone forward.

The Silo, complete for erection, is also forwarded to Norway House.

Please direct me what action is to be taken, at an early date, as the season is closing quickly.

I have the honor to be,
your obedient servant,

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Enclosure.

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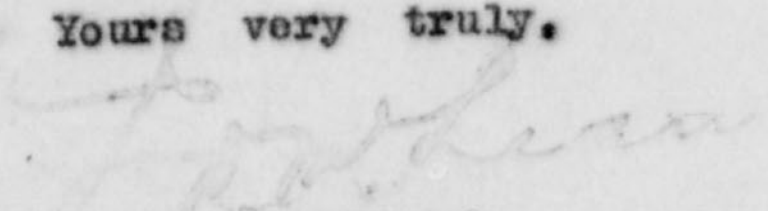
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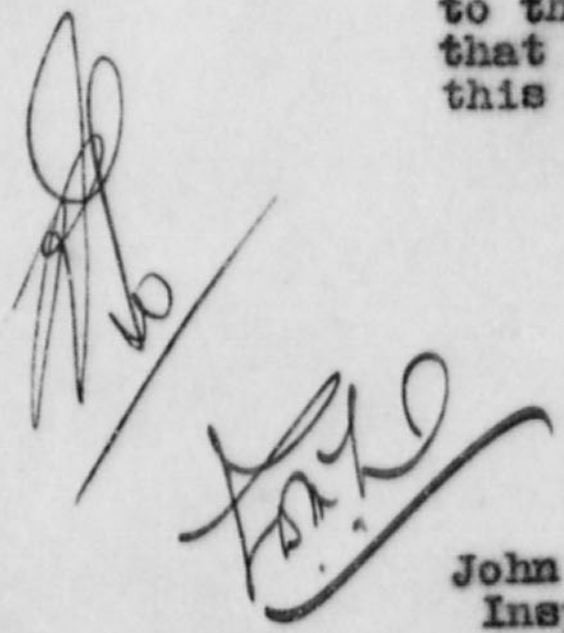
Dear Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the 19th inst., with reference to the barn equipment required for the proposed barn at Norway House, I beg to say that before the materials as enumerated in Mr. Ferrier's letter to you are purchased, it will be necessary to obtain competitive prices, and the Gilson Manufacturing Co. should be given an opportunity of quoting. Materials should be purchased from the firm quoting the lowest prices.

I note your remarks with reference to the two bull pens, and I agree with you that one bull pen should be sufficient for this barn.

Yours very truly,


(J. D. McLean)
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.


John R. Bunn, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg - MAN.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 4 1922
RECORDED

123-5-5

R. F. T.
S. J. T.

Ottawa, October 4, 1922.

572779

Dear Sir:-

We have, at Norway House, a building owned by the Methodist Church. This was formerly situated close to the church building. Rev. Mr. Denyes, former Principal, moved this building to another part of the reserve. There have been some Four or Five Hundred Dollars' worth of improvements made to it, and it is occupied by the mechanical man in the employ of the school.

This building should be on the school property and under the control of the Department. I would suggest that the principal be instructed to move it to a suitable site on the school property. For the expense of moving and some consideration for the value of the building, I would suggest the price of \$500 to be paid by the Department. It would take at least \$1500 to erect the building at the present time.

The Methodist Church also owns a school house that has been used for the Junior classroom of the boarding school. It is situated alongside of the reserve school. There are serious objections to sending the children of the boarding school out onto the reserve to play with the reserve children during intermission and other play hours. The building is in need of repairs. It should have new sills, should be lined up and made more comfortable, some repairs made to the windows and shingles, and removed to the school property. For these repairs and moving it will require about \$500.

I would like the sanction of the Department to move this building and make the needed repairs for the above sum. It would be quite satisfactory to the Church and the management of the school if these items were placed in the Estimates for the next Parliament, but, in the meantime, *We* would like the authority to move the building and make the repairs.

OK
ACI

Yours sincerely,

T. Ferrier

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

RECORDED
OCT 4 1922
BRANCH

*Write Rev. 77
Agent.
Write 4 Oct. 1923-4*

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123-5-5.

Ottawa, October 10, 1922.

Reverend Sir:-

I have yours of the 4th instant, referring to the engineer's cottage that has been placed on the Norway House Boarding School property. I have noted that this building is of considerable value and that the sum of \$500 would be satisfactory to the Methodist Church Authorities.

In reply I beg to state that an item will be placed in the Estimates for the fiscal year 1923-24, and an effort will be made to reimburse you in this matter.

I have to refer to that portion of your letter concerning the Junior Classroom of the Boarding School. I note that it should be moved onto the school property and that the cost in this connection and for necessary repairs will be in the neighborhood of \$500.

In reply I beg to state that the Department authorizes you to move this building and to make the repairs. Vouchers covering the labour and materials should be prepared and forwarded to the Department, in April, next. An item is being placed in the Estimates in connection with this, and favourable consideration will be given to the accounts when they are presented.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Supt. Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

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OTTAWA, October 10th, 1922.

Sir: -

I beg to inform you that the Rev. T. Ferrier, Superintendent of Methodist Indian Schools, has been authorized to move the building that has been used for the junior classroom at the Norway House Boarding School onto the school property. This building is at present situated alongside of the reserve school, and there are serious objections to sending the children of the boarding school to attend classes in this building. An expenditure not exceeding \$500 has been authorized for the purpose. Vouchers covering the labour and materials are to be forwarded to the Department in April, next, when funds will be provided for the purpose.

You may inform the Principal of the school accordingly, and, if he arranges to have the work done, he should keep proper time sheets of the labour employed, and in the purchase of any material competitive prices should be obtained.

The Principal will, no doubt, hear from the Rev. Mr. Ferrier in connection with this matter.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. 27.
J. H. L.
Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

This is ok hereunder

Interest charged at Eight per cent.

THE
J.H. ASHDOWN HARDWARE CO.
LIMITED
RETAIL DEPARTMENT

Delivered to

WINNIPEG, Sept. 14 / 22 1922
MAN.

SOLD TO **Dept. of Indian Affairs.**

ADDRESS CITY.

LEDGER FOLIO

SALESMAN

SS 4634



H 1 Lb. 3/8 Belt Lace

Mail

1.70

1.70

.17

\$1.87

One \$7/100 dollars

Authority.
Telegram

D.C. Scott to J.R. Bunn
21 August, 1922.

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Inspector of Indian Agencies

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Interest charged at Eight per cent. on Overdue Accounts

Wise Aug 21-22
THE
J.H. ASHDOWN HARDWARE CO.
LIMITED
RETAIL DEPARTMENT

Indian

Norway

Delivered to

Via Northern

Selkirk

WINNIPEG, Sept. 9 / 22 1922
MAN.

No 96915

SOLD TO **Dept. of Indian Affairs.**

ADDRESS CITY.

LEDGER FOLIO

SALESMAN

SS 4582



H

50

Ft. Single Leather Belting 6"

"Agricultural"

Less 30%, 10%, 10%

1.44

Ft. 72.00

31.17

\$40.83

Only \$3/100 dollars

Authority.
Telegram

D.C. Scott to J.R. Bunn
21 Aug 1922.

These goods were sent per
Express

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Inspector of Indian Agencies

Form 66R. 100M 9-20 3393

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123-5-5

Letter No.



R

Office of the Indian Agency.



Agst

191 ..

Sir,

I have the honour to inclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 2350 & 2350 amounting to \$ 40.83 & 1.87.
(Forty two 70/100 dollars only.)

for Belting and Belt Lace for Indian Boarding
School at Norway House, part of the equipment of
the new engine.

This Expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Telegram D.C.Scott to
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ J.R.Bunn Dated 21st Aug. 1922.....

INDIAN EDUCATION

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J.R.Bunn

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

*40.83
1.87
42.70
2353
sent Oct. 16/22.*

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International Harvester Company of Canada, Ltd.



INVOICE

Winnipeg, Man. Branch House

Date

Date of Order

Date or No. Your Order

Shipped to: (If different from "Account of")

MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO THE ORDER OF THE COMPANY

GOODS DESCRIBED BELOW ARE THIS DAY SHIPPED YOU AS PER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF CONTRACTS BETWEEN US. PRICES ARE EXTENDED ON THIS INVOICE FOR CONVENIENCE OF ACCOUNTING. COMMISSION GOODS WHEN SOLD MUST BE SETTLED FOR ACCORDING TO THE TERMS AND PRICES SPECIFIED IN THE AGENCY CONTRACT.

QUANTITY	SIZE	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	AMOUNT	DISCOUNT	
					RATE	DATE
1	10	H Int Engine 1925		416.00		
1	20"	F.C. Pulley				
Four hundred to Sixteen dollars						
Plus 624 Six 24/100 dollars tax						
TOTAL						
ADVANCE FREIGHT (Net, not subject to discount)						
FREIGHT PREPAID						
TOTAL CHARGES						

DATE SHIPPED

VIA

CAR INITIAL & No.

FROM

ADVANCE CHARGES COLLECTED, OUR GOODS . \$

ADVANCE CHARGES COLLECTED, OTHER GOODS, \$

TOTAL ADVANCE CHARGES COLLECTED FROM R. R. CO. . \$

WEIGHT

2274

ON CLAIMS FOR SHORTAGE OR BREAKAGE ALLOWED UNLESS MADE IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIPT INVOICE No. OF GOODS, AND ACCOMPANIED BY PAID FREIGHT BILL. IN REFERRING TO THIS SHIPMENT ALWAYS GIVE INVOICE NUMBER. PLEASE REPORT ANY EXTRAORDINARY DELAY IN ARRIVAL.

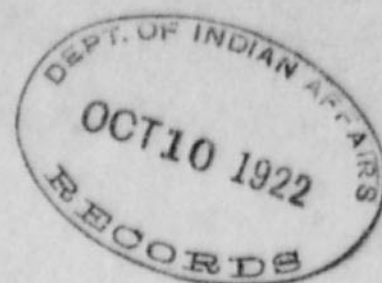
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Letter No.

R



Office of the



Indian Agency.

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Sir,

I have the honour to inclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 2345....., amounting to \$ 422.24. (Four hundred and twenty two 24/100 dollars only.)

for New Gasoline 10 H.P. Engine for Indian Boarding School at Norway House.

This Expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Telegram from D.C. Scott

~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ Dated 21st Aug, 1922. to J.R. Bunn.

INDIAN EDUCATION

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Carol

J. R. Bunn
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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Selkirk, Aug 14 1922
Rept of Indian Affairs



Bought of

F. W. HOOKER

DEALER IN

**PINE, SPRUCE AND OAK LUMBER, SASH,
DOORS, MOULDINGS AND BRICK**

10 per cent. interest charged on overdue accounts

S. B. BEARE, MANUFACTURING STATIONER AND PRINTER, TORONTO

To Account Rendered

50 Bag Cement
50 Bag

75. 4750-

20. 1000-

5750✓

Material Supplied, Work Performed,
Prices Fair and Just

Authority
Letter 125-5-5.
6 July, 1922.

CERTIFIED CORRECT

Ino. R. Bunn
Inspector of Indian Agencies

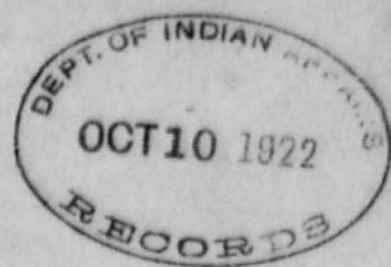
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MINUTE No. 15-3440

2351/10/22
Sent Oct. 10/22

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Letter No.

R

Office of the Indian Agency.

Agst

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Sir,

I have the honour to inclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 2342....., amounting to \$ 57.50. (Fifty seven 50/100 dollars only.)

for Cement for foundation for Hylo-Silo at the Indian Boarding School at Norway House.

This Expenditure was authorized by Departmental

INDIAN EDUCATION

Letter No 123-5-5... Dated 6th July 1922.....

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]

[Handwritten signature: L. O. R. Bunn]

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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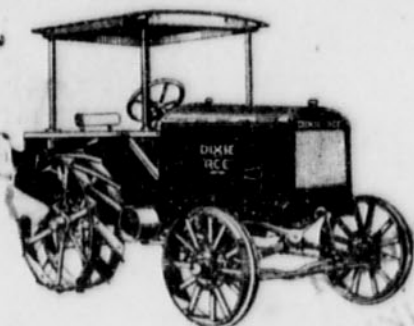
GILSON MANUFACTURING CO., Limited

MANUFACTURING

GILSON ENGINES, TRACTORS, SILO FILLERS, HYLO SILOS,
THRESHERS AND CHAIR FIXTURES

REFER TO INVOICE

NO. 264



WINNIPEG, Manitoba Aug. 9th, 1922.

Department of Indian Affairs Canada
Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
Winnipeg, Man.

Sold to

Terms NET CASH.

Order 8: 8: 22.

Our No. 160

Prices subject to change without notice

These goods were carefully packed and examined before shipment. Don't sign the freight bill for this shipment until you have examined the goods, and seen that everything is complete and in good order. If there is any damage or shortage have the freight agent note it on freight receipt before accepting goods. WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE IF YOU GIVE THE AGENT A CLEAR RECEIPT.
ALL REMITTANCES AND SETTLEMENTS SHOULD BE SENT DIRECT TO THE COMPANY. We will not be held responsible for moneys or settlements given to agents or representatives not authorized to act in this capacity by written directions from this office.

1 - 14 X 28 Ft. Yellow Pine HYLO-SILO complete with
Galvanized Iron Hipped Roof F. O. B. Selkirk, Man. 630.00 ✓

Government Sales Tax 4% 26.35 ✓

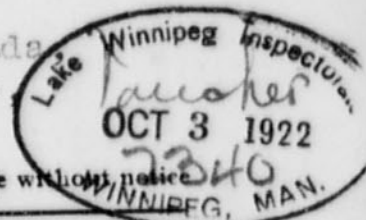
58.35 ✓

Authority-- Letter 123-5-5.

Dated July 6th, 1922.

Shipped Via C. P. R. Prepaid direct from Factory, Guelph, Ont.
consigned to Indian Agent, Norway House Agency, Norway House, Man.
for Indian Boarding School at Norway House, c-o Northern Fish Co.,
Selkirk, Man. routed Lake & Rail Car No. CP 36390

No claim for shortage or breakage allowed unless made promptly on receipt of goods and accompanied by freight receipt showing damage or shortage marked thereon. No goods will be accepted if returned without our permission. Interest charged on overdue accounts.



Material Supplied, Work Done and Prices Fair and Reasonable

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Inspector of Indian Agents

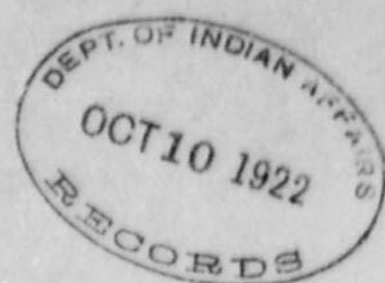
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Letter No.

R



Office of the Indian Agency.



Agst

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Sir,

I have the honour to inclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 2340....., amounting to \$Six hundred and fifty
eight 35/100 dollars only.)

for Hylø-Silo for Norway House Boarding School.

This Expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 123-5-5.. Dated July 6th, 1922.

INDIAN EDUCATION

[Handwritten signature]

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: L. O. R. Bunn]

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Interest charged at Eight per cent. on Overdue Accounts

All Claims must be made on receipt of goods

YOUR ORDER

Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

Delivered to.....

THE
J.H. ASHDOWN HARDWARE CO.
LIMITED
RETAIL DEPARTMENT

WINNIPEG, ^{MAN.} Sept. 27/22 192

SOLD TO Dominion Government.

ADDRESS Dept. of Indian Affairs.

LEDGER FOLIO.....

SALESMAN

For H.H.W. Ho. School.

SS 4850

No 26379
Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
OCT 3 1922
2360
WINNIPEG, MAN.

G	100	Lts. Window Glass	12 x 12	sgle		34	34.00
	24	"	12 x 16	"		56	13.44
	12	"	16 x 15	"		76	9.12
	12	"	8 x 10	"		22	2.64
	12	"	14 x 12	"		50	6.00
	12	"	15 x 12	"		56	6.72
	24	"	18x 12	"		74	17.76
	18	"	12 x 28	"		1.02	18.36
	18	"	10 x 10	double		.40	7.20
	18	"	10 x 12	"		.40	7.20
	1	"	12 x 28	single		1.48	1.48
					Material Supplied, Work Performed Prices Fair and Just		
							123.92
							80.55
							43.37
							19.50
							62.87

Authority
Letter 123-5-5.
Dated 15th Sept. 1922

Sixty two 87/100 dollars

Less 65%

W 3 Only Door Checks Corbins

6.50

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Inspector of Indian Agencies

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er No.



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Office of the Indian Agency,

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Sir,

Acct
I have the honour to inclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 2360....., amounting to \$62.87. (Sixty..
two 87/100 dollars only.)

for Window Glass and Door Checks for Indian Board-
ing School at Norway House. Norway House Agency.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 123-5-5....dated 15th September, 1922.....

INDIAN EDUCATION

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

W. A. Bunn
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

[Signature]
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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LOCAL PURCHASE---ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called 7 Sept 1922 by phone Due 7 Sept 1922 Received 7 Sept 1922 by J. A. Bunn

ARTICLES	FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE				REMARKS
	Macdonald Shanderson Co	Wood Vallance	W. L. L. Belling Co	Beardmore Belling Co	
various for Indian Boarding School Norway House					
50 ft Cedar Belling	1.44 per ft	1.01 per ft	1.44 per ft	1.44 per ft	
	Less 30% 40 and	Nett Less 30%	Less 30%	Less 30%	
	62% 40 and				
	Nett 81.13				
Note Order placed with The G. H. Ashdown House Co 6 Sept 1922					

2350

NOTED UNDER TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

15-3437

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

OCT 12 1922

The Acting Comptroller of Canada

I recommend that lowest tenders, as undelivered, which have been accepted, be approved—
tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed J. A. Bunn
Dept. of Indian Affairs
City or town Winnipeg Province Man

DATE

LOCAL PURCHASE---ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called 10 Aug 1922 by phone Due 10 Aug 1922 Opened 10 Aug 1922 by J. A. Bunn

ARTICLES				FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE		REMARKS
For Mr. Ho School Site						
Cement for foundation				Moody Saskin	J. Haskdow D. Denece W. P. G.	Board McFarley
Cement in sack.				95 Ssk No tender	86 1/4 Ssk W. P. G.	90 Ssk 300 W. P. G.
Note / order placed with J. W. Haskdow Co. Saskin. Key						
could make quicker shipment. Look at Saskin						
about equal						

2342



NOTED
 UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE

OCT 14 1922

The Purchasing Commission of Canada.

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
 tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed J. A. Bunn
 Dept. of Indian Affairs
 City or town W. P. G. Province Man

DATE Aug 26/22

LOCAL PURCHASE---ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called 6 Aug 1922 by water Due 6 Aug 1922 Opened 6 Aug 1922 by R. Bann

ARTICLES		FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE		REMARKS
For Mr. H. B. Bann Complete Knock-down Silo-		Gilson Mitchell Mfg Co		
1 Silo - 14' x 28' style	343 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀ - 7588 ⁰⁰			
1 Silo - Yellow Pine. 14' x 28'	630 ⁰⁰			
Note: The construction and material of the Silo tendered for by "The Gilson Mfg Co" was much Superior to the order was placed with them - <u>2340</u>				

 UNDERLINE TENDERS ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

OCT 12 1922

I recommend that lowest tenders, as undesignated, which have been accepted, be approved—
 tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed R. Bann
 Dept. of Indian Affairs
 City or town Wipac Province Man

DATE 8 Aug 1922

LOCAL PURCHASE---ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders of 1 Aug 22 1922 by W. J. Brown by W. J. Brown
 Due Aug 13 1922 Opened Aug 14 1922

REMARKS

FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE

ARTICLES

New Gasoline Engine Indian Cogwheel Norway Brass Assy	Cushman Motor Co	Ontario Engineering Co	International Canadian Harvester Fairbanks	
Gasoline Engine Connections Pulley	8 H.P. 460 ^{cc} 10 H.P. 745 ^{cc} 10 H.P. 10%	No Quotation	10 H.P. 422 ^{cc} 1415 ^{cc} other type 10 H.P. 585 ^{cc} net	
Note - Places order with International Harvester Co.				
Best value - for a 10 H.P. and a good engine				

2345

NOTED UNDER TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE 3444

OCT 12 1922

The Purchasing Commission of Canada.

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
 tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed W. J. Brown
 Dept. of Indian Affairs
 City or town W. J. Brown
 Date Aug 15/22

P. C. of C. New Minute No.....

P. C. of C. File No.....

THE PURCHASING COMMISSION OF CANADA

October 12th, 1922

Date

Department. **INDIAN AFFAIRS**

File No.....

F.D.....

P.C. No.....

C.D.....

S.R.....

SUBJECT:— **1 Silo, knocked down - Norway House, Man.**

Cost **\$630.00**

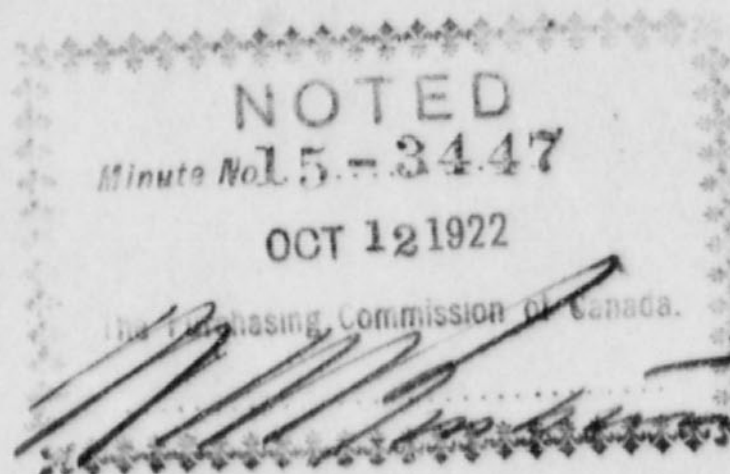
Report and other documents have been examined and found to be in order.
The following is suggested:—

Report received from the Indian Agent.

Purchase from lowest suitable tenderer, The Gilson Manufacturing Co., Limited, Winnipeg, Man., noted for payment.

Subject to the approval of the requisition by the Honourable the Minister.

*Mr. Gervier
Please note that
requisition is
authorized
to be required
16/10/22*



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October 18, 1922.

Memorandum.

Honourable Charles Stewart:-

Three Thousand Dollars was voted in the Main Estimates 1922-23 for a barn at the Norway House Boarding School in Manitoba. Expenditures were as follows:- Lumber and other building material \$1705.00 and a Silo \$630.00. I believe that steel fixtures for the barn will be in the neighborhood of \$700.00, making a total of \$3035.00. Competitive prices have been secured, the materials have been shipped and I respectfully ask for authority to pay the accounts.

R.T.T.

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

Auditor General's Office, Canada, 123-5-5

OTTAWA, October 16th, 1922.

M. Paget
Dear Mr. Paget,-

573363



Education cheque No. 2112, 1921-22 is for a payment of \$1,800.76 to Wm. Robinson Co., Ltd., on account of lumber and hardware supplied for the boarding school at Norway House. This payment was supported by five accounts, four of which are as follows:-

No. 1.	Material supplied between Aug. 17 & Sept. 14th.	\$474.56
No. 2.	" " on Aug. 30 & Sept. 1st.	348.82
No. 3.	" " between Aug. 30 & Sept 13th,	465.32
No. 4.	" " between Sept. 6th & 20th	237.66

The last four items in account No. 1, amounting to \$7.32 correspond in every respect with the last four items but one in account No. 4.

The last four items in account No. 3 amounting to \$196.54 are apparently the same as the first two, and sixth and seventh items in account No. 4.

The last four ³ items in account No. 2, amounting to \$25.50 are the same as the 3rd, 4th, and 5th items in account No. 4 with the exception of the date on which the goods were purchased.

It is quite apparent that in the first three cases, double payments have been made, while in the last case, there is a probability of a double payment.

I shall be glad if you would have these accounts looked into and advise me of the result at your earliest opportunity.

Yours Sincerely,

F. H. Paget, Esq.,
Accountant,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

S. S. Allen

[Signature]

Ottawa, October 19th., 1922.

Sir,-

I re-enclose herewith an account rendered at \$237.66 dated 30th September which the Department received from your firm for supplies furnished for use at the Indian Boarding School at Norway House. Apparently all the charges in this account with the exception of the last item \$8.30 were made in accounts previously presented, which accounts were paid by the Department. Figures in pencil have been made on the margin of the above-mentioned account and they correspond with those on three other accounts dated respectively the 17th September, which are herewith returned to you.

(Encl.)

On the 28th October 1921 the Department sent you cheque No. 2112 for \$1800.76. The said cheque made payment of the following five accounts in which the above-mentioned account is included, namely,- \$474.56, \$348.82, \$465.32, \$274.40, and \$237.66. Apparently an overpayment of \$229.36 has been made to you and I have to request therefore that you will make refund to the Department of that amount and that you will at the same time return the vouchers herewith forwarded.

Your obedient servant,


A. F. MacKenzie

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

The Wm. Robinson Co. Limited,

Selkirk, Man.

LOCAL PURCHASE---ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called 6 Sept 1922 by letter 9 Sept 1922 by J. R. Brown
 phone 11 Sept 1922 Opened 11 Sept 1922

ARTICLES	FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE				REMARKS
Hammer Nails, Cement for New School Room Neway, Maine	McKee & Co Sackin	W. A. Knapton Sackin	W. A. Knapton Sackin	W. A. Knapton Sackin	
Hammer Nails Cement (Big Barrel)	1714.16	1725.58	1705.50	1780.00	
Shingles, Paint Nails, Lumber					
Note - Order placed with Brown and Rutherford					

UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—

LIMITED

SELKIRK, MAN.

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PLEASE SHIP TO

Harvey H. H. H. the following articles in apparent good order and condition, marked and numbered as below, which are to be delivered in like good order, subject to the conditions and general rules of your Company. Charge freight to Harvey H. H. H.

TRIP NO

STEAMER

B L NO

OCT 18 1922

F'REIGHT

WINNIPEG, MAN.

TOTAL

Received above mentioned articles in good order and condition for Consignee.

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BROWN & RUTHERFORDWinnipeg,
Manitoba

Sept. 30, 1922.

CAR No.

Sold to Dept. of Indian Agencies

TERMS:

REGISTER No.

YOUR ORDER No. **A X 2**

8% ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

MANUFACTURERS
AND DEALERS IN**LUMBER
SASH, DOORS
MOULDINGS
ETC.**Phone St. John
762, 763, 76430522- Sept. 14, 1922
150 pcs. 2x6-14 com. spruce
88 bds. #1 shingles30538 Sept. 15,
125 pcs. 2x6-16 com. spruce
29 pcs. 6x6-16 com.
2 " " 14
8 " " 1030630 Sept. 15
15 pcs. 2x12-18 com.
30 pcs. " 16 "
20 " 2x8-16
20 " 2x10-14 spruce com.
90 " " 12 "
100 " 2x4-14 "30631 Sept. 15
4000 ft. 1x10 shiplap #1
1000 " 1" spruce boards.30794 Sept. 18
500 ft. 1x6 #1&2 P.G. fir flng.
3501 " 1x6 #1&2 fir siding30795- Sept. 18,
1500 ft. #4 bds.
28 sash 8x10-4 lbs.
10 rolls Victoria tar paper
10 pr. heaving strap hinges & screws 10"
10 " " " " 6"
4 heavy thumb latches - 12 6" hooks & eyes
1 keg 1 1/2 com. nails.
4 " 2 1/2 "
1 " 3" "
2 " 4" "
2 gal. white paint
10 " red barn paint.30852 Sept. 16
50 pcs. 1x2-16 spruce strapping
50 " 1x6-16 #1 com. spruce
50 " 1x4-14 "
50 " 2x4-14 com.
1500 ft. 3/4 resawn bds.
2500 ft. #4 bds.
10 pcs. 2x8-16 com.
30 " 2x2-16 "
350 sacks cement

AS QUOTED

\$1705.50 net

---Seventeen hundred and five 50/100 dollars only.

----Authority.

Telegram Sept. 13- 1922

from S. D. McLean

CERTIFIED CORRE

Ino R. Bu
Inspector of Indian Affairs*2667 per Oct 27/22.*Material Supplied, Work Performed
Prices Fair and Just

123-5-5-

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Letter No.

Office of the Indian Agency,



Ajex

.....191.....

Sir,

I have the honour to inclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 2377 amounting to \$ 1705.50. (Seven-
teen hundred and five 50/100 dollars only.

for Brown & Rutherford Ltd. of Winnipeg. For build-
ing materials for New School Barn at Norway House.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Telegram from J.D. McLean .

Letter No. dated 13th Sept, 1922.....

[Handwritten signature]

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: L. R. Dunn]

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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LOCAL PURCHASE---ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called 6 Sept 1922 by letter 9 Sept 1922 by J.R. Brown
 opened 11 Sept 1922

ARTICLES	FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE					REMARKS
Lumber, Nails, Cement for New School House Newway House	L. W. Hooker Sackin & Co	W. A. Robinson Sackin	Brown Rutherford W. J. Gregor Brandon			
Lumber, Nails Cement, (Blyth's)	1714.16	1725.58	1705.50	1780.00		
Shingles, Paint Nails, Lumber etc						
all L.O.B. Sackin.						
Note - Order placed with Brown and Rutherford						

NOTED UNDER THE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

3493

OCT 25 1922

The Purchasing Commission of Canada.

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
 tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed M. R. Brown
 Dept. of Indian Affairs
 City or town Wipeg Province Man

DATE

123-5-5
West



EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF INSPECTOR A. C. WEST,
DATED SEPT. 11, 1922, ON THE NORWAY HOUSE
BOARDING SCHOOL.

573830

Original on File 123-5-6.

X X X X X

When classrooms are next painted, I suggest
that white or light cream be used for ceiling.
The grey used now has depressing influence upon
pupils. Walls are pleasing and restful if a
light buff is used.

X X X X X



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Newly Handed

*Immediate
after
approval*



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

123-5-5.

MINISTER'S OFFICE
OCT 19 1922
DEPT. OF INTERIOR

OFFICE OF THE
DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA

October 18, 1922.

Memorandum.

574263

Honourable Charles Stewart:-

Three Thousand Dollars was voted in the Main Estimates 1922-23 for a barn at the Norway House Boarding School in Manitoba. Expenditures were as follows:- Lumber and other building material \$1705.00 and a Silo \$630.00. I believe that steel fixtures for the barn will be in the neighborhood of \$700.00, making a total of \$3035.00. Competitive prices have been secured, the materials have been shipped and I respectfully ask for authority to pay the accounts.

*H.K.
J.G.*

Amcan chm

Deputy Superintendent General.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
OCT 28 1922
ARCHITECT.

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123-5-5

Industrial School, Brandon, Man.,
November 3rd, 1922.

574335

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

Replaying to yours of October 19th No. 123-5-5 B re
the overcharge of \$229.36 in the Wm. Robinson Company's
account:

I have taken this matter up with the company and find
that this amount is a part of what I wrote the Department
concerning on March 14th, 1922 and also on August 16th, 1922.
The total amount overpaid was \$325.96. The difference of
\$96.60 was paid from the funds of the Missionary Society.
To correct the error the Wm. Robinson Company sent me a
cheque in March last for \$325.96. The reply to my letter
to the Department of August 16th is dated September 2nd
No. 123-5-5. By a reference to this you will see that
the account has been settled.

When I first took this matter up with the Department I
was under the impression that the whole of the \$325.96
had been paid by the Department but by the statement sent
me by the Wm. Robinson Company I find it exactly as you
have stated, viz., \$229.36. In any case the whole amount
was placed to the credit of the Boarding School at Norway
House and the Wm. Robinson Company have settled the matter
in full.

Yours sincerely,

T. Furrie

TF/GD

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Ottawa, Nov. 8, 1922.

Reverend Sir:-

I have yours of the 3rd instant, regarding an overcharge of \$229.36 in an account of Wm. Robinson Co., of Selkirk, Man., with the Norway House Boarding School. In your explanation, you have referred the Department to your letters of March 14th and August 16th, last, and our replies of this same file number, of March 29th and September 2nd.

In reply I beg to state that, as far as the Department is concerned, these letters have reference to certain materials shipped to Norway House by the Wm. Robinson Co., that were used in the repairing and altering of the warehouse which is used by the school. The fact remains that there was an overpayment of \$229.36 to the Wm. Robinson Co. for materials that were never supplied. The company has refunded this amount to the Norway House Boarding School, and the Auditor General requires that a cheque be made out to the Receiver General, in this connection.

Our letter of September 2nd authorized the using of certain materials that had been supplied and has nothing to do with the overpayment.

We requested the Wm. Robinson Co., under date of the 9th ultimo, to return the vouchers forwarded them, and you might secure these and forward them to the Department when sending the cheque.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R.7.7.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent,
Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, MAN.

PHONES:
Store Dept. - - 21
Lumber Dept. - 13

WM. ROBINSON COMPANY, Limited

ACCOUNT No.

Letter Folio

DEALERS IN

Dry Goods Mens Furnishings, Groceries, Flour and Feed

Boots and Shoes, Crockery

LUMBER, LATH, SHINGLES, SASH, DOORS, WOOD AND BRICK

SELKIRK, Man., AUGUST 22 19

SOLD TO Indian Boarding School

Accounts due 7th of following month

Norway House.

Date	ARTICLES			Folio	Credit Amount	Debit Amount	TOTAL
4	50 Pcs. 2x8-16	1066	47.50	14232		44 77	
	50 " 2x8-12	800	40.00			32.00	
	20 " 2x4-14	187	40.00			7 48	
	25 Sacks Cement		1.20			30 00	
	2 Barrels Lime		3.25			6 50	
	1 Keg 4" Nails			213		8 65	
	1 Keg 3" Nails					5 80	
						132.20	

OK J. Currie

Sent Nov 11/22.
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Memo

Mr. Robinson's
aggregate a/c's
attached — for
\$132.²⁰ was for
Temporary silo
& was authorised.

J. Y. B.

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Indian Boarding School

Norway House, Man. Oct-11 1921

Rev J. Ferrier
Supt. Meth. Schools in Can.
Brandon. -

Dear Mr. Ferrier

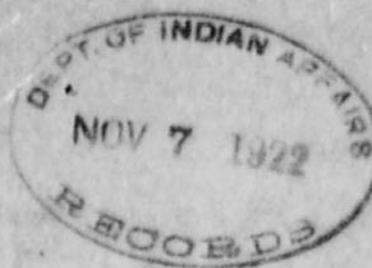
Attached please
find Mr. Robinson's statement
of I.B.S. A/c. This was purchased
under authority of Mr R. Ferrier
for temporary use. I thought
it best to forward you for
adjustment with the Dept.
as this is our last mail.

Encl

Yours sincerely
Jas J. Blackford

My typewriter is N.Y.

123-5-5



R

Industrial School, Brandon, Man.,
October 27th, 1922.

Gift

574350



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

Enclosed is a communication I have received
from Mr. J. T. Blackford, principal of the Boarding
School at Norway House.

This lumber had to be ordered and sent out
on the first boat and was purchased from the Wm. Robinson
Company whose lumber is right on the dock. No other
tender was asked for.

Yours sincerely,

J. Currier
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Schwabe
TH/20

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MP



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P. C. of C. New Minute No.....

P. C. of C. File No.....

THE PURCHASING COMMISSION OF CANADA

November 9th, 1922
Date

Department INDIAN AFFAIRS

File No. 123-5-5

F.D.....

P.C. No.....

C.D.....

S.R.....

SUBJECT:— Lumber, Cement, etc. - Indian Boarding
School, Norway House, Man.

Cost \$132.20

Report and other documents have been examined and found to be in order.
The following is suggested:—

Report received from the Indian
Agent.

Account of the Wm. Robinson Co.,
Limited, Selkirk, Man., noted for payment.

ED.

NOTED

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Lumber Dept. - 13

WM. ROBINSON COMPANY, Limited

DEALERS IN

Dry Goods Mens Furnishings, Groceries, Flour and Feed

Boots and Shoes, Crockery

LUMBER, LATH, SHINGLES, SASH, DOORS, WOOD AND BRICK

SELKIRK, Man., ~~Sept. 30~~ 1922

ACCOUNT No.

Letter Folio



SOLD TO The Indian Agent

Accounts due 7th of following month

Norway House Agency, Norway House.

Date	ARTICLES	Folio	Credit Amount	Debit Amount	TOTAL
Sept. 25	<u>Order No. 1.</u>				
	1x8 Fir Shiplap 6 - 16'	5000	33.00	14641	165.00 -
	50 Pcs 2x4-12 Fir	400	33.00		13.20 -
	1 Keg 2 1/2" Nails				5.90 -
	<u>Order No. 2.</u>				
	14 Pcs. 2x8-12	224	35.00		7.84 -
	24 " 2x8-16	512	36.00		18.43 -
	1 Keg 6" Wire Nails				5.60 -
					215.97 ✓

-----Two hundred and fifteen 97/100 dollars only.

-----Authority.

Letter 123-5-5.

Date Sept 15th, 1922.

Per Northern Fish Co.

Certified Correct.

Inspector of Indian Agencies

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WM. ROBINSON COMPANY, Limited

DEALERS IN

Dry Goods Mens Furnishings, Groceries, Flour and Feed

Boots and Shoes, Crockery

LUMBER, LATH, SHINGLES, SASH, DOORS, WOOD AND BRICK

SELKIRK, Man., October 31 1922

ACCOUNT No.

Letter Folio



SOLD TO Dept. Indian Affairs,

Accounts due 7th of following month

Winnipeg.

Date

ARTICLES

Folio

Credit
Amount

Debit
Amount

TOTAL

Oct 3 2 Doors 386"x 7'6"x 2

15068

25 00

Dated 15th Sept, 1922.

Shipped to

Indian Agent,

Norway House Agency,

Norway House.

Per Wolverine.

Material Supplied, Work Performed,
Prices Fair and Just

Certified correct.

Inspector of Indian Agencies

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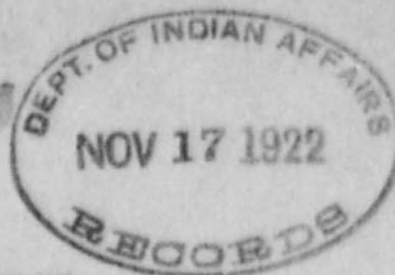
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Letter No.

Office of the



Indian Agency,



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Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers

2418) 215.97)
Nos. 2419) amounting to \$ 25.00) (Two
hundred and forty 97/100 dollars only. total)

in favour of Wm. Robinson Co. Ltd. Selkirk, Man.:-

for Lumber &c. for Norway House B. School and repairs
to crib for intake water pipe,

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 123-5-5..... dated Sept 15th, 1922.....

Your obedient servant,

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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LOCAL PURCHASE---ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders call	by letter	Due	Opened	by
19 Sept 1921	by phone	22 Sept 1922	22 Sept 1922	J. Johnston

ARTICLES	FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE	REMARKS
Sunds Noway No Agency W W Ho Boating School	Brown Rytherford W P Og	2 W Hooker See Kirk
Lumber & nails Alberations Crib water intake	240.00 240.97	265.36
Note Order placed with Wm Robinson & See Kirk as they could place shipment on boat leaving on the 126th Sept. best advantage		

NOTED

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved — tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

DATE 22 Sep 12
Signed *W. R. Thompson*
Dept. of *Indian Affairs*
City or town *Wpeeg* Province *Man*

NOTED
UNDERLINE TENDER AC
15-3604

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DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

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The Purchasing Commission of Canada.

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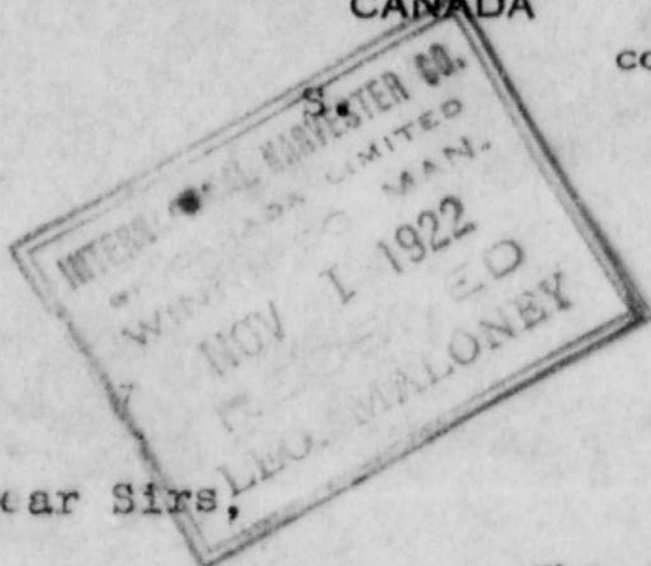
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
207/14 A.
NO.....
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
31st. Octr. 1922
REGINA, SASK.,.....



Dear Sirs,

The outstanding account of \$7.55 for freight charges in connection with the delivery of an engine to Norway House should be presented for payment by you to the Secretary of the Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

Yours truly,

W. M. Graham
W. M. GRAHAM
Indian Commissioner.

The International Harvester Co. of Canada, Ltd.,
782, Main Street,
Winnipeg, Man.

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STATEMENT

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.

574261



IN ACCOUNT WITH INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER COMPANY OF
Winnipeg, Man.

BRANCH HOUSE

DATE

19

Prepaid Freight on 1-10 H.P. Engine
from Winnipeg to Selkirk
Engine consigned to Norway House
and invoice # 2774

755 /

-----Seven 55/100 dollars only.

-----Authority.

Telegram D.C. Scott to J.R. Bunn,

21st August, 1922.

Certified Correct.

J.R. Bunn

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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Ltr Nov 21/22.

MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO THE ORDER OF THE COMPANY

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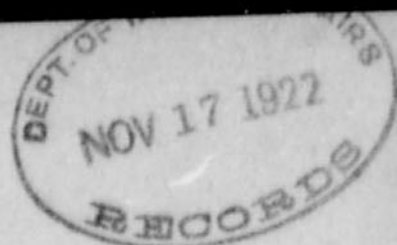
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Letter No.

Office of the



Indian Agency,



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Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 2420....., amounting to \$7.55 (Seven
55/100 dollars only.)

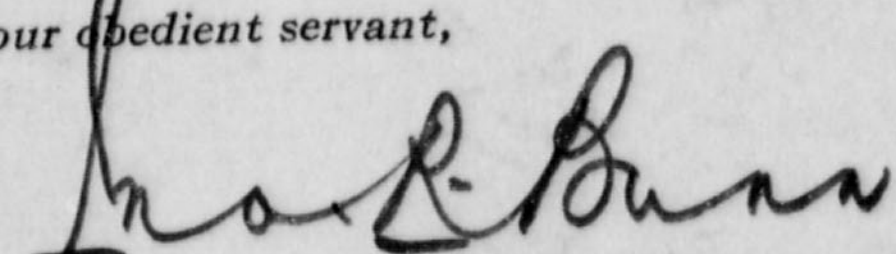
in favour of International Harvester Co., Winnipeg, Man.

for Prepaid on Gasoline Engine shipped for Norway
House Indian Boarding School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Telegram D.C. Scott to J.R. Bunn,

Letter No. dated 21st August, 1922....

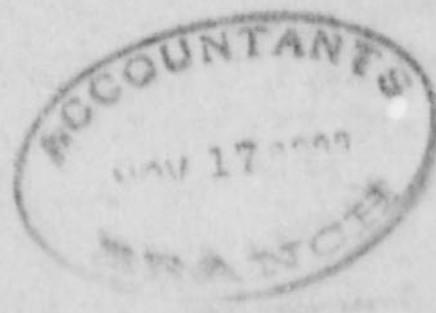
Your obedient servant,


Inspector of Indian Agencies.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.



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No. 7953

DUPLICATE, FOR DEPARTMENT.

Bank of Montreal,

*by
Casual Pecuniary
a.m.*

\$ 229.36

November 18th, 1922.

Ottawa,

T. Ferrier

RECEIVED from

Indian Funds

on account

the sum of Two hundred and twenty nine 36/100.....Dollars,
which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit
with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

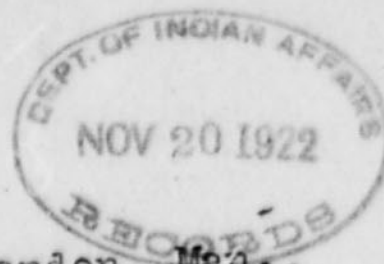
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Ent'd.

STW

Pro. Manager.

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Industrial School, Brandon, Man.,
November 14th, 1922.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.



574951

Dear Sir,-

Replying to yours of the 8th, No. 123-5-5 re the Wm. Robinson Company's account: My understanding of this transaction is as follows:

The Wm. Robinson Company shipped goods to Norway House for the Indian Department and the Methodist Church in the fall of 1921 amounting to a total of \$2,201.89. In November the Department sent a cheque for \$1,800.76 and I sent cheques from the funds of the Missionary Society amounting to \$727.09 making a total that the company received of \$2,527.85. This was \$325.96 too much and at the beginning of the New Year the company drew my attention to this fact and sent me a cheque for \$325.96 to correct their error. I then wrote the Department in March concerning the matter and deposited the cheque in the Imperial Bank to the credit of the Norway House Boarding School. Later on I asked the Department to allow this amount to be left to the credit of the school on the grounds that the greater bulk of the material purchased by the Methodist Church was used in the ware-house. The only interpretation I placed on the Department's letter of September 2nd, No. 123-5-5 was that the request had been granted.

In my judgment there are two ways in which this error could have been corrected. 1. By having the Wm. Robinson Company render account to the Department for material charged to the Methodist Church to the amount of \$229.36 with the understanding that the Department cheque of \$1800.76 included this amount. 2. By granting the Department's request in sending a cheque to the Receiver General for \$229.36 and charging it to the Norway House Boarding School Account.

As per the Department's request I herewith enclose the cheque. In doing so I wish to draw your attention to the fact that the Department has contributed nothing to the repair of the ware-house.

Yours sincerely,

J. Ferrell

TF/GD

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123-5-J
BANK RECEIPT No.

Amt.

\$ 229 ³⁶ Chq.

574951

Date 17th Nov. 1922

Entered Journal No. Folio

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Schools

Dept. Receipt No.

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Ottawa, Nov. 24, 1922.

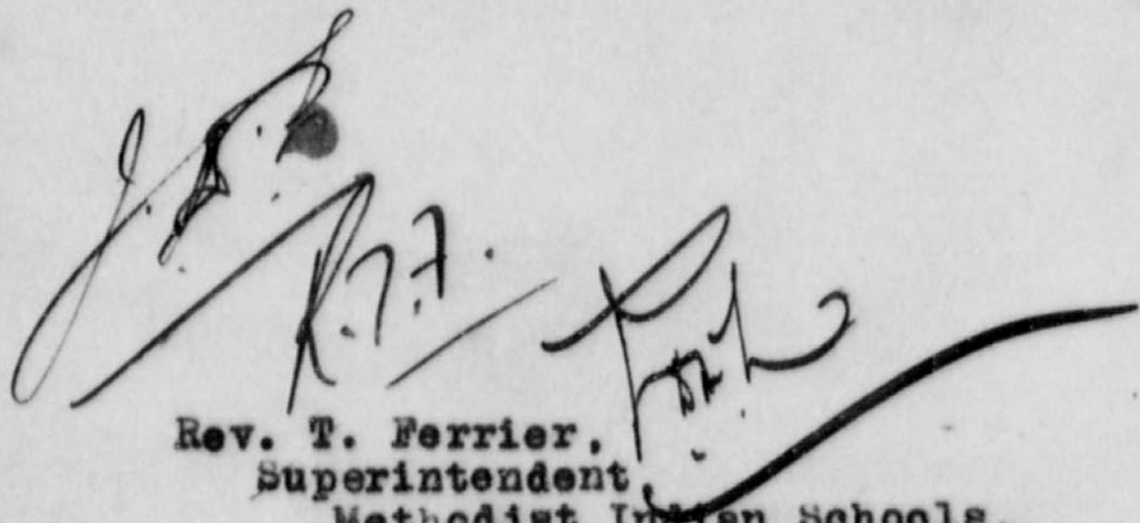
Reverend Sir:-

I have to acknowledge, with thanks, the receipt of your letter of the 14th instant, enclosing a cheque in favour of the Receiver General for \$229.36, being overpayment of the account of the William Robinson Company for goods shipped to Norway House in the fall of 1921. It is noted that by the return of this cheque the Department has not contributed anything to the repairs of the warehouse.

Your obedient servant,

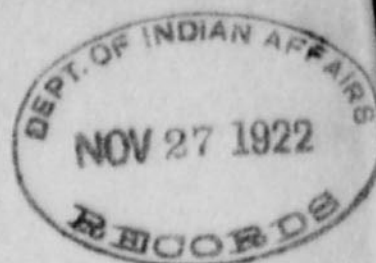
J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent
Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

Rev. C. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

123-5-5



Brandon, November 23rd, 1922.
Man.

R. J. J.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Noted for Est

575224

Dear Sir,-

The following will be required for the Norway House Boarding School for the year commencing April 1st, 1923:

To finish barn and equip the same	\$2,000
Material for general repairs	1,500

Yours sincerely,

T. Ferrier

TF/GD



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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE COMPANY

WOOD, VALLANCE LIMITED
REGINA, SASK.

WOOD, ALEXANDER & JAMES
HAMILTON & TORONTO

WOOD, VALLANCE & ADAMS LIMITED
CALGARY, ALTA.

WOOD, VALLANCE HARDWARE CO. LIMITED
NELSON, B.C.



Wood, Vallance Limited.
WHOLESALE
Iron & Hardware Merchants.

INVOICE NO.

60057
IF WRITING PLEASE QUOTE

Winnipeg, Sept. 11th 1922
Canada.

Sold to

Indian Boarding School
c/o Northern Fish Co
Selkirk Man.

2% 30 DAYS

NET 30 DAYS

EP

Norway House

1/2 Bbl. Raw Oil

.. 20 Gal.

1 15 N

23 00

Barrell

1 75 N

175

Voucher No. 448

Vote No. 7

Treaty No. 5

4002

~~Govt Tax 2 1/2% Net~~

REPORT NO. 147

MINUTE NO.

MATERIAL SUPPLIED
PRICES FAIR AND JUST.

W. Gordon
Indian Agent

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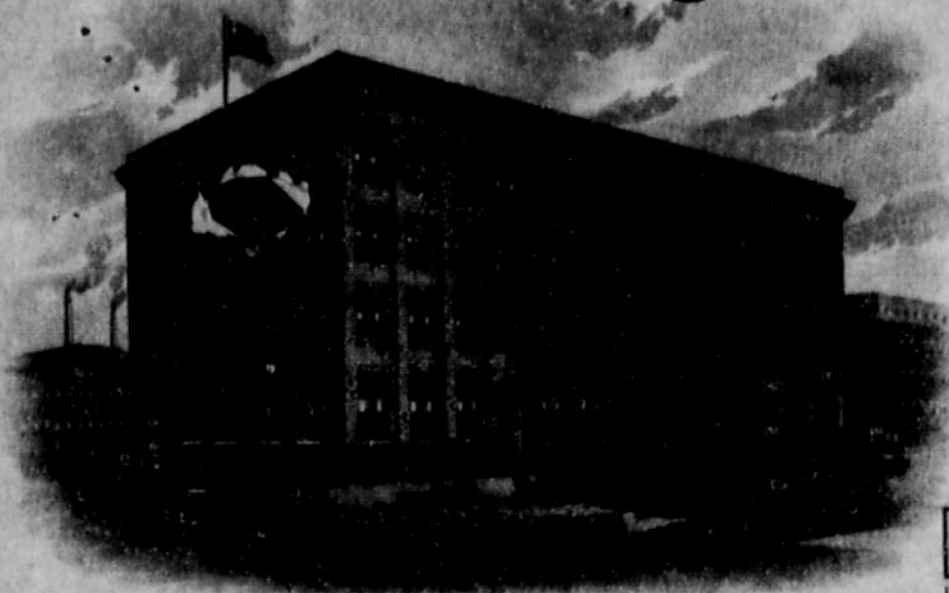
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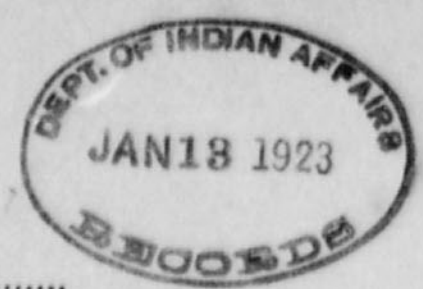
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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 1B
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Norway House.....

December 18th 19 22

Sir,—

I am enclosing herewith ~~the~~ Vouchers Nos. 447 & 448 in favor of Wood, Vallance Ltd. Winnipeg, for goods purchased by the Principal of Norway House Boarding School, authority for the purchase of which I understand, was given verbally to the Principal last August by the Superintendent of Indian Education.

O.K.
Total not to exceed \$75 is my memory the case R.T.P.

The shafting and couplings were to permit of the change position of a belt for driving some of the laundry machinery which belt ran across a doorway, and was unsafe. The pipes, elbows and wire were for the classroom.

As the School deals with Wood Vallance Lt. and ~~the~~ is allowed wholesale prices, the Principal did not secure competitive prices.

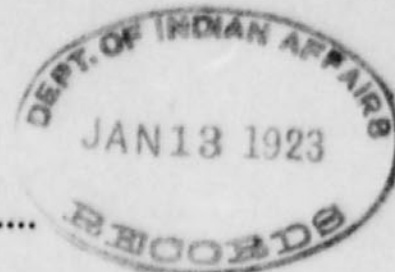
Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

Let pay

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

123-5-5
INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



Norway House

December 22nd 19 22

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 6A
ALSO 2
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

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Sir,—

In Sept. and Oct. last I received a shipment of lumber and building material which I understood was for the building of a new stable at Norway House Boarding School. I handed this over to the Principal of the School, as he had storage facilities and I had none.

I find that the Principal has a plan for the stable and instructions from the Rev. T. Ferrier, of Brandon, to proceed with the building, and to get at least the foundations in this fall. The foundations have been put in and part of the frame erected.

I may say that I have no objection to make to the building of the stable by the Principal, but would ask what my responsibility is in the matter. Naturally, as the Agent of the Indian Department here, I would expect to be responsible for the proper performance of work for which the Department pays, but since the plans and instructions have been sent to the Principal of the School, I presume he is to be held responsible, especially since I have received no intimation of any kind in this connection.

As to experience in building, I have in the past inspected considerable work for the Department, and think all such work has followed very closely the specifications laid down. If I am supposed to inspect this building, I would ask for a copy of the plans and specifications, also the conditions upon which it is being built.

Your obedient servant

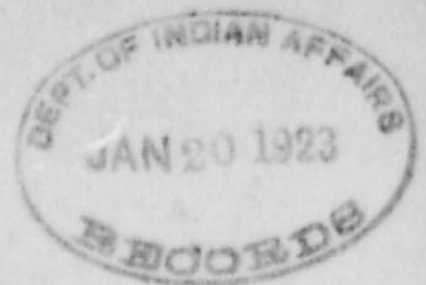
Wm. Gordon
Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

I think Mr. Gordon should arrange for any necessary labor in spring & should also requisition for any more material needed. An item is in the estimates in this connection.

123-5-5

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



.....Norway House.....

.....December...29th...19 22

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 6A

ALSO

TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

R. J. 7.
By
777945

Sir,—

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter No. 123-5-5 dated Oct. 10th, giving authority to move the building used as junior classroom for the Norway House Indian Boarding School to a location on the School property.

I may say that I quite agree with the desirability of moving this building, but the serious objections to sending children of the Boarding School to this building for classes because of its situation beside the day school building evidences a change of heart in the Boarding School authorities, since when I came here in June 1921, it was necessary to keep a check on the number of children who were pupils of the Boarding School and who were being sent to classes in the Day School, sometimes to the detriment of the Day School pupils from the Reserve.

I will endeavor to have the Principal prepare Vouchers in accordance with the Instructions of the Department, and will forward these in April next.

Your obedient Servant

Wm Gordon

Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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Ottawa, January 23, 1923.

Dear Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the 22nd ult., with reference to the building of a barn at the Norway House Indian Boarding School, I beg to say that the materials required for this barn were purchased last Fall on instructions from this Department, by Mr. Bunn, in order that they might be shipped to Norway House before navigation closed. This was done in order to have the materials available for the building of the barn early in the spring, before navigation opened.

No instructions were given to Mr. Ferrier or any one else for the erection of this building and the Department will not be responsible for the payment of labour which is undertaken without the authority of the Department.

It is the intention that the building be erected under your supervision, as early in the Spring as weather will permit, employing what labour is required and submitting regular time sheets covering the same, to the Department. If any additional material is required for this building, a requisition for same should be forwarded to the Department by you.

Your obedient servant,

(J. D. McLean)
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,

Norway House, - MAN.

W.A. Wood,
President.

J.C. Falls,
Vice Pres. & Gen. Mgr.

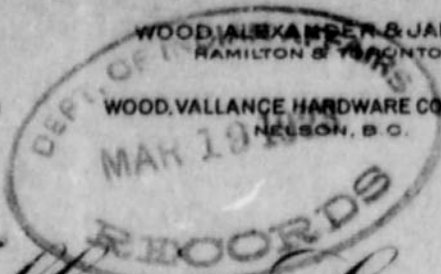
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Winnipeg, March 16, 1923.
Canada.

ADDRESS REPLY TO THE COMPANY
ATTENTION OF Accounting Dept.

580720

[Signature]
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:

On January 22nd last we received from you a remittance in the amount of \$70.07 in payment of one of your accounts. We have gone over your accounts in our ledger here but have been unable to find out just what items this amount covers. Will you please be good enough to look into this matter and advise us what items you wish paid.

Kindly let us hear from you at your earliest possible convenience, and oblige,

Yours truly,

WOOD, VALLANCE Limited.

N. J. LAWSON/LD.

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Ottawa, 20th March, 1923.

Sirs:-

Attention of Accounting Department

Referring to your letter of the 16th instant, I beg to state that the Department's cheque No. 4002 for \$70.07 is in payment of your invoices Nos. 20057 and 20070 for \$24.75 and \$45.32, respectively, for goods sold to the Indian Boarding School, Norway House, Man. on September 11th, 1922.

I may add that the items for Government Sales tax were not allowed as from the 24th May last, the sales tax does not apply on purchases made by the Federal Government.

Your obedient servant,

Messrs. Wood Vallance Ltd.,
Winnipeg, Man.

J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

123-5-5

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. ICA
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Norway House

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 12 1923
March 14th 1923

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Sir,—

The following material is necessary for the Norway House Boarding School for repairs and alterations to the boundaries of the grounds as per agreement, and for the Class room and main building.

- 200 rods 5 ft. 9 strand, dog proof fence wire.
- 2 wire gates, strong and 12 feet wide.
- 2 " " " 4 ft. wide.
- 1 keg 1 1/4" wire staples.
- 125 feet "Hardware Cloth" 36" wide, mesh 3x3 per lineal inch, for window protection.
- 20 desks for Junior School. For pupils from 7 yrs. to 12 yrs. Double desks.
- 1 Expenditure and Cash Book, for classifying expenditures, such as was in use a few years ago.

I would recommend that these be supplied. The alteration of the boundaries will require the moving of some fence, and the construction of new. The old wire can be used for mending the balance of the fence. A good heavy wire and strongly and closely woven is needed. The gates will be required for the new fence. Those now in use will be used in sub-dividing the grounds. The wire for the windows are to protect the windows of the basement of the main building. The cost of broken glass in these windows for one season would almost pay for the wire. The desks in the class room have been there for years, and are practically everyone used up. Double desks are required. If these could come forward by the first boat, it would expedite the work of fencing in the grounds.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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10-A.

Ottawa, April 13th, 1923.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th ultimo, requesting that a supply of wire fencing, gates, staples and hardware cloth, for window protection, be furnished for the use of the Norway House Indian Boarding School.

In reply I beg to say that Mr. Inspector Bunn, Winnipeg, is being authorized to purchase the above material and arrange to have it forwarded to you by the first boat leaving Selkirk this spring.

We will place an order here for the 20 double desks, and you will be informed later as to the name of the firm from whom we make the purchase.

A cash book of receipts and expenditures will be sent you for the use of the school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

123-5-5.



Ottawa, April 13th, 1923.

Sir:

I have to request that you will arrange for the purchase and shipment, to Wm. Gordon, Esq., Indian Agent, Norway House, Man., by the first boat leaving Selkirk, of the following equipment for the use of the Norway House Indian Boarding School:

200 rods 5', 9 strand, dog proof fence wire,
2 wire gates, strong and 12' wide,
2 " " " " 4' " ,
1 keg, 1 1/4" wire staples,
125 feet "Hardware Cloth", 36" wide, mesh 3x3 per lineal
inch, for window protection.

A good heavy wire, strong and closely woven, is needed. The "Hardware Cloth" is required to protect the windows in the basement of the main building. We hope that you can arrange for the forwarding of the above material by the first boat.

It will be necessary to obtain competitive prices, and the purchase should be made from the firm quoting the lowest price.

Properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, should be forwarded covering the expenditure incurred in the above purchases, to which should be attached a memorandum showing the names of the firms asked to quote and the prices quoted.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. R. Bunn, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Chambers of Commerce,
Winnipeg, Man.

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Ottawa, April 14th, 1923.

Gentlemen:

I have to request that you will be good enough to quote your lowest price, F.O.B. Selkirk, Man., for the delivery, in a knocked down condition, securely packed, of the following double desks, viz:

10 Double Separate Desks, for pupils 10-12 years,
10 " " " " " " 7-9 " .

Please also state how soon you could make shipment if the order is given for supplying the desks.

Yours very truly,


F. H. Paget,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.



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Every detail in the construction of the New Globe Automatic School Desk has been developed through the hard school of experience and is not an experiment.

We urge an examination of the desk itself. Study it. The more you know about it, the better you will like it. **See Next Page for Full Description.**

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DESCRIPTION OF HINGE

Read This Carefully--It is Important.

NO Chain is stronger than its weakest link. Also the life of a school desk cannot be greater than the life of the hinge. In the development of the New Globe Automatic our energy was directed toward the elimination of faults in the Hinge.

OUR SUCCESS IS COMPLETE

We sincerely believe that the Hinge in the New Automatic is the strongest Automatic Seat Hinge ever invented and comes nearer to being noiseless than any other now on the market.

Absolute noiselessness can only be secured by the use of rubber or leather buffers, or springs and when such parts are used it is only a question of time till they become worn or dislodged and must then be replaced or the desk is too noisy for further use.

Those who have had experience in getting repairs for school desks know how difficult, and unsatisfactory it is, and, therefore, **the desk that will wear the longest without needing repairs is the most valuable one to the school.**

There are fewer parts in the Hinge of the New Globe than are found in any other School Desk Hinge on the market. This alone reduces the possibility of its getting out of order.

It does not depend on bumpers or rubber, leather or other material, nor on springs of any kind for its noiseless action.

The steel balls used in the Hinge are one-half inch in diameter, being twice as large as those used by any other manufacturer, thus giving greater wear resisting qualities.

The balls in the Hinge of the New Globe ARE NOT held in position by means of springs, because when such is the case the spring will in time lose its tension allowing the balls to get out of their proper position, or drop out entirely.

In the Hinge of the New Globe the steel balls absorb all friction, there being no wearing contact of iron against iron. In every other so-called Ball Bearing Desk there is a wearing contact of iron against iron.

The accompanying illustration, Fig. 1, will give you a fairly accurate understanding of the great simplicity of the Hinge, and you will note that "A" is the Seat Arm; "B" shows a portion of the Desk Leg or Casting. When the Seat Arm is in its place, the Ball "P" fits into the socket "O." The Shoulder "R" on "A" moves in Groove "S" on "B" when the seat is raised or lowered. Ball "I" rests in Socket in "R" and runs along the inside of the Casting "B" at "S" between "J" and "K." The Casting grows gradually thicker as it nears the point "K," so that the Ball runs less easily as it reaches the end of its course. This brings the seat to a gradual stop without jar or noise. When the seat is lowered the ball rolls towards "J" where the casting is also thicker. The seat comes to a gradual stop in the same way and for the same reason as when it is raised.

The office of the Bolt "F" and the Cap "D" is merely to hold the parts together. The bolt passes through the Seat Arm "A" in Slot "G" and through Casting "B" at "H." The notch "E" Casting "D" is placed over the Lug "C" on "B" to prevent "D's" turning with the Seat Arm.

The Lugs "L," "M" and "N" prevent the Seat from raising or lowering beyond the proper position and also carry a part of the weight of the pupil, thus relieving the working parts of some of the strain.



Fig. 1

New Globe Adjustable Automatic Desks



REAR

DESK

FRONT

TABLE OF SIZES—ADJUSTABLE

DESK NUMBERS	1 or A	3 or B	5 or C
Size of Top	23½ x 16	20½ x 14	17½ x 12
Size of Book Box inside.	22 x 11	19 x 9½	16 x 8
Range of Desk Adjustment	26½ to 32¼	22½ to 27½	19½ to 24½
Range of Seat Adjustment.	13 to 18	11 to 15½	9 to 13
Floor Space	28 to 30	25 to 27	22 to 25
Ages Accommodated	10 up	6 to 11	4 to 7

Every part of our New Globe Automatic and New Globe Automatic Adjustable Desks is made of the very best material procurable of their respective kind. The construction is solid and durable. Woods finished in our special school desk hard oil varnish. Castings finished in black japan, thoroughly baked. Woods are of selected hardwood, kiln dried and seasoned, all joints are dovetailed and glued. Regularly finished rich cherry color or natural back and seat with cherry top.

When ordering specify Color wanted.

Our desks are easily and quickly put together, set up and adjusted.

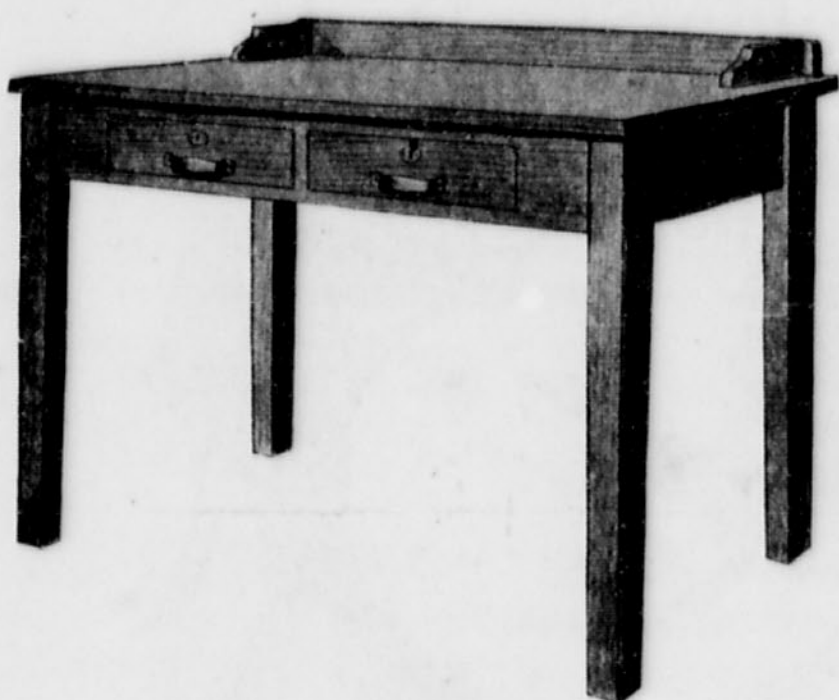
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Our method of fastening top, back and seat to the iron is one of the most important features of our desk. The iron and wood is fitted together, so that the two parts interlock the full length of the contact of wood and metal, thus giving a holding power not obtained in any other way.

TABLE OF SIZES—STATIONARY

DESK NUMBERS	1	2	3	4	5	6
Length of Single Desk	24	24	21	21	18	18
Length of Double Desk	40	40	38	38	36	36
Height of Seat from floor at highest point....	17½	16	14½	13½	12½	11
Width of Top of Desk	16	16	14	14	12	12
Height of Top from floor at highest point....	30	28½	26½	24½	23	21½
Floor Space	28 to 30	27 to 29	25 to 27	24 to 26	22 to 25	21 to 23
Age of Pupil Accommodated	Adults	16-20	12-18	9-14	6-10	5-8

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Waterloo, Ontario,
April 16, 1923.

Mr. F. H. Paget
F. H. Paget, Esq.,
Accountant and Purchasing Agent,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter No. 123-5-5. We will supply
ten #4 Double desks with entire seats, suitable for
pupils ten to twelve years and ten #5 Double Desks with
entire seats, suitable for pupils seven to nine years,
securely packed f.o.b. cars Selkirk, Man, shipped K.D.
for the sum of One Hundred and Sixty two dollars, (\$162.00),
the woods finished all cherry color.

Thanking you for your inquiry and hoping
to be entrusted with your esteemed order, we are,

Yours very truly,

THE GLOBE FURNITURE CO. LIMITED.

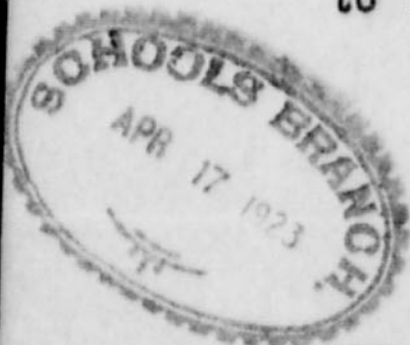
H. E. Thorne

Sales Dept.

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F. H. Paget,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario



Dear Sir:-

Re: Desks for Selkirk, Man.
Your file No. 123-5-5.

Replying to your letter of the 14th inst. we are pleased to quote you on our Paragon desks shipped knock down, F. O. B. Selkirk, Manitoba, as follows:

10 Double Separate Desks #4, for pupils 10 to 12 years, each \$10.80	108
10 Double Separate Desks #5, for pupils 7 to 9 years, each 10.30	103
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Shipment of these can be made immediately upon receipt of your order.

Trusting to be favored with your order with full shipping instructions, and assuring you of our best attention to it, we are,

Yours very truly,

MCKAY SCHOOL EQUIPMENT LIMITED.

J. H. McKay

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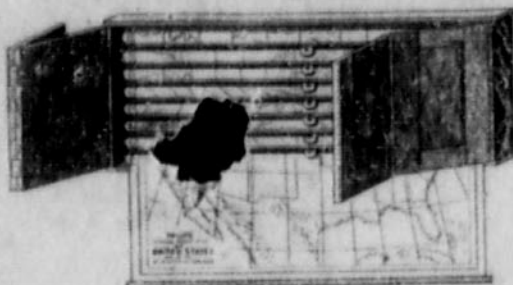
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Re. File #123-5-5/

Gentlemen:-

Answering your enquiry of the 14th, we are
pleased to quote you the following prices
F.O.B. Selkirk, Manitoba:-

10 Double Separate Desks #4 @ 12.50 ea	\$125.00
10 " " " #5 " 12.00 "	120.00
Less 10%	24.50

We have these in stock and can give your order
immediate attention.

Yours very truly,

E.N. MOYER COMPANY LIMITED.

Per

J. H. Ireland
Winnipeg Branch Manager

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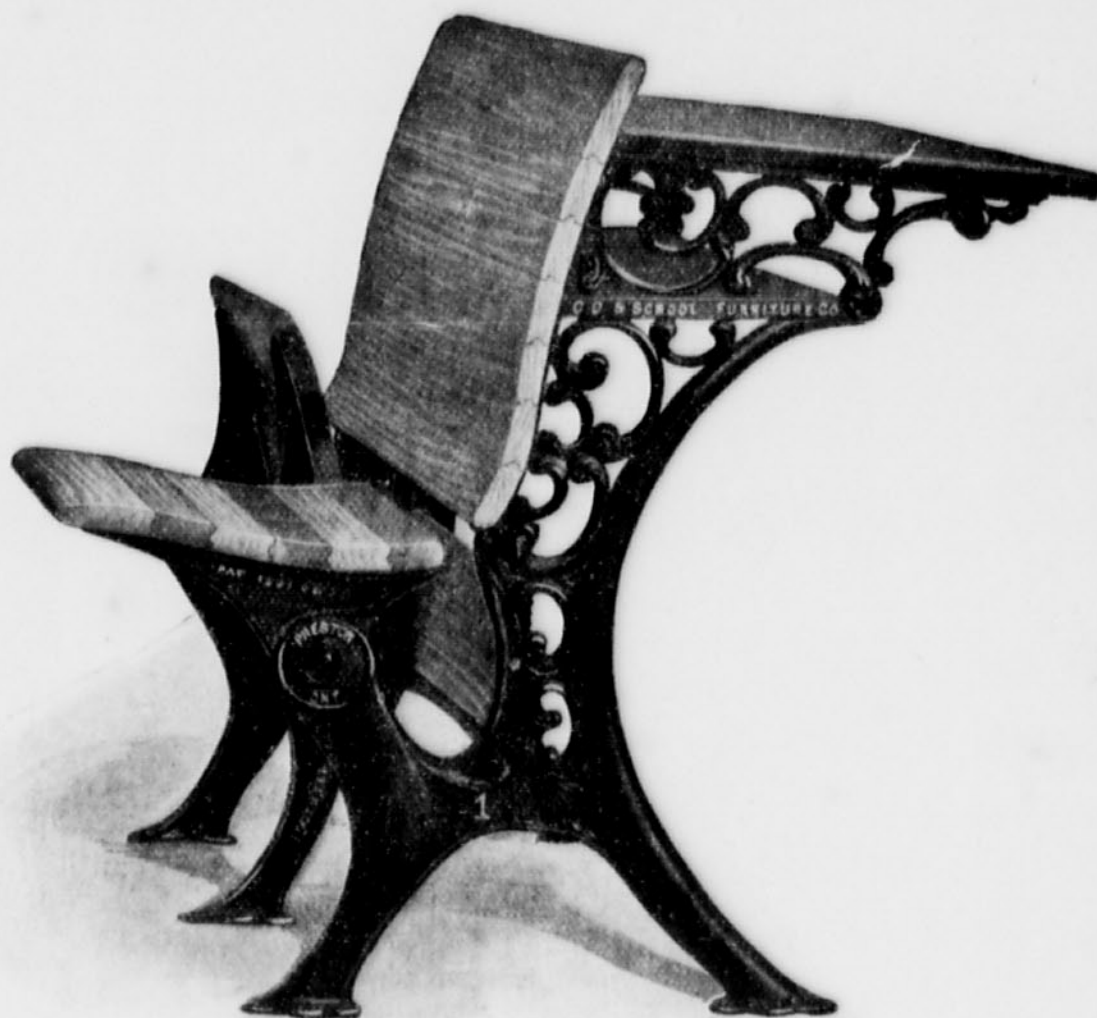
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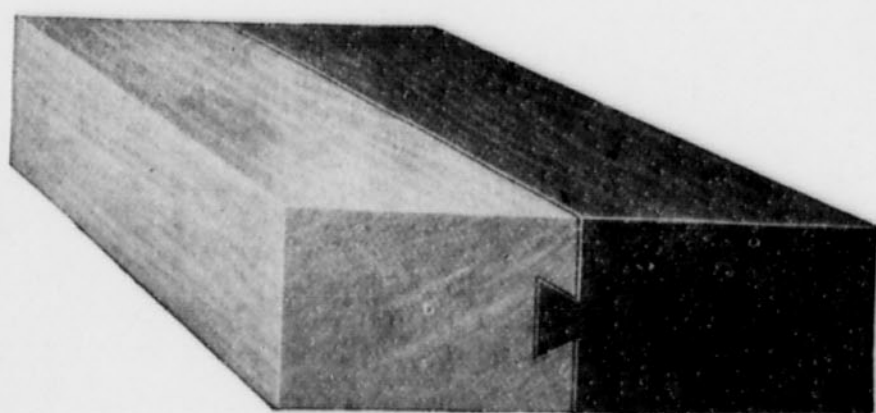
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Our arrangement virtually gives both occupants of a double desk a separate seat. Also more room with less floor space than any other desk made.

We also make a Double Desk with an Entire Seat which is less expensive.



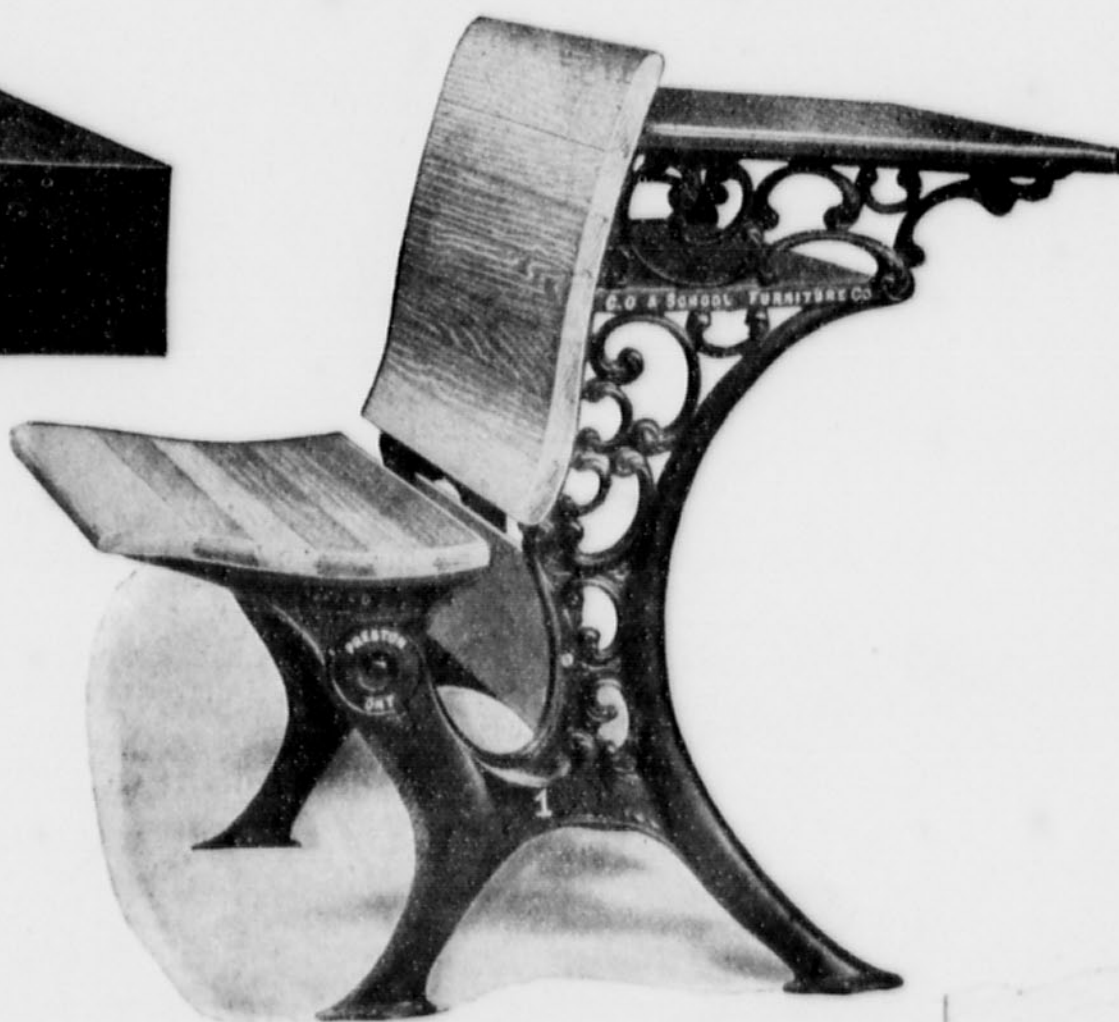
Automatic Double Desk with Separate Seats



Our New Desk Top Joint

THIS represents a section of the new joint we are now using on all of the backs, seats and tops of our desks. This is a new wedge dovetail joint—the best in the world.

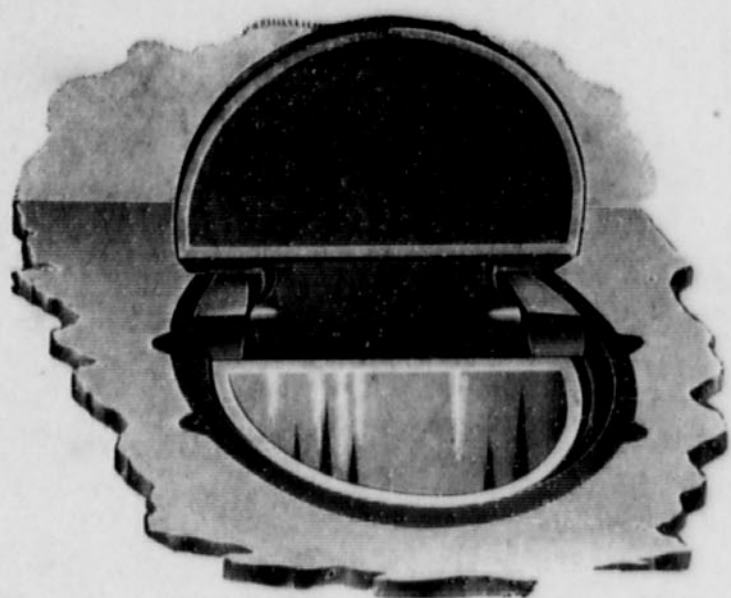
Guard against trouble with joints of tops opening up by purchasing our school desks.



Automatic Double Desk with Entire Seat

Sizes and Dimensions of the B. B. Automatic Desks

Single Seats and Desks								Double Seats and Desks							
	Size	Height of Seat Inches	Height of Lowest Part of Top Inches	Width of Top Inches	Length Inches	Floor Space Inches	Age Accommodated		Size	Height of Seats Inches	Height of Lowest Part of Top Inches	Width of Top Inches	Length Inches	Floor Space Inches	Age Accommodated
Nor'l & High Sch'l	1	17	28	16	24	30½	Adults	Normal & High Sch'l	1	17	28	16	40	30½	Adults
Jr. & Sr. 4th Book	2	16	27	16	24	30	15 to 18	Jr. and Sr. 4th Book	2	16	27	16	40	30	15 to 18
Jr. & Sr. 3rd Book	3	15	25¼	14	22	26½	12 to 16	Jr. and Sr. 3rd Book	3	15	25¼	14	38	26½	12 to 16
Jr. & Sr. 2nd Book	4	14	23½	14	22	26	9 to 14	Jr. and Sr. 2nd Book	4	14	23½	14	38	26	9 to 14
Jr. & Sr. 1st Book	5	12½	21½	12	20	25½	7 to 10	Jr. and Sr. 1st Book	5	12½	21½	12	36	25½	7 to 10
Primary.....	6	11½	20¼	12	20	23	5 to 8	Primary.....	6	11½	20¼	12	36	23	5 to 8



Flush Top Ink Wells

Supplied with All of Our Desks

NICKEL PLATED

OUR Ink Bottle is securely locked in place. It cannot be spilt by accidentally striking underneath, but bottle can be easily removed for cleaning. The cover is flush with the top of lid, and books, slates, etc., can be moved over the surface without noise or interruption.

The Shield

WHILE our desk is the strongest made, and needs no bracing, we decided to add strength where we knew it was required. The shield protects the seat in front from being marred or rubbed by the occupant of desk in rear. Boys cannot place a pin in their shoes and "electrify" the studious pupil in front, and neither can they fold the seat down when once up. The shield braces the desk laterally, supporting the castings where the leverage is the greatest when leaning against the side of the desk.

There is no uncertainty in dealing with us. Any banker will tell you all about us, and our responsibility makes our every promise good. When we say a thing is so—it IS so. If you are undecided, write us. If in need of anything in our line, examine our goods and get our prices.

THE selection of our furniture will save you lots of worry in the future. There is no guess work in the construction of our work. Every device offered by us has been thoroughly tested and tried. The highest grade of product is our goal. We aim to make each year's work more perfect than the preceding year's. Our price is no more than is charged by others for inferior work. Don't buy experiments or deal with experimental concerns. Be sure—and in dealing with us you are sure—that everything is right. Our name and reputation reaching around the world, is a guarantee that it is so. Ten is to one as we are to other concerns engaged in the school furniture business.

Our Furniture is the Standard of the World

THE
CANADIAN OFFICE & SCHOOL FURNITURE CO.
LIMITED
PRESTON, ONTARIO, CANADA

123-5-5
The Canadian Office & School Furniture Co.
LIMITED

CABLE CHARTERS
TELEGRAPH CODES
A.B.C. & TELETYPE
WESTERN UNION



Preston, Ont. April 19th, 1923.

[Signature]
Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

582194

No. 123-5-5.

Dear Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the
14th inst. we have pleasure in quoting you on school
desks, as follows:

10	No. 4 B. B. A. Double Sep. Desks	\$9.50 ea.
10	No. 5 B. B. A. " " "	8.90 "

4
95.00
89.00
184.00

shipped knocked down, one desk set up as sample, F.O.B.
cars Selkirk, Man.,

If favoured with your esteemed
order shipment could go forward in four or five days
after receipt of same.

Awaiting your further esteemed
commands, we are,

Yours very truly,

THE CANADIAN OFFICE AND
SCHOOL FURNITURE CO., LIMITED



[Signature]
Secretary-Treasurer.

GF/N



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April 25th, 1923.

MEMORANDUMPurchasing Commission
of Canada.

We require for the use of the Norway House Indian Boarding School 20 double desks with divided seats. Competitive prices have been asked for the supplying of these desks F.O.B. Selkirk, Man., the nearest railway station to the school. The firms quoting and the prices quoted are as follows:

Canadian Office & School Furniture Co. Ltd., Preston, Ont.		✓ \$184.00
E. N. Moyer Co. Ltd., Winnipeg, Man.	\$245 less 10% - \$24.50 Net Price -	220.50
McKay School Equipment Ltd., Toronto, Ont.		211.00
Globe Furniture Co. Ltd., Waterloo, Ont.		162.00.

The last named firm quoted on a double desk with entire seat. We find this type of desk unsatisfactory, and it is not what the Principal of the school asks be supplied, or the same as the desks at present in use in the school. I would, therefore, recommend that the order be placed with the Canadian Office & School Furniture Co. Ltd., Preston, they having quoted the lowest price for the type of desk required.

I shall be pleased to have your Minute authorizing purchase accordingly.

The quotations received are attached hereto.

J. H. Pugh
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.

P. C. of C. New Minute No.....

P. C. of C. File No.....

THE PURCHASING COMMISSION OF CANADA

25th April, 1923.
Date

Department.....INDIAN AFFAIRS.....File No.....

P.C. No.....

F.D.....

C.D.....

S.R.....

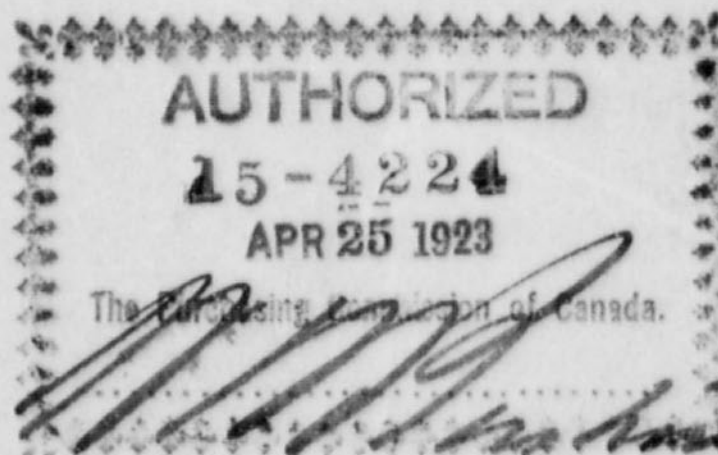
SUBJECT:— 20 Double Desks with Divided Seats — Norway

House, Man.

Cost \$ 184.00.....

Report and other documents have been examined and found to be in order.
The following is suggested:—

In accordance with the recommendation of the
Accountant and Purchasing Agent, authority is granted for
the acceptance of lowest tender, that of the Canadian Office &
School Furniture Co., Ltd., Preston, Ont., f.o.b. Selkirk, Man.



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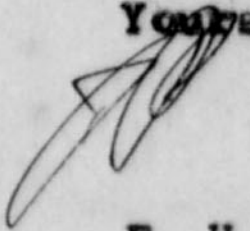
Ottawa, April 26th, 1923.

Gentlemen:

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th instant, quoting on the double desks required for delivery at Selkirk, Man.

In reply I beg to say that the desks required, in order that they will conform with the desks at present in the school, are double desks with divided seats. Your quotation was for double desks with entire seats, and has, therefore, not been accepted.

Yours truly,


F. H. Paget,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.


Globe Furniture Co. Ltd.,
Waterloo,
Ont.

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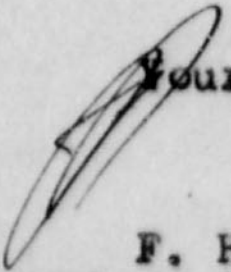
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Ottawa, April 26th, 1923.

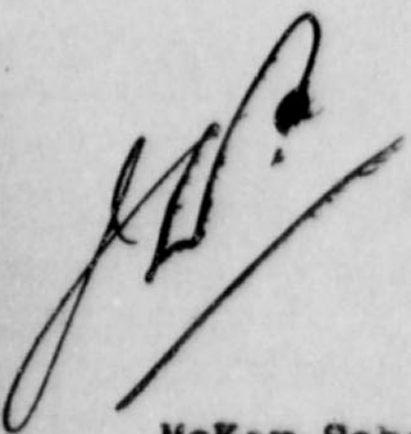
Gentlemen:

I have to acknowledge, with thanks,
the receipt of your letter of the 19th instant,
quoting on 20 double separate desks required for
delivery at Selkirk, Man.

In reply I beg to say that the price
quoted by you, not being the lowest received,
has not been accepted.

Yours truly,


F. H. Paget,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.


McKay School Equipment Limited,
265 Adelaide St. W.,
Toronto, Ont.

123-5-5.

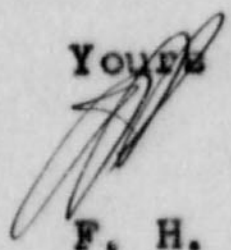
Ottawa, April 26th, 1923.

Gentlemen:

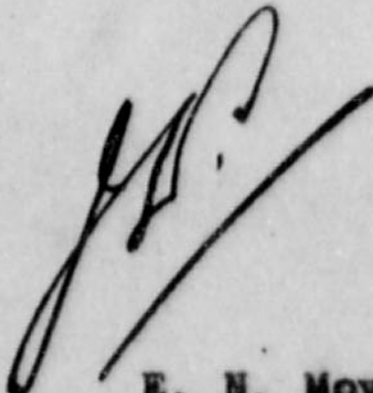
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the receipt of your letter of the 17th instant,
quoting on 20 double separate desks required
for delivery at Selkirk, Man.

In reply I beg to say that the price
quoted by you, not being the lowest received,
has not been accepted.

Yours truly,


F. H. Paget,

Accountant & Purchasing Agent.


E. N. Moyer Co. Ltd.,
Winnipeg, Man.

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Ottawa, April 26th, 1923.

Gentlemen:

I beg to inform you that the quotation submitted in your letter of the 19th instant, for the supplying of 20 double desks, with separate seats, for delivery at Selkirk, Man., has been accepted.

I have, therefore, to request that you will arrange to ship, addressed to J. T. Blackford, Esq., Principal, Indian Boarding School, Norway House, Man., c/o Northern Fish Co., Selkirk, Man., the following double desks, with separate seats, viz:

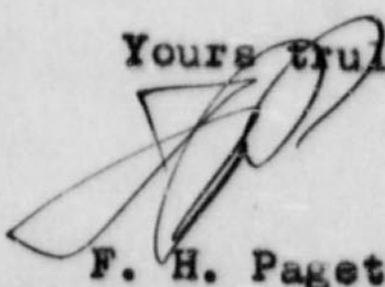
10 - #4 B.B.A. Double Separate Desks,
10 - #5 " " " "

These desks should be shipped in a knocked down condition, one desk set up as sample, and the price charged should be that quoted by you, viz: \$184.00 F.O.B. Selkirk, Man.

When shipment has been made, I shall be pleased if you will forward your account, in duplicate, to Wm. Gordon, Esq., Indian Agent, Norway House, Man., who is being informed of the order having been placed with you, and requested to certify your account when the desks arrive, if in good condition.

I shall be pleased to have an acknowledgment of this order and the date when shipment will be made.

Yours truly,


F. H. Paget,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.

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Canadian Office & School Furniture Co. Ltd.,
Preston, Ont.

123-5-5.

Ottawa, April 26th, 1923.

Gentlemen:

We are placing an order for the supplying of 20 double desks for the use of the Norway House Indian Boarding School. These desks will be shipped in your care to Selkirk, Man., and I shall be pleased if you will arrange to accept delivery and have them forwarded by an early boat to Norway House.

We will pay the cost of the freight charges, and you should hand your account, in duplicate, to Mr. Wm. Gordon, Indian Agent, Norway House, who will certify the same and send to the Department for payment.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. D. McLean
R. A. T.
[Signature]
Northern Fish Co. Ltd.,
Selkirk,
Man.

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123-5-5.

Ottawa, April 26th, 1923.

Sir:

Referring to official letter of the 13th instant, regarding the 20 double desks required for the use of the Norway House Indian Boarding School, I beg to inform you that an order is today being placed with the Canadian Office & School Furniture Co. Ltd., Preston, Ont., to ship, addressed to the Principal, c/o Northern Fish Co., Selkirk, Man., the following desks, viz:

10 - #4 Automatic Double Separate Desks,
10 - #5 " " " " " "

These desks will be shipped in a knocked down condition, one desk set up as a sample.

The above firm have been requested to make early shipment, and to forward their account, in duplicate, to you, which, upon arrival of the desks, if in good condition, you will be good enough to certify and send to the Department in order that payment can be made. The price quoted is \$184.00 F.O.B. Selkirk, Man.

We are requesting the Northern Fish Company to accept delivery at Selkirk, and to ship the desks to Norway House. This firm will forward their account to you covering the cost of the freight charges from Selkirk. You should certify the same and send it to the Department for payment.

It is hoped that, when the desks arrive, they will be satisfactory.

Your obedient servant,
J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

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Ottawa, April 27, 1923.

Sir:

I have to inform you that Rev. T. Ferrier, Superintendent of Methodist Indian Schools and Hospitals, has drawn to the Department's attention the unsatisfactory condition of the kitchen range at the Norway House Indian Boarding School. I shall be pleased to have a report and recommendation from you in this connection.

Mr. Inspector Bunn, of Winnipeg, purchased and shipped to Norway House some 42 spruce planks and a keg of nails, for the purpose of providing a protection for the intake pipe of the water supply at the edge of the lake. I have examined the files, and I regret to state that no instructions were sent to either you or the Rev. Principal in connection with this repair. I should be pleased if you would have this cribbing done during this coming summer and instruct the Principal to cover the ground and ice over the intake and piping near the lake with brush or other material, some time in the fall, so that the catch of snow will provide added protection.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. A.
Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House,
Man.



123-5-5.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

CANADA

April 27, 1923.

Memorandum.

Mr. Orr:

Will you please give instructions to Mr. Agent Gordon regarding the building of the Norway House barn. I believe all materials are on the ground and the work can be proceeded with at this time, under the supervision of our agent. Rev. T. Ferrier has requested that authority be given to enlarge the barn slightly so as to include the silo. He may have mentioned this to you when you met him in Toronto.

OK
R.H.
See letter of
Jan. 23 under
R.H.



R.T.

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CXB

Ottawa, April 28, 1923.

Sir:

I have to refer you to official communication of the 23rd of January, last, in which you were authorized to supervise the building of the Norway House barn. If the frames and rafters are not already fixed in place and it is possible to make a slight change in the plans, without trouble or expense, I should be pleased if you would enlarge the barn slightly so as to have the walls surround the silo. It is considered that this will give added warmth and stability to this portion of the barn.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

In on agree
B. J. J.

Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

CE APPARATUS
SCHOOL SUPPLIES
ATERIAL
BL. BOARDS
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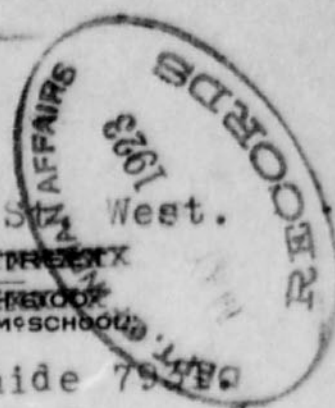
MCKAY SCHOOL EQUIPMENT LIMITED
TORONTO

265 Adelaide St. West.

765 YONGE STREET

PHONE NORTH 1000
CABLE ADDRESS "MCSCHOOL"

Phone - Adelaide 7978



Your File 123-5-5.

May 1, 1923.

582895

Mr. F. H. Paget,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:-

We have yours of the 26th to hand and would appreciate your giving us some information with reference to our prices which we quoted you on the 19th inst. for double separate desks for Selkirk.

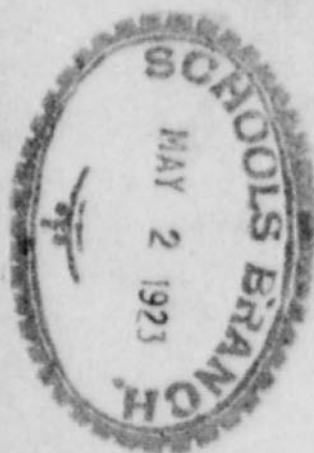
As we do not very often have occasion to quote on the double desks and we may have been wrong in quoting these ex our factory at Brockville, and in all probability could have allowed less for freight by quoting ex our western supply at Winnipeg.

We would very much appreciate your advising us what difference there was in the price of our desk and that of the successful tenderer.

Yours very truly,

MCKAY SCHOOL EQUIPMENT LIMITED.

JFB/MR.



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123-5-5.

Ottawa, May 1, 1923.

Gentlemen:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the first instant, regarding your quotation on the 20 double desks with divided seats, which this Department required for delivery at Selkirk, Man.

In reply I beg to say that the tenders received were submitted to the Purchasing Commission of Canada, and they authorized us to place the order with the Canadian Office & School Furniture Co. Ltd., Preston, Ont., who furnished the lowest quotation, viz.: \$184 f. o. b. Selkirk. Your quotation for supplying these desks was \$211.

Yours truly,

F. H. Paget,

Accountant & Purchasing Agent.

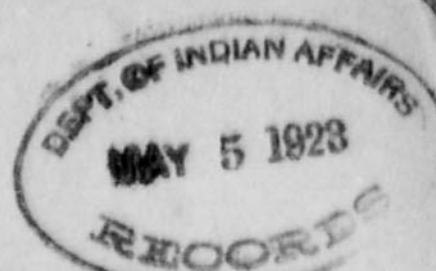
McKay School Equipment Limited,
265 Adelaide St. West,
Toronto, Ont.

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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

123-5-5



Brandon, May 1st, 1923.
Man.

Handwritten signature/initials

583084

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

I have received word from Mr. Blackford, Principal of the Norway House Boarding School stating that the water supply has given out. He mentions that the intake of the pipe has been broken off. This has probably been done by a tug. Inasmuch as the check valve was near the intake it is possible that this is the source of the trouble. I have been discussing the matter with Mr. Yates who put the pipe down. He would be quite willing to go to Norway House and see that the supply of water be again restored by the right connection. As he understands the situation thoroughly it might be well for the Department to have him go out this summer.

Yours sincerely,

T. Ferrier

TF/GD



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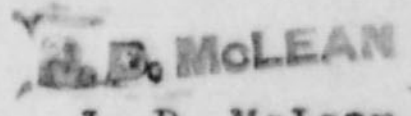
Ottawa, May 7, 1923.

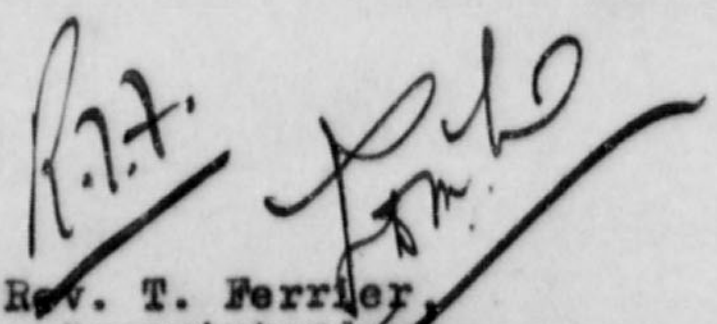
Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the first instant, informing the Department that the water supply at the Norway House Indian Boarding School has failed, and recommending the employment of Mr. Yates, the plumber of Brandon who installed the system.

In reply I beg to state that, when our agent's report has been received, you will be further advised.

Your obedient servant,


J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent,
Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

THE CANADIAN OFFICE & SCHOOL FURNITURE CO.

123-5-5

583156

ORD

Their Order No. ~~123-5-5~~

Terms NET

Date April 27th-1923

Sold To Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, Ontario.

Ship To J.T. Blackford, Esq., Principal, Indian Boarding School, Norway House, Man. % Northern Fish Co., Selkirk, Man.

Ship Via CP. Lake & Rail

When

Date Shipped

Remarks Invoice in duplicate to Wm. Gordon, Esq., Indian Agent, Norway House, Man.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	AMOUNT
10	No. 4 B.B.A. double separate desks	9.50	95.00
10	No. 5 " " " " " "	8.90	89.00
	K.D. 1 set up. f.o.b. Selkirk, Man.		184.00
	The above to have <u>ornamental castings.</u>		

Checked *ex*

Authority *✓*

THIS IS NOT AN INVOICE
This acknowledgment of your
order is an exact copy as we have
entered it. If not correct, kindly ad-
vise us at once.

VERY POOR
COPY

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123-5-5
Canadian Office & School Furniture Co.
LIMITED



Preston, Ont. May 10th-1923.

[Handwritten signature]
F. H. Paget, Esq.,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

583307

Dear Sir:

Re: Your Order No. 123-5-5 - 35926

We regret that it was apparently overlooked to advise you when acknowledging your order for school desks for delivery at Selkirk, Man., when shipment will be made. We are pleased to be able to advise that the school desks of this order will be shipped to-morrow, which we trust will be satisfactory.

Yours very truly,

THE CANADIAN OFFICE AND
SCHOOL FURNITURE CO., LIMITED.

AEA/H.



[Handwritten signature]
Order Clerk.

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Vote No. 7

Treaty No. 5

Department of Indian Affairs

To The Principal,

Norway House Boarding School
Norway House.

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
1923.		
June 11	To amount expended in moving of junior class room to inside of School grounds, and also engineer's house. Authority, Dept. letter No. 123-5-5, Oct. 10th, 1922. Aug. 25th, 1922. Paid Daniel Muswagon, see receipt	5.
Sept. 16,	" " Alfred Settee,	36.85
" "	" " John Monias	28.75
" "	" " Edward Wesley	78.75
" "	" " James Muswaggon	56.25
" 22	" " Peter Walker	59.75
" 27	" " Spence Poker	68.50
" "	" " James Hart	70.50
June 1 1923	" " Louis Bruyere	21.00
Sept. 30, 1922.	" " F.W. Hooker, material	89.15
TOTAL,		\$514. 50

It is understood that we now own this bldg. B.T.

INDIAN EDUCATION

sent June 19/23

1191

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Wm Gordon

Agent.

No. 461.

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Letter No. 123-5-5

Office of the Norway House Indian Agency,



June 11th 1923.

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Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 461, amounting to \$514.50

in favour of J. T. Blackford, Principal, N. H. I. B. S. Norway House
for Moving Junior Class Room and House, and repairs.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 123-5-5 dated Oct. 10th, 1922.

Your obedient servant,

Wm Gordon

Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

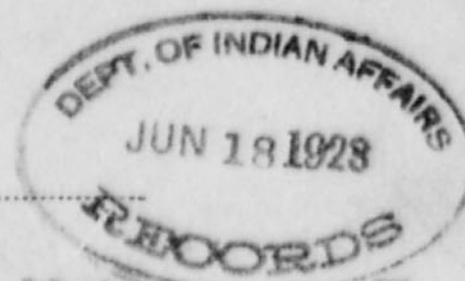


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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



Norway House

June 11th

1923

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 10A
ALSO
DATE OF THIS LETTER

585034

Sir,—

I regret to have to inform you that about the end of March last the water line to the School began giving considerable trouble. With much labor, as the ground was frozen so hard, we opened the line at the connection with the Hospital line. Here we found the main pipe broken. We patched it up, and cut off the Hospital line, as we thought the trouble might be there. However, very little water could be pumped. We then opened the line just outside of the school fence, and found another break in the line. These breaks were not caused by frost, as they were straight round the pipes. I presume that when the line was laid, the bottom of the trench was not levelled, and when the weight of earth settled on the pipe the pipes were broken across at different points.

We patched up this break, but could still get no water, although the water would force a good stream from the school to the intake. The pump is apparently all right, as it pumps from the reservoir against any pressure quite satisfactorily. Were the line frozen, the water and steam would not go down the pipe to the intake. For some time the water has pumped slowly, or sometimes in rushes, and almost always required a much longer time to get water than should have been necessary. I am of the opinion that there is something in the pipe which draws up against a connection or elbow, somewhere on the line, and stops the flow.

I would recommend that this whole line be taken up this summer, and the line straightened, so that instead of four elbows as we have now, one would be sufficient, and that a 45. I would then box the pipe for the whole distance, filling the pit at the elbow with non freezable material, and putting a union there so that the pipe could be disconnected and drawn if trouble occurred. By placing a cable in the box beside the pipe, fastened at intervals to the pipe, this could be done with blocks and cable in the basement of the school for the longer part of the trench.

The lumber required for boxing the line would be
4000 ft. of plank, 2" X 10"
2400 ft. " 2" X 6".
1 keg nails, 4"

It might be as cheap to secure new pipe as to excavate the old for the greater part of the length. There will be 1100 feet of pipe line to be boxed, and this quantity of pipe would be sufficient.

Donald McKay, the Agency teamster, and the Agency team have been busy practically every work day since April 23rd hauling water for the School. I have found it difficult to get the team to do work for the Agency. I have found it necessary to purchase extra feed for the team, and altogether it is expensive to provide water in this way. If a good ditching machine could be secured for a time, that might be the least expensive way of making the excavation.

The Asst. Deputy Secretary
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon. Indian Agent

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



Norway House

June 13th 1923

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Architect

585397

Sir,—

Referring to your letter No. 123-515 of April 28th last, re increasing the size of the stable at Norway House Boarding School so that the silo would be surrounded, would say that I received this letter only last mail, and as the walls and rafters were in place, and the roof sheeted, considerable trouble and expense would have been caused by such a change in the plans, with only the advantage of added warmth for the silo, but no additional stability for the building, since the addition would not be a part of the original frame.

I may say that the building is already two feet longer and two feet wider than the original plan. The silo was two feet larger than shown in the plan, and made the box stalls shown very small. The passage behind the horses was too narrow. Very little additional material will be required on this account, and the stable will be more satisfactory. In the next mail I hope to be able to forward a list of additional material required for the completion of this building.

The Secretary,
Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

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June 18th 19 23

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[Signature]
Sir,

Referring to your letter No.123-5-5, dated April 27th last, re the cooking range at the Norway House Indian Boarding School, would say that this range is pretty well beyond repair, and is not very safe. I would recommend that a new one be supplied, and somewhat larger. I would suggest an Army Range with three ovens and two fireboxes.

Re the intake pipe for the water system, this work was partially done last fall, but as the whole system will require taking up this summer, it will be as well to, have all done at the same time.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon

Wm. Gordon,
Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
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Office of the... Norway House... Indian Agency,

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June 25th..... 1923...

Sir,

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Letter No. 123-5-5-6..... dated..... April 26th., 1923.....

Your obedient servant,

Wm Gordon

Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, July 6th, 1923.

Sir:-

It has been reported by Mr. Gordon that the water supply pipe line at Norway House Indian Boarding School is out of commission.

Will you please get in touch by wireless, with Mr. Gordon, and advise me the exact nature of repairs required to put this pipe line in working condition. If necessary, the line should be excavated to ascertain the trouble.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
[Handwritten signature]

J.D. McLean,
 Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John R. Bunn Esq.,
 Inspector of Indian Agents,
 Indian Office,
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SEND the following message subject to the terms printed on the back hereof, which are hereby agreed to.

Ottawa, July 7, 1923.

REV. T. FERRIER,

BRANDON, MAN.

Department has ordered Norway House pipe excavated to ascertain nature of repairs required - (STOP) - Do not engage Mr. Yates.

J. D. McLEAN.

[Handwritten signature]
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SECY OF THE DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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OTTAWA ONT

I WOULD APPRECIATE REPLY IMMEDIATELY TO MY TELEGRAM RE MR
YATES GOING TO NORWAY ON MONDAY I WILL BE GOING ON THAT DATE
TO SPEND WEEK THERE

REV T FERRIER.

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Ottawa, July 9, 1923.

Dear Sir,-

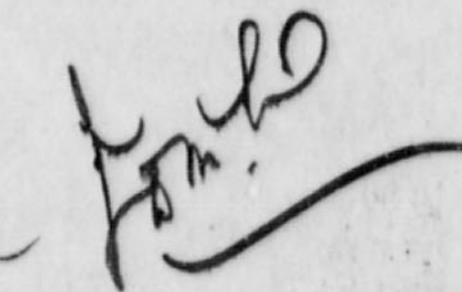
A new range is required for the Norway House Indian Boarding School , and I would ask you to be good enough to purchase same, after obtaining competitive prices, and have it shipped to the school. The range required is one similar to the Gurney-Oxford Army Range , with three ovens and two fire boxes.

Your obedient servant,



(J. D . MCLEAN)

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.



John R. Bunn, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,

Winnipeg - Man.

123-5-5

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Original in 123-5-1.



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By Ottawa, July 13, 1923.

Sir:

I have your No. 8 A of the 2nd instant, reporting generally on the Norway House Indian Boarding School. I have noted, with satisfaction, that you are in close touch with the activity at this institution at all times. The Department is pleased to note that the school is being well managed and is doing excellent work. You should make a special report on the repairs necessary to the foundation on the north side of the building. Indicate, if possible, what materials are needed and intimate whether or not expert labour would have to be engaged.

Your obedient servant,

(Signature)

A. S. Williams,
For Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

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Vote No. 7

Treaty No. 5

Department of Indian Affairs

To Wm. Gordon, Indian Agent

Norway House

Man.

DATE	CASH STATEMENT? ^{SERVICE.} Vote 7. June, 1923.	AMOUNT.
1923.		
June 1	Debit Balance 9.30	
	Cash received from Dept.	1200.00
	<u>EXPENDITURES.</u>	
	Note 7. Rec. 599. Refund J.T. Blackford, paid for work on stable 377.50	
	" 600, 609, 610, 620, 627, 630 431.00	
	631, 640	
	#Total expenditures and Debit Bal. 818.30	818.30
	Amount expended, June, \$808.50	
	Balance to be accounted for (stable) \$191.50	
	General 190.20	381.70
		<u>\$1200.00</u>
	Accounted for this Voucher	TOTAL, \$808. 50

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Wm Gordon

Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Norway House



July 2nd 1923

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

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Sir,—

I have the honor to enclose herewith Cash Statement No 481A, accounting for the expenditure of funds from Vote 7 for the month of June, in connection with the building of the stable at Norway House Boarding School.

In connection with Receipt No. 599, it was my intention to forward this to the Department for payment, but as the Financial Year of the School ended June 30th, and as I knew that the Principal would have no surplus funds, I paid this to him direct, so that he could balance his books. This receipt is supported by the receipts of the men working, and I trust will be satisfactory to the Department, as the work was done.

Since I paid this here, I find the the \$1000. received by me will not be sufficient to cover all of the labor, as the floor and stalls, etc. as well as some of the carpenter work is still to be done.

I would ask for an additional \$300. to cover this work.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon

Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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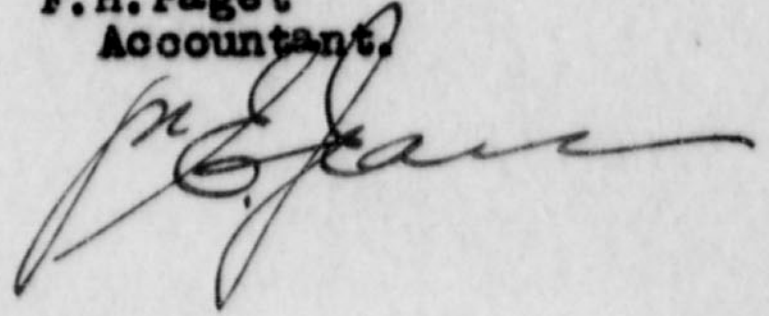
Dear Sir,-

I beg to enclose herewith Department's cheque for the sum of \$300.00 and would request you to forward this amount in \$5.00 bills to Mr. Wm. Gordon, Indian Agent, Norway House, Man.

Yours truly,



F.H. Paget
Accountant.



The Manager,
Bank of Montreal,
Winnipeg, Man.

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.10A..
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Please return this
Norway House
July 11th 1923

Dear Mr. Bunn, -

Re the School pipe line, the following is a copy of a letter which I sent to the Secretary June 11th. You will observe that I recommended an entirely new line, laid as nearly straight as possible and boxed. This, I think, is feasible, but if the decision is to repair the old line, the following would be required,
6 three inch galv. pipe, 1 doz. 3" pipe connections,
6 " " Unions, 3 only 2" unions.

"
" I regret to have to inform you that about the first of March last the water line to the school began giving considerable trouble. With much labor, as the ground was frozen so hard, we opened the line at the connection with the hospital line. Here we found the main pipe broken. We patched it up, and cut off the hospital line, as we thought the trouble might be there. However, very little water could be pumped. We then opened the line just outside of the school fence, and found another break in the line. These breaks were not caused by frost, as they were straight round the pipes. I presume that when the line was laid, the bottom of the trench was not levelled, and when the weight of earth settled on the pipe the pipes were broken across at different points.

We patched up this break, but could still get no water, although the water would force a good stream from the school to the intake. The pump is apparently all right, as it pumps from the reservoir against any pressure, quite satisfactorily. Were the line frozen, the water and steam would not go down the pipe to the intake. For some time the water has pumped slowly, or sometimes in rushes, and almost always required a much longer time to get water than should have been necessary. I am of the opinion that there is something in the pipe which draws up against a connection or elbow, somewhere on the line, and thus stops the flow.

I would recommend that this whole line be taken up this summer, and the line straightened, so that instead of four elbows as we now have, one would be sufficient, and that a 45. I would then box the pipe for the whole distance filling the pit at the elbow with non-freezable material, and putting a union there, so that the pipe could be disconnected and drawn if trouble occurred. By placing a cable in the box beside the pipe, fastened at intervals to the pipe, this could be done with blocks and cable in the basement of the school for the longer part of the trench.

The lumber required for boxing the line would be
4000 ft. plank, 2" X 10"
2400 " " 2 X 6
1 keg nails, 4"

It might be as cheap to secure new pipe as to excavate the old for the greater part of the length. 3" pipe. There would be 1100 ft. of pipe line to be boxed, and this quantity of pipe would be sufficient.

Donald McKay, the Agency teamster and the Agency team have been busy practically every work day since April 23rd hauling water for the school. I have found it difficult to get the team to do work for the Agency. I have found it necessary to purchase extra feed for the team, and altogether it is expensive to provide water in this way. If a good ditching machine could be secured for a time, that might be the least expensive way of making the excavation."

You have here then my opinion as expressed to the Department. To put in the new line as suggested would cost about \$1200. or perhaps a little more, depending upon what obstacles were encountered. To repair the old line makes the cost very problematical, but would be probably about \$500. The new line as suggested, should be a pretty permanent and trouble proof arrangement, the old line would be sure to give more or less trouble always, and is difficult to repair in winter, especially.

If it is the decision of the Department to repair the old line, I can get men to do the digging almost any time now as work is scarce. Of course little can be done until all material is on hand, as the ground here caves in very badly.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon

Indian Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

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Ref. No.
Re Letter 123-5-5.
Date 6th July, 1923.

Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
Inspector's Office

Winnipeg 17th July, 1923.

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.-

Sir,-

On receipt of your letter, number and date as given above, I sent the following wireless message:- (to Wm. Gordon)
"Give exact nature repairs required for pipe line.) Date 11th
"Ascertain by excavation the trouble if necessary.) July.

Owing to atmospheric disturbance the message was delayed and did not get through until the 12th. I asked for a reply on the 13th and was informed that the reply was un-readable, and that a letter was coming from Mr. Gordon. This accounts for the delay in communicating with you.

Yesterday the enclosed letter came to hand, and I am sending it for your information. I was on the St. Peter's Hay Lands all of the 16th, so could not reply sooner.

I judge from Mr. Gordon's letter that the pipe line must be in bad shape, and in my judgement it would appear that the best action to take to remedy the situation would be to replace the whole line, if this is done in a proper manner than the problem is solved, the line is all new and will hold together better and give better service.

Patching the old line would be too risky, the old portions left in would surely give trouble.

The materials required should be on the ground as soon as possible, so that the work would be done in better shape.

I have the honor to be,
your obedient servant,

W. R. Dunn
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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which are hereby agreed to.

Reverend T. Ferrier,
Principal, Indian Boarding School,
Brandon - Manitoba.

UNDERSTAND YOU ARE JUST RETURNING FROM NORWAY

HOUSE .-(STOP)- PLEASE WIRE YOUR RECOMMENDATION RE RENEWING
PIPE LINE OR REPAIRING EXISTING LINE.

A. F. MACKENZIE.

CHGE. D.I.A.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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Norway House

July 18th 1923

586686

Sir,—

With reference to the building of the stable at Norway House Indian Boarding School, the following material is necessary for the completion of the same,—

Stanchions, stalls and fixtures for 16 head of cattle,
10 water bowls and piping and connections for same, for cattle.

1 litter carrier,
110 feet of track for litter carrier,
2 quarter turns, for track,
1 switch. " "

1 hay fork, with carriage,
45 ft. track for same,
Brackets for same, to hang 36" below peak.

2200 ft. shiplap.
900 ft. 3/8 resawn boards,
5 rolls tar paper,
1 keg 2 1/2" nails.
1 keg 4" nails.

Provision should also be made for electric lighting in the barn, as a safety measure, and wiring within the building should be in conduit.

It would also be a considerable improvement were storm windows provided, and the ceiling covered with V joint. To do this would require 18 sash, of 4 lights, 8" x 10". Also 2000ft. V joint.

I would ask that this material be purchased and forwarded without delay, as the floor of the cattle barn should not be laid until the fixtures are in hand to place at the same time.

We are doubling the boarding on the inside of the walls as I considered that a single boarding of shiplap was of little use in this climate. The building is proceeding well, and will be a credit to the Institution, as well as a great convenience.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon.

Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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REPORTED BY INDIAN AGENT GORDON MY WRITTEN REPORT SHOULD
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Architect*

July 25, 1923.

MEMORANDUM.

Acting Superintendent General.

In connection with the Norway House Indian Boarding School, it is found necessary to re-lay the pipe line supplying water to this institution. The existing pipe line has been giving considerable trouble these last few years and has been patched up many times; it is at present, beyond repair.

It is proposed to lay the new pipe line boxed in, in order to provide against the extreme cold weather in the winter. The cost would be approximately \$1,200.00 and Indian labour will be employed under the supervision of the Indian Agent. I would ask your approval for this expenditure. *Funds are available for the*

purpose

(sd) J.D. McLean
Acting Deputy Superintendent
General.

123-5-5

Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

Superintendent
Attest



Brandon, July 23rd, 1928.
Man.

586750

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

While at Norway House last week, I looked over in company with your agent Mr. Gordon and the principal, Mr. Blackford, the situation which has arisen in connection with the water supply. I am of the opinion that any attempt to repair the present pipe might prove disappointing. Personally I believe the frost reached it at various points during last winter, inasmuch as one serious break is under the pathway where there is heavy tracking right at the front gate. It is to be noted that when this pipe was put in we had little hope of ever making it frost proof as the report of the Department's engineer from Portage la Prairie was that a large amount of blasting would have to be done to make a frost proof connection to any point at the lake. We followed what we believed to be a line as free as possible from rock in putting down the present piping, and consequently the line is not straight. I think Mr. Gordon's report on the best method to pursue is to put in a new connection rather than to try and repair the present one, and to make as straight a line as possible from the pump to the point where it has to turn to the lake. This is in the neighborhood of 1100 feet. He also proposes to box the pipe in a wooden case made of 2 inch plank I believe this will make a permanent job and will probably prove the only satisfactory solution of the problem.

This ought to be done with all possible speed as the season is very short in that north land. The supply of water ought to be on hand when the school opens after the summer vacation. There are some other repairs necessary to the furnace and the plumbing system and as Mr. Yates of Brandon understands the situation thoroughly I would like if it could be arranged for him to do the work.

Yours sincerely,

T. Ferrier

Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

123-5-5



Immediate
R.D.F.



Brandon, July 23rd, 1923.
Man.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

586752

Dear Sir,-

Before leaving Norway House, your agent, Mr. Gordon, showed me the letter he was sending to the Department regarding the material required to finish the barn, all of which I heartily endorse. The Beatty fixtures and especially the hay fork should be sent in at the earliest possible date. The hay fork should be on the boat sailing from Selkirk on the 30th of this month as Mr. Blackford is commencing haying to-day and will need the fork very badly in a week or ten days time.

I may say that a first-class job is being made of the barn, silo and stable. Your agent is to be congratulated on the excellent work he is having done.

Yours sincerely,

T. Ferrier

TF) GD

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Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, July 27, 1923.

J. R. Bunn,
Chambers of Commerce,
Winhipeg, Man.

Please purchase and place on Monday's boat for Norway House school
one hay fork with carriage forty-five feet track for same also
brackets to hang thirty-six inches below peak.

J. D. McLean

R. J. Bunn
Charge Ind. Dept.

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Ottawa, July 28, 1923.

Dear Sir,-

I beg to enclose herewith copy of a letter which has been received from Indian Agent Gordon with reference to the materials required in connection with the barn now being erected at Norway House School. I would ask you to kindly purchase the articles asked for by Mr. Gordon, and forward them to the school. Competitive prices should be obtained.

With reference to the hay fork, you have already been authorized to purchase this.

With reference to the electric lighting for the barn, you should communicate with the Indian Agent and ascertain the amount of materials required.

It is not thought advisable to provide V-joint sheeting on the ceiling as asked for in Mr. Gordon's letter. All of the other articles, however, may be purchased.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. Mackenzie
(A. F. MACKENZIE)
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John R. Bunn, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
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July 25, 1923.

MEMORANDUM.

Acting Superintendent General.

In connection with the Norway House Indian Boarding School, it is found necessary to re-lay the pipe line supplying water to this institution. The existing pipe line has been giving considerable trouble these last few years and has been patched up many times; it is at present, beyond repair.

It is proposed to lay the new pipe line boxed in, in order to provide against the extreme cold weather in the winter. The cost would be approximately \$1,200.00 and Indian labour will be employed under the supervision of the Indian Agent. I would ask your approval for this expenditure. *Funds are available for the purpose*

*O.K.
9/6*

Acting Deputy Superintendent
General.

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HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO, ONT.

GEO. D. PERRY, VICE-PRES'T AND GENERAL MANAGER

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COUNTER NO.

TIME FILED

CHECK

Ottawa, August 2, 1923.

John R. Bunn, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg, Man.

Authorized to lay new pipe line Norway House School,
same to be boxed in as recommended by Agent.

A. F. McKenzie,
Acting A. D. and S.

Chg. Indian Affairs

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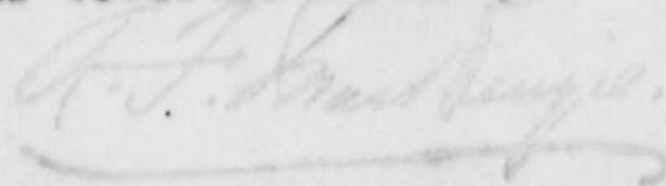
Ottawa, August 3, 1923.

Sir,-

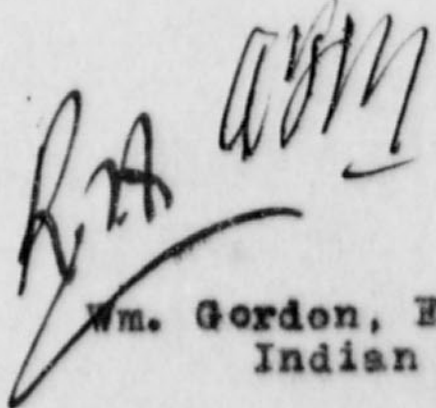
I have your letter No. 6A of the 18th ultimo with reference to the materials necessary for the completion of the Norway House Indian Boarding School barn.

I have to inform you that Mr. Inspector Bunn has been authorized to purchase these materials and ship them to Norway House without delay. Our Winnipeg Office has also been authorized to lay a new pipe line for the water system, properly boxed in as recommended by yourself.

Your obedient servant,



A.F. MacKenzie
Actg. Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

Ottawa, August 3, 1923.

Rev. Sir,-

I have your letter of the 23rd ult., in which you urge that Beatty fixtures and hay fork should be sent to the Norway House Indian Boarding School at earliest possible date.

I have to inform you that on the 27th ultimo Mr. Inspector Bunn was instructed by telegram to have the hay fork with carriage and track complete on the boat leaving Selkirk on the 30th ultimo. Instructions have also been directed to our Inspector to purchase the stall and litter carrier equipment, the sniplay and other lumber required, and the materials necessary for the electric wiring in the barn.

I have also your letter of the 23rd ultimo with reference to the pipe line for the water system at the above mentioned school. Mr. Inspector Bunn was authorized by telegram of yesterday's date to arrange for the installation of a new pipe line which was to be properly boxed in as recommended by Mr. Indian Agent Gordon. Your telegram of the 24th ultim in this connection was also received.

Your obedient servant,

(over)
A. F. MacKenzie
Actg. Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent,
Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

LOCAL PURCHASE---ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called	16 May	1923	by	letter	Due	22 May	1923	Opened	23 May	1923	by	J. R. Burns
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UNDEBILINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW/ TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
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Signed L. B. Wilson
Dept. of Indian Affairs
City or town Wipeg Province Man
DATE 25 May '22

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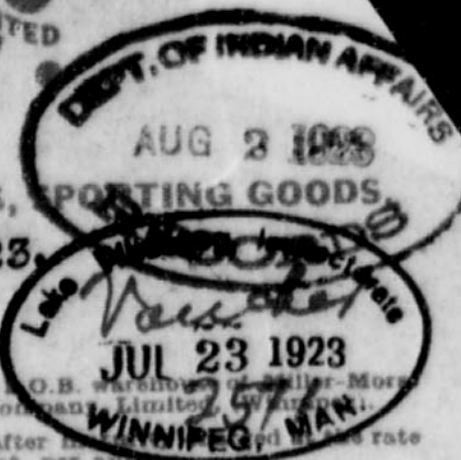
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Ship To.- Indian Agent,
Norway Agency,
Norway House, Man.

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Authority.

Letter 123-5-5.

15th April, 1923.

Material supplied, work performed
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Inspector of Indian Agencies

Norway House Boarding School

INDIAN EDUCATION

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sent Aug. 8/23

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ATTENTION OF

Department of Indian Affairs,

Dominion Government - OTTAWA, Can.

Gentlemen:-

We are glad to advise we have now secured refund from the Department of Customs & Excise of our claim in your behalf amounting to \$8.71 for sales tax paid by you improperly.

This has been placed to your credit and will appear in your July statement.

Yours truly,

L. Hallman.

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School, Norway House, Manitoba. 1923

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3 ----- Gemmed bowls , makers Johnson Bros. Hanley Ltd.
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1 ----- Water Column, length 15 1/2 inches, dia. -outside- 3 1/2
takes @ 1 1/4 inch pipe each end. for Schwap
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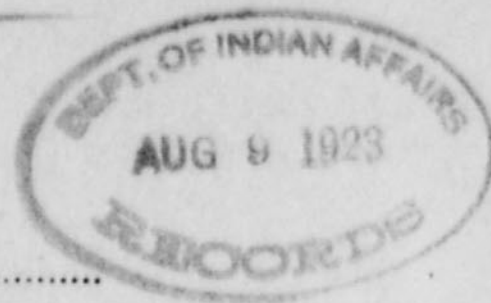
12 ---- 10 X 10

James L. Blackford
Principal

Principal

123-5-5

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



....Norway House.....

.....July 30th.....1923

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 10
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

587285

Sir,—

I have the honor to enclose herewith Requisitions from the Norway House Boarding School for School supplies, all of which I recommend.

I also enclose a requisition for items in connection with the building, and equipment, all of which are necessary. The door checks required are for doors entering on the boys' playroom and the basement. These are very heavy doors and on the windy side of the building, and require very heavy checks.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

123-8-5



Brandon, August 7th, 1923.
Man.

The Secretary of the Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

587293

Dear Sir:

When I was at Norway House there were a couple of matters to which my attention was drawn.

OK.
One was the condition of the drain leading from the septic tank to where it flows into the Lake. It is blocked up, and will need to be opened and the obstruction removed. The septic tank has been there nine years, and has never been cleaned since it was put in. It would be advisable to have it cleaned.

No funds available
The other matter was the cementing of the stable floor. Mr. Blackford is removing the old stable, and putting up a new structure out of the old material, to be used as a hog pen. He will need about 25 barrels of cement. Would the Department kindly authorize these repairs and the necessary expenditure.

Yours sincerely,

T. Ferrier

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Rev. T. Favier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

123-5-5



Brandon, August 7th, 1923.



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The Secretary of the Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa; Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Replying to yours of August 3rd, #123-5-5.

The arrangement the Department has made is very satisfactory. When passing through Winnipeg on my way from Norway House I called on Mr. Bunn and discussed all these matters with him. I also requested that Mr. Yates of Brandon be engaged to carry out the work. I would be pleased if this could be sanctioned by the Department. Mr. Yates is quite familiar with the plumbing and furnaces, and the entire pipe line. I feel sure he will do the work as well as any man that could be sent. The fact that his work gave satisfaction for four years is proof sufficient that the break in the pipe was not due to any fault in the workmanship.

As time is an element in this, an early decision is desirable.

Yours sincerely,

T. Favier

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Ottawa, August 13, 1923.

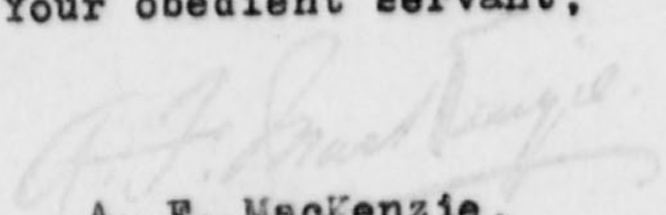
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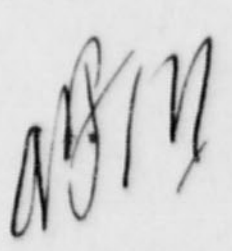
I have your No. 10 A of the 30th ultimo, enclosing a requisition for certain equipment, required at the Norway House Indian Boarding School.

In reply I beg to state that authority cannot be given for the three door checks nor for the window glass. The last mentioned material should be purchased from per capita grant. You are authorized to arrange for the purchase of 3 closet bowls, 1 water column, 2 sets of furnace grates, 4 sheets of galvanized iron and 1 roll of asbestos paper, as mentioned in the enclosure with your letter.

Rev. T. Ferrier, of Brandon, has brought to our attention the desirability of cleaning the septic tank and removing the obstruction in the drain leading to the lake. You are authorized to have the drain opened up, the obstruction removed and the septic tank cleaned. Proper time sheets should be kept in connection with the labour employed.

Your obedient servant,


A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

 
Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House,
Man.

Ottawa, August 13, 1923.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 7th instant, in which you intimate that you have discussed with Mr. Inspector Bunn the laying of a new pipe line for the water supply at the Norway House Indian Boarding School.

As you were informed in official communication of the 3rd instant, Mr. Inspector Bunn was authorized, by telegram, to arrange for the installation of a new pipe line. It is considered by the Department that this work can be satisfactorily done by local labour, under the supervision of Mr. Indian Agent Gordon. If you are of the opinion that Mr. Inspector Bunn has not already taken action, in accordance with the Department's intention, you would do well to communicate with him without delay, for the purpose of advising him that it is not our wish to engage and send to Norway House a plumber for this purpose.

I have also your letter of the 7th instant, with reference to the condition of the septic tank and the drain at the Norway House Indian Boarding School. I have to inform you that Mr. Indian Agent Gordon has been instructed to open the drain, remove the obstruction and clean the septic tank. This will be done by day labour, under the supervision of our agent. With reference to the supplying of 25 bbls. of cement for the floor of the hog pen, I regret to inform you that this cannot be authorized at the present time. The funds at the disposal of the Department, for repairs to the Norway House Indian Boarding School, have already been assigned.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent,
Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

LOCAL PURCHASE---ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called July 27 1923 by letter July 27 1923 by J.R. Bunn
 opened July 27 1923 by J.R. Bunn

ARTICLES		FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE		REMARKS
Where for				
New House School	Gilson Bros	Realty Bros	Alberta Dairy Supplies	
Indian School	115.94	80.75	(87.50)	
Way Carrier				
Outfit.				
Note - The order was placed with Alberta Dairy Supplies				
The things were much better value.				
The track I would judge also better.				
2610				

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DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
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Signed J.R. Bunn
 Dept. of Indian Affairs
 City or town Wipeg Province Man
 DATE 27 July 1923

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TELEPHONE N-9943

YOUR ORDER Mr. Pounn
July 27/23.

EDMONTON, ALTA.,
July 27th 1923.

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1		1	LR Hitch.		
1		1	Bracket Pulley Pulley-Holder.		
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Indian Agency,

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Sir,

ACCOUNTANT
AUG 13 1923
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I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 2610.....; amounting to \$87.50 (Eighty seven 50/100 dollars only.)

in favour of Alberta Dairy Supplies, Ltd., Winnipeg, Man.

for Hay Carrier Outfit for Norway House School Barn.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Telegram J.D. McLean
Letter No.....dated 27 July, 1923.

Your obedient servant,

ack
pm
JP
W.D. Bunn

Inspector of Indian Agencies

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ref. No.

Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
Inspector's Office

*Immediate
action*

Winnipeg 25th August, 1923.

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.-

Sir,-

I have just received the following wireless message from
Mr. Agent William Gordon of Norway House Agency:-

"If we to put in pipe line by day labor, send 10 spades and
"ten shovels and ninehundred dollars. Also 200 feet 3/8" pump
"rod"

To save time I have purchased the shovels and spades and
have sent them forward. Please confirm my action.

I have also secured the "pump rod", and sent it on.

Please wire me \$900.00 (nine hundred dollars) accountable
cash for Mr. Agent Gordon, this will be to pay wages of the men
employed in doing this work.

All the piping for the pipe line, lumber for casing pipe
pine, unions and connections and check valve and spikes have
been sent forward, so that the materials for the work are on the
ground. When the spades and shovels reach Norway House, which
will be by the boat leaving on Monday the 27th, the work will go
ahead actively.

Your obedient servant

M. R. Burns

Inspector of Indian Agencies.



*Let 26
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123-5-5

Ottawa, August 28th., 1923.

Dear Sir,-

I enclose cheque for \$900.00 and would ask you to
kindly wire this amount to the credit of J.R.Bunn with your
branch at Winnipeg.

I enclose blank telegraph form franked.

Yours truly,

F.H. Paget
Accountant.

The Accountant,
Bank of Montreal,
Ottawa.

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LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called 7 Aug 1923 by letter Due 8 Aug 1923 by phone Opened 9 Aug 1923 by J. R. Bann

ARTICLES and where for	FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE			REMARKS
	<u>W. H. Wallace Co.</u>	<u>Marshall Wallace Co.</u>	<u>Miller & Morse</u>	
New water supply Pipe Line Norway House Agency School				
G. W. Drop Pipe Nails Uncons Campings Check Value	713.66	782.80	695.55	
Note—Order placed with Miller & Morse marked O				

UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed Ind. R. Bann
Dept. of Indian Affairs
City or town Winnipeg Province Man.

DATE 10 Aug 1923

LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

renders called	1923	by	letter	Due	1923	Opened	1923	by
7 Aug	3			8 Aug	3	9 Aug	3	J. P. Bunn

FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE

ARTICLES

REMARKS

Middlemore
Ware Co

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Wood
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J. W. Baldwin
H. W. A. C.

and where for ARTICLES

New water supply
Pipe Line
Norway House
Name
Agency School
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Nails.

Note - order placed with Miller Morse & Warrick
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Signed John D. Munin
Dept. of Indian Affairs
City or town Winning Province Manu

DATE 10 Aug 13

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1 -	Onlt Bble Black	46x10	5.80	5.80 -
1 -	Only 3gle "	45x10	3.50	3.50 -
1 -	Pc. Hvy. Leather for Oars. 2'	sqr 3½	2.25	2.25 -
3 -	Tins Canoe Glue		.35	1.05 -
1 -	Lb. Copper Clout Nails	1/2	.50	.50 -
1 -	Lb. " " "	3/4	.48	.48 -
1 -	Lb. " " "	1	.46	.46 -
1/2 -	Doz. 6 oz Cut Tacks		.35	.18 -
1/2 -	Doz. 8 oz " "		.65	.33 -
				41.27 ✓

----Forty one 27/100 dollars only.

Ship. Via C.P.R. Prepaid to
Selkirk, Man.C/O Northern Fish Co.,
Mark for Norway House.Material supplied, work performed
prices fair and just.

Certified Correct.

----Authority.

Letter 123-1-5.
4 April, 1923.

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Norway House Boarding School

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LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called 16 May 1923 by letter Due 22 May 1923 by phone 1923 by J. A. Gunn

ARTICLES	FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE		REMARKS
	1	2	
where for	Haselwood Hawes Co	Marshall Wells	
Norway House Agency	444.98	42.99	
Ref to Adanac	437.98	55.53	
Note Order placed with Miller-Morse Hardware Co			
Marked O			

UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed J. A. Gunn
Dept. of Indian Affairs
City or town Wipeg Province Man
DATE May 28/23

LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called *27 Aug 1923* by *letter* Due *27 Aug 1923* Opened *27 Aug 1923* by *J. R. Bannan*

ARTICLES	FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE		REMARKS
	<i>Washdown</i>	<i>Miller-Morse</i>	
<i>Laundry for</i>	<i>Washdown</i>	<i>Miller-Morse</i>	
	<i>Washdown</i>	<i>Washdown</i>	
<i>Tools for excavation</i>			
<i>Pipe line water</i>			
<i>Supply New House</i>			
<i>Spades</i>	<i>net 14.10</i>	<i>14.10 - 600 50%</i>	
<i>Shovels</i>	<i>net 14.10</i>	<i>14.10 - 75%</i>	
<i>200 ft Pump Riser</i>	<i>850 per 100 ft</i>	<i>850 - 1000 50%</i>	
<i>Take Order placed with Miller-Morse Hardware Co</i>			
<i>marked O</i>			

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Signed *W. R. Bannan*
Dept. of *Indian Affairs*
City or town *W. Reg.* Province *Man.*

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(18-2-23-47504)

FREIGHT BILL - PREPAID

MILLER MORSE CO

WINNIPEG, MAN.

AUG 23

To the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY Co. Dr. for Transporting the undermentioned Freight billed To

Date AUG 9

Waybill No. 155922

Shipping Bill No. 37803

Shipper's Order No. 11286

Car No. 53798

CONSIGNEE, DESTINATION AND ROUTE	DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES	Weight	Rate	CHARGES
INDIAN AGENT NORWAY HOUSE SELKIRK	55 LENS 1 PIPE KEG CONNAILS	8440	15 WC	1266 ✓ 591 ✓ 1857 ✓

OFFICE RECORD

Form 14-15M-8-23

McDermot & Adelaide St.

MILLER-MORSE HARDWARE CO. LIMITED

WINNIPEG, CANADA

WHOLESALE

Hardware, Cutlery, Sporting Goods, Automotive and Radio Equipment, Stoves, Furnaces, Paints, Oils, Etc.

NO. KG
SOLD BY 11537
TERMS Net 30 Days
Prices are subject to change without notice.

Sold to
Dept of Indian Affairs,
City

Aug 29/23

Returned Goods
No goods furnished correctly on customer's order shall be returned without our permission. If returned without permission they will be charged at the rate of 5% per month.

Winnipeg Warehouse of Miller-Morse Hardware Co., Limited, (Winnipeg.)
Interest after maturity charged at the rate of 5% per month.

SEP 10 1923
Winnipeg, Man.
MILLER-MORSE HARDWARE CO., LTD.

10/12 Doz. Fox P.H. Spades	14.10	11.75 less 5%
10/12 Doz. " " Shovels RP	14.10	11.75 - 5%
216 Et. Pump Rod 3/8 85#	8.50	7.23
-Twenty nine 55/100 dollars only.		30.73
		29.55

Frt. Prepaid CPR To Selkirk
Authority. Telegram from Mr. A. E. D. and Sec'y, Aug 2nd, 1923.

Certified correct.

Mark for Indian Agent
Norway House, Man.

Boarding School
Material supplied, work performed
prices fair and just.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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Vote No.

Treaty No.

Department of Indian Affairs

To Miller-Morse Hardware Co. Limited,

Winnipeg, Man. -



DATE		SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
1923.			WINNIPEG, MAN.
Aug	23	For freight prepaid on pipe line material for the Norway House Agency.	18 57
-----Eighteen 57/100 dollars only.			
-----Authority.			
Telegram Ass't Dep and Sec'y,			
Date 2nd Aug, 1923.			
2525			
INDIAN EDUCATION			
TOTAL,			

MILLER-MORSE HARDWARE CO. LIMITED

"THE BIG WINNIPEG HOUSE"

WHOLESALE
SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE, CUTLERY, STOVES, AUTOMOBILE ACCESSORIES, SPORTING GOODS,
PAINTS, OILS, ETC.

Aug 23/23



NO

11428

Sold to

Inspector of Indian Agencies
City

SOLD BY

TERMS

Net 30 Days

All goods F.O.B. warehouse at Miller-Morse
Hardware Company, Limited, Winnipeg, Man.
Interest after maturity of 8 per cent. per annum

RETURNED GOODS

No goods furnished correctly on customer's
order may be returned without our permis-
sion. If returned by permission they will be
credited less 10%.

MILLER-MORSE HARDWARE CO., LTD.

Prices are subject to change without notice

1111 3/4 Ft. Galvd Pipe	3	59.75 -	664.27 -
1 Keg Wire Nails	4	4.50 -	4.50 -
3 Only 45% Elbows Galvd.	3	1.40 -	4.20 -
3 Only 90% " "	3	1.90 -	5.70 -
3 Only Galvd Unions	3	2.20 -	6.60 -
6 Only " Couplings	3	.60 -	3.60 -
3 Only " Elbows	2	.65 -	1.95 -
1 Only Check Valve	3	11.75 -	11.75 -
			702.57 ✓

-----Seven hundred and two 57/100 dollars only.

Ship. To. / Indian Agent.

Norway House Man.

Via C.P.R. Prepaid C/O Northern Fish Co..

Saskirk, Man.

-----Authority.

Telegram Asst Dep and Sec'y.

Date 2nd August, 1923.

Certified Correct,

Ina. R. Bunn

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

*New pipeline, Norway
House Bag School.*

2523

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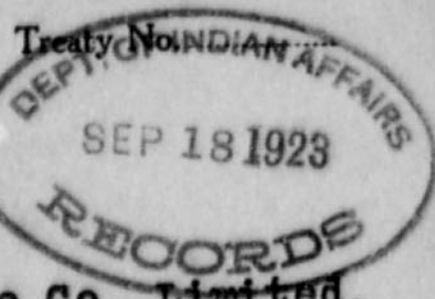
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Vote No.



Department of Indian Affairs

adher

Messrs Miller Morse H'ware Co, Limited,

R

Winnipeg. Man.-

DATE 1923.	SERVICE. <i>Summary only</i>				AMOUNT.	
Aug 30	For Voucher # 2650, details attached,				702	57
	do	# 2651	do	do	18	57
	do	# 2652	do	do	29	55
	do	# 2653	do	do		85
	do	#2654	do	do	41	27
-----Seven hundred and ninety two 81/100 dollars.					792	81
<i>Norway House Boarding School</i>						
<i>INDIAN EDUCATION</i>						
<i>2525</i> <i>sent 20/9/23</i>						
<i>[Signature]</i>						
TOTAL,						

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Inspector of Agencies

DEPARTMENT *Indian Affairs*

LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

by *J. R. Dunn*

Tender called *July 9th* 192*3* by *letter* Due *as quickly as possible* 192*3* Opened *192*

FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE

ARTICLES			REMARKS
<i>Latene for Mary Moffe</i>			
<i>Norway House Indian Boarding School</i>			
<i>Norway Ho. Man.</i>			
<i>1 Kitchen Range.</i>	<i>555.66</i>	<i>513.00</i>	
<i>2 fire stoves.</i>	<i>Weight 508 lbs</i>	<i>Weight 3745 lbs</i>	
<i>Note Order placed with W. Curry Mfg Co</i>			
<i>Repair Pbs quickly available if necessary</i>			
<i>Reported best Value - marked</i>			

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Signed *J. R. Dunn*
Dept. of *Indian Affairs*
City or town *Wipeg* Province *Man.*

DATE *August 1923*

DEBIT MEMO.

The McClary Manufacturing Co.

The Dept. of Indian Affairs

WINNIPEG, August 31st /23
Canada

Chambers of Commerce. City

No.

597
File No.

\$10.50

We have debited your account as below:

E. & O. E.

Freight Prepaid from Winnipeg to Selkirk via or from

Car No. Covering goods as per our invoice M 3962-Aug. 28/23

lbs. Foundry goods at
 5000 Lbs. lbs. Wares at @ .21 per 100 Lbs.

-----Ten 50/100 dollars only.

-----Authority.

Letter #123-5-5.

Date July 9-1923.

Material supplied, work performed
Prices fair and just.

Certified Correct.

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

INDIAN EDUCATION

As this represents spot cash outlay we would ask you to kindly send payment
by return mail.

Form 858-S

THE MCCLARY MANUFACTURING

Sold to

The Dominion Government

Address

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Shipped to

Indian Agent (For Boarding School) Norway Hse. Agency

SOURCE OF ORDER

Norway Hse. Man

CONVEYANCE

Via Northern Plank Co.

WINNIPEG, All claims must be made within
three days of receipt of goods

Customer's Order No.	Quantity	TERMS	Weight	Price	NET	TOTAL
		30 Days				
	1	Only 2 Fire 3 Oven Chef Range with pipe Connections		594.60	594.60	10%
	1	Only High Shelf for 1 Fire 2 Oven		22.80	22.80	10%
		-----Five hundred and fifty five 66/100 dollars only.			617.40	
		-----Authority. Letter #123-5-5. July 9th, 1923.			61.74	
		Material supplied, work performed prices fair and just.			555.66	\$555.66
		Certified Correct.				
		Inspector of Indian Agencies.				

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 18 1923
RECORDS

Letter No.....

Office of the.....Indian Agency,

Winnipeg Inspectorate
SEP 12 1923
WINNIPEG, MAN.

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Sir,

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I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers
2639..... 555.66
Nos. 2640....., amounting to \$ 10.50 (Five
hundred and sixty six 16/100 dollars only.)
in favour of Wessham McClary Mfg. Co. Winnipeg.
for Kitchen Range and Freight.....

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 123-5-5.....dated 9 July, 1923.....

Your obedient servant,

INDIAN EDUCATION

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sent 20/9/23
Payel

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

SEP 19 1923
BRANCH

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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123-5-5

Selkirk, Aug 27 1923

Indian Affairs
Indian Agent Norway House

Bought of **F. W. HOOKER, Ltd.**

DEALER IN
PINE, SPRUCE, FIR AND OAK LUMBER, SASH
DOORS, MOULDINGS AND BRICK

8 per cent interest charged on overdue accounts

SELKIRK RECORD PRINT



To Account Rendered

120pc 2/6 10	}	✓	2400 38-✓	9120✓
60 - 2/6 20				
172. 2/10 14	✓	4013	- ✓	15249✓

-Two hundred and forty three 69/100) dollars only.

✓ 24369

-Authority.

Telegram Asst Dep. and Sec'y.

Date Aug 2nd, 1923.

Certified Correct.

2584
Sent 24/9/23

M. O. D. Bunn
Inspector of Ind. Agencies

Norway House Boarding School



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1 Record to file

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

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Ottawa, October 1, 1923.

Dear Sir:

I wish to draw your attention to departmental letter, dated October 10, 1922, in reference to a cottage, owned by the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church at Norway House. This cottage has been moved over to the school property and put in good repair, at a cost of about \$350 and is worth at least \$1000 or \$1200. It is now used by a married employee of the boarding school staff. I am enclosing a voucher for \$500, the sum specified as being satisfactory to the Missionary Society of our Church. I would appreciate favourable consideration of the payment of this sum, and, if satisfactory to the Department, would you kindly make out a cheque in favour of the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, Toronto.

Yours sincerely,

T. Ferrier

Encl.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Send vouchers to Indian

*Funds were
specifically provided
R.T.M.*

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123-5-5.

Ottawa, Oct. 2, 1923.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the first instant, with reference to the payment of \$500 for a cottage, which was moved by the Methodist Missionary Society onto the property of the Norway House Indian Residential School and is now being used by that institution.

I have to inform you that the vouchers you enclosed are being directed to our representative, for his certification, and, when these are returned to the Department, they will be given favourable consideration.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

T. Ferrier
Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent,
Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

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123-5-5.

Ottawa, Oct. 2, 1923.

Sir:

I have to enclose vouchers, in duplicate, in favour of the Methodist Missionary Society, which refer to the purchase by the Department of a cottage which was moved sometime ago onto the Norway House Residential School property. If this cottage is worth at least \$500 and is now being used for school purposes, I should be pleased if you would certify to the vouchers and return them to the Department for payment.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Encl.

Wm. Gordon
Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

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Dep 10 1923

SELKIRK, MAN., 192

PLEASE SHIP TO *Indian Agent*

Norway House the following articles in apparent good order and condition, marked and numbered as below, which are to be delivered in like good order, subject to the conditions and general terms of my

TRIP NO

STEAMER

B. L. NO

OCT 16 1923

WINNIPEG, MAN.

from
JWI Hooker Ltd

Received above mentioned articles in good order and condition for Consignee.

or Consignee. *M. C. Anderson*

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123-5-5
Folkirk, Sept 10 1923
Department of Indian Affairs
School Barn Norway

Bought of

F. W. HOOKER, Ltd.

DEALER IN

PINE, SPRUCE, FIR AND OAK LUMBER
DOORS, MOULDINGS AND BRICK

8 per cent interest charged on overdue accounts

SELKIRK RECORD PRINT



To Account Rendered
Shiplap
3/8 resawn Bds

2200 38 8360
900 20 1800

Material supplied, work performed
prices fair and just.

10160

---One hundred and one 60/100 dollars only

---Authority

Letter 123-5-5-- 20 July, 1923.

Certified Correct,

M. R. Bunn

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Set pay 5340 sent 29/10/23

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THE MCCLARY MANUFACTURING CO.

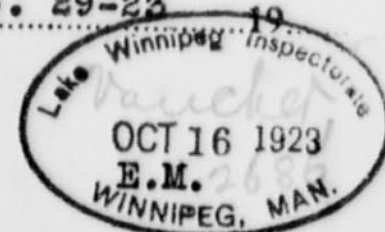
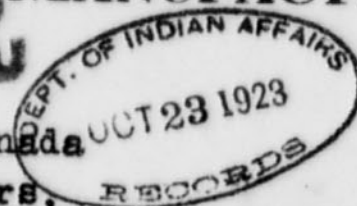
Sold to The Dominion Government of Canada
 Address Dept of Indian Affairs,
 Chambers of Commerce, City
 Ship to Indian Agent, (For Boarding School) Norway House, Man.

SOURCE OF ORDER

ORDER NO. M 5184

CONVEYANCE via Northern Fish
Selkirk, Man.

Winnipeg Sept. 29-23



PRICES F. O. B. WINNIPEG

Claims must be made within three days of receipt of goods

Customer's Order No.	Quantity	TERMS Net 30 days	Weight	Price	2%	NET	TOTAL
	1	Only 12" Galvd Elbows	P	.95		.95	
	9	" Lens 12" Galvd Pipe, 18" Lens	P	.53		4.77	5.72
---Five 72/100 dollars only. Authority. Letter 123-5-5--July 7-1923.							

Certified Correct.

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Material supplied work performed prices fair and just.

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DEBIT MEMO

OFFICE OF

THE MCCLARY MFG. CO.

.....FOLIO.....

.....Winnipeg,.....October 2nd 1923

M.....Department of Indian Affairs;

.....CITY.....Winnipeg, Inspectorate

OCT 16 1923

WINNIPEG, MAN.

Sept. 17 - To Freight on 1 Crate Furnace Pipe - 60¢ - \$.50
 -----50/100 dollars only.
 -----Authority,
 Letter 123-5-5--7 July, 1923.

To Indian Brdg. School.
 c/o N. F. Co., Selkirk.

Certified Correct.

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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Pay*

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DEBIT MEMO

OFFICE OF

THE MCCLARY MFG. CO.

Asst

OCT 23 1923

Winnipeg, Oct. 2/23

FOLIO.....

192.....

M... Department of Indian Affairs.

CITY.



Sept. 26

To Freight on 1 Crate Furnace Pipes. -

.50

---.50/100 dollars only.

---Authority, Letter 123-5-5
 To The Indian Agent,
 7 July, 1923.

C/o Northern Fish Co.,
 Selkirk.

Material supplied, work performed
 prices fair and just.

Certified Correct

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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AGENTS FOR

FAIRBANKS, MORSE & CO.
GASOLINE ENGINES & SCALES

TAYLOR, FORBES CO., LTD.
SOVEREIGN BUILDERS AND RADIATORS

The Sulcraft Iron Works

LIMITED

MANUFACTURERS OF

BOILERS & ENGINES
ELEVATOR & MILL MACHINERY
IRON & BRASS CASTINGS
ARCHITECTURAL AND
BRIDGE MATERIALS

Winnipeg, Man.

Sept. 24/23 19

CANADA

Sold to

Dominion Government,

Dept. of Indian Affairs.

TERMS net 30 days.



1 Water Column 15 1/4" outs. Dia. 3 1/4" - 1 1/4"
Pipe Connection with Gauge Cocks & Water
Gauge Mfgs. Nipple & Drip Valve 3/8"

25.00

14 Gate Bars 6" x 43" Heavy Pattern

112.00

Freight prepaid to Selkirk

--One hundred and forty 13/100 dollars only.

--Authority.

Letter # 123-5-5-13 Aug, 1923. Certified Correct

Material supplied, work performed
prices fair and just.

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Shipped to Indian Agent, Norway House Agency,
Norway House, Man.

c/o Northern Fish Co., Selkirk

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AGENTS FOR

FIRBANKS, MORSE & CO.
ISOLINE ENGINES & SCALES

TAYLOR, FORBES CO., LTD.
SOVEREIGN BUILDERS AND RADIATORS

The Selkirk Iron Works LIMITED

MANUFACTURERS OF

BOILERS & ENGINES
ELEVATOR & MILL MACHINERY
IRON & BRASS CASTINGS
ARCHITECTURAL AND
BRIDGE MATERIALS

Winnipeg, Man.

Sept. 24/23

Sold to

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TERMS *net* 30 days.



- | | | | |
|----|---|--------|--|
| 1 | Water Column 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ " outs. Dia. 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " - 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ "
Pipe Connection with Gauge Cocks & Water
Gauge Mts. Nipple & Drip Valve 3/8" | 25.00 | |
| 14 | Gate Bars 6" x 43" Heavy Pattern | 112.00 | |

Freight prepaid to Selkirk

3.13

140.13

--One hundred and forty 13/100 dollars only.

--Authority.

Letter # 123-5-5-13 Aug. 1923. Certified Correct

Material supplied, work performed
prices fair and just.

M. A. Dunn
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Shipped to Indian Agent, Norway House Agency,
Norway House, Man.

c/o Northern Fish Co., Selkirk

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Sent 24/10/23

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Letter No.....

Office of the.....

Indian Agency.....



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Sir,

*I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 2675.....,
amounting to \$ 140.13..... in favour
of The Vulcan Iron Works, Limited, Winnipeg, Man.
for Grates and water column for Norway House Indian
Boarding School Boiler, heating, this firm built the
boiler and had the specifications for these goods.
This expenditure was authorized by Departmental*

Letter No. 123-5-5.... dated 13 Aug. 1923.....

Your obedient servant,

W. A. R. Bunn
Inspector of Indian Agencies

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Pay
[Signature]
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

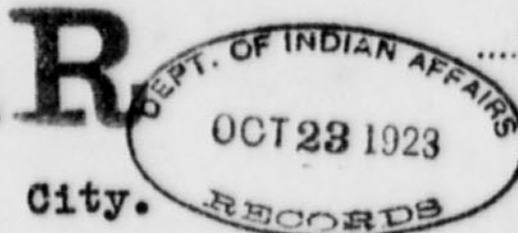
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THE MCCLARY MANUFACTURING CO.

Sold to The Dominion Government of Canada
 Address Dept. of Indian Affairs,
 Chambers of Commerce, City.
 Ship to Indian Agent (For Boarding School) Norway House Agency,
 Norway House, Man.



Winnipeg, Sept. 22, 1923

PRICES F. O. B.
 E.M.

SOURCE OF ORDER

ORDER NO. M 5975

CONVEYANCE via Northern Fish Co.,
 Selkirk, Man.

Customer's Order No.	Quantity	TERMS	Net 30 days	Weight	Price	2%	
	1	Only 12"	Galvd Elbows	P	.95		.95
	3	Lens 12"	Galva. Pipe 18" Lens	P	.53		1.59
-----Two 54/100 dollars only. -----Authority. Letter 123-5-5 9 July, 1923. Certified Correct, <i>W. A. Dunn</i> Inspector of Indian Agencies. 3339-9.26 sent 29/10/23 Material supplied work done prices fair and just							

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Inde au Département

LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Ten called Aug 14 1923 by letter Due Aug 16 1923 Opened Aug 17 1923 by J. R. Bannan
 FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE

FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE

ARTICLES and where for	FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE	REMARKS
Wagon Norway/Kung Lutheran School	Gilson Co Mfg Co	Sealty Bros. Landen Dairy Supply
Sunday Equipment for Barn -	(³⁰ 245-30)	270.95 320.45
Note Order placed with	Gilson Mfg Co	Marker
		2667

UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM:

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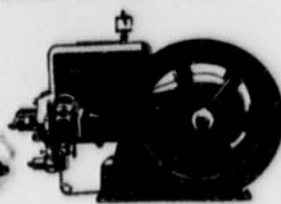
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Signed.

Dept. of Indian Affairs

DATE.....

City or town W. B. A. Province NEW



GILSON MANUFACTURING CO., Limited

MANUFACTURING

GILSON ENGINES, TRACTORS, SILO FILLERS, HYLO SYLOS,
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GUELPH, Canada

REFER TO INVOICE

NO.

A-14818

3074-19/13



Sold to

Mr. J. L. Bunn,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
104 Chambers of Commerce,
Our Winnipeg, Man.

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Terms

Order

As below

8:17:28

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These goods were carefully packed and examined before shipment. Don't sign the freight bill for this shipment until you have examined the goods, and seen that everything is complete and in good order. If there is any damage or shortage have the freight agent note it on freight receipt before accepting goods. WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE IF YOU GIVE THE AGENT A CLEAR RECEIPT. ALL REMITTANCES AND SETTLEMENTS SHOULD BE SENT DIRECT TO THE COMPANY. We will not be held responsible for moneys or settlements given to agents or representatives not authorized to act in this capacity by written directions from this office.

16- Pig- A stalls with steel stanchions
10- double gravity water buckets steel fastener
1- litter carrier
120 ft. litter carrier track
37 hangers

---1- The quantity and forty five 30/100 dollars only.

---Authority,

Letter 123-5-5, 20 July, 1923. Sales Tax
Certified Correct,

Terms:-

886.34 net cash

348.33

W. A. Bunn
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

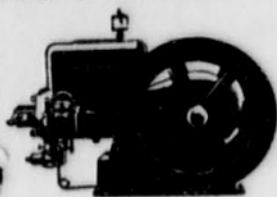
C. P. B. provided to G. L. B. Bunn.

No claim for shortage or breakage allowed unless made promptly on receipt of goods and accompanied by freight receipt showing damage or shortage marked thereon. No goods will be accepted if returned without our permission. Interest charged on overdue accounts.

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GUELPH, Canada Sept. 19/23

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

OCT 23 1923

REFER TO INVOICE
NO. A-14518



Sold to Mr. J.R. Bunn,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
204 Chambers of Commerce,
Winnipeg, Man.

Our No. 5103

Prices subject to change without notice

Terms As below

Order 8:17:23

These goods were carefully packed and examined before shipment. Don't sign the freight bill for this shipment until you have examined the goods, and seen that everything is complete and in good order. If there is any damage or shortage have the freight agent note it on freight receipt before accepting goods. WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE IF YOU GIVE THE AGENT A CLEAR RECEIPT. ALL REMITTANCES AND SETTLEMENTS SHOULD BE SENT DIRECT TO THE COMPANY. We will not be held responsible for moneys or settlements given to agents or representatives not authorized to act in this capacity by written directions from this office.

- 16- Fig. A stalls with steel stanchions
- 10- double gravity water buckets steel fasteners
- 1- litter carrier
- 110 ft. litter carrier track
- 37 hangers
- 1- 3way switch

---Two hundred and forty five 30/100 dollars only.

---Authority,

Terms:-

256.34 net cash

Letter 123-5-5, 20 July, 1923.

Certified Correct,

245.30

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

C.P.R. prepaid to Selkirk, Man.

No claim for shortage or breakage allowed unless made promptly on receipt of goods and accompanied by freight receipt showing damage or shortage marked thereon. No goods will be accepted if returned without our permission. Interest charged on overdue accounts.

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Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, October 26th., 1923.

J.R. Bunn,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg, Man.

Agent Gordon reports credit wired you twenty-eighth
August not received yet. Have you sent funds and on what
date.

J.D. McLean

Charge Dept. Indian Affairs.

See letter 28 Aug

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to pay*

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ref. No.

Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
Inspector's Office

Immediate
act

Winnipeg 26th October, 1923.

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.-

Sir, At 12.20 p.m. today I received the following message:-

"Agent Gordon reports credit wired you twentieth August
"not received yet. Have you sent funds and on what date."

On the 25th August I asked for \$900.00 to be wired for
Mr Gordon to pay wages on the new pipe line work, I shipped
all the necessary material for the work, and I figured that
I had completed the arrangement fully.

When I got the wire today, I immediately went over to the
Bank of Montreal and made inquiry, I was shown that \$900.00
stood at the credit of "J.L. Bunn", and still stands there. Mr.
Gordon did not ask me about this, and I presumed he had received
from the bank direct. I do not understand why he should have
allowed the matter to remain as it is, if he had inquired of
me, I in turn would certainly have asked the Department and I
would have been put wise to the whole situation, and fixed it.

The first mail to Norway House goes on the 26th Nov, coming.
I can send it out then safely I think.

I tried to get Norway House this afternoon by wireless
but that is out for the season, I intended to ask the H.B. Co
to hand Mr. Gordon \$900.00 and I could have paid the same amount
in here.

I think Mr. Gordon should/ ~~state~~ why he deferred asking
about these funds which were for payment of wages.

Your obedient servant,

W. R. Bunn

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Note. The Bank did not notify me about this matter, the name being J.L. Bunn.

Ottawa, October 29th., 1923.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 26th instant, relative to the sum of \$900.00 wired on the 28th August last to the Bank of Montreal, Winnipeg, for your credit, I beg to state that the Department regrets the misunderstanding and delay which have caused inconvenience to Mr. Agent Gordon. It is considered that the Bank should have notified you, but on the other hand as you had asked that the money be wired to you, you should have made enquiries and followed the matter up. You should now ask the Bank to send the money to Mr. Gordon by the first winter mail, registered and insured.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J.R. Bunn Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg, Man.

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WINNIPEG,

Sept.. 29, 1923

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The Indian Agent,
Norway House Agency,
Norway House, Man.

These goods
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Do not return any goods to us
without our instructions. We
will not be responsible for charges

Any claim must be made
within ten days after delivery.

Interest at 10 per cent per
annum charged on all overdue
accounts

OCT 16 1923

WINNIPEG, MAN.

ALWAYS GIVE DATE OF INVOICE WHEN WRITING

Prepaid Express Charges on
your shipment of Sept. 25th
-----One 59/100 dollars only

-----Letter Agent Gordon.

Charges on school slates ex Wipeg to Selkirk,
Certified Correct.

Material supplied, work performed
prices fair and just.

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

BOX as it is often convenient
for one

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Norway House

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November 13th 1923

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No. 6A
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Sir,—

I have the honor to report that the new waterline for the Norway House Boarding School has been completed, so far as can be done this fall, with the exception of a little work still to be done on the intake crib.

Next spring there will be some concrete floor and walk to be replaced, but it is better to leave that work until spring, as by that time the earth that has been replaced in the trench will have settled thoroughly.

By straightening the line, we have eliminated four elbows, which should reduce the friction in pumping considerably. There is now only one elbow between the building and the lake, and four within the building, to the pump. We have put in a tee for connection with the Hospital and Agency buildings, and a check valve just above this in each line. The minimum depth of the ditch is 7 feet, and the pipe is boxed with two inch planking, so that there should be no trouble from frost. Manholes and unions were put in at the Hospital connection and at the only outside elbow.

We met with some rock, which had to be blasted, and which added to the cost of the work considerably.

I have had to disconnect the Agency line from the main, as the only check valve I had of the proper size was found to leak. This, however, will be no hardship this winter, as the only pump I have is of little use. When the new Hospital is built, proper connection will require to be put in, and a good pump supplied.

The water now comes to the school quickly and satisfactorily, and I think this line should give good satisfaction for years to come.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

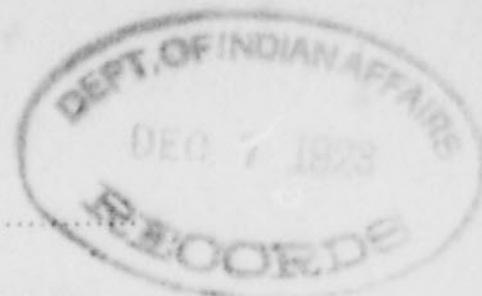
The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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123-5-5

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



Norway House

November 14th 1923

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 6A
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

Referring to your letter No. 123-5-5 of Aug. 13th, in which you advised me to have the discharge line from the septic tank of the sewage system of the Norway House Indian Boarding School taken up and cleaned and replaced would say that while I thought the stoppage could be located without this amount of work and expense, I did as instructed, and found two stoppages in the pipe. This I did in connection with the work on the waterline, the work being done by the same men, and I did not keep the accounts separate. Unfortunately, the tile had been cemented together when placed in the trench, rather unnecessarily, I think in the outlet pipe, and it was impossible to take them out without breaking many of the tile. These I replaced with some of the same size, 6", which I had on hand for the purpose of putting in a separate sewer service for the Hospital.

From the surface of the second chamber we took some of the solid matter, but decided, since there was no evidence of the tank not discharging the contents steadily and as the odor was so offensive, this could better be done in colder weather. The presence of the solid matter in the second chamber was due to the stoppage in the outlet pipe, which caused the surface of the contents of the tank to rise above the dividing partition. For some reason, probably the presence of large quantities of soap and water, and possibly some disinfectants also in the sewage, the bacteria is not sufficiently active to keep the solid matter reduced.

The discharge pipe was replaced without cement, and the tank is working well, the contents remaining at the level of the discharge opening.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

.....Norway House.....

.....November 14th 1923

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 6A
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

I have to report that the new stable at the Norway House Indian Boarding School has been completed, with the exception of the painting of a portion of the roof, the cupolas of the ventilators, and some other touching up of parts recently finished. The additional paint was not received in time to do this work properly, as we were having frosts at night which kept the shingles damp for the greater part of the day. A portion of the track for the litter carrier was not put up, as we were some 26 feet short of track and brackets. I asked for 110 ft. of track, and received only 84 ft.. I am writing Mr. Inspector Bunn re this as the balance may have been ordered and lost in transit. Eavetroughing also was not received. I trust this will be supplied, as it will protect the foundations from injury as otherwise the water will get under the wall, and the frosts will heave and disturb the building. The electric fixtures also did not arrive, but the school had some extra fixtures, for repair work, and these were used for a temporary system.

As the Department authorized the extension of the stable to enclose the silo, vide letter No. 123-5-5, of Apr. 28th last, which letter was not received here until June, when the building was too far advanced to make so great a change, I took the liberty of making a small addition to the east end of the barn. This addition is 9' x 19' with 14' wall, and lean-to roof to end of barn and silo. The foundation and floor is solid, and the ensilage cutter is fastened to the concrete. A wide door is left, so that the machine can be fed with no inconvenience. A trap in the roof permits the passage of the blower pipe, and a small doorway in the side makes way for the belt from the engine. This addition furnishes some storage room for small tools, etc. for the ensilage cutter, and protects the silo to some extent against frost. Almost all of the material used in this addition was surplus from the stable, the extras being cement, nails and labor.

A grain box was built in the hay loft above the horses, with a chute down into the horse stable. A large feed chute was built from the floor of the loft to nearly the roof to keep the hay away from the doors of the silo. A door opens from this to the hay loft. Good mangers were made for the horses, with a sloping bottom, and sufficient opening to permit all waste to slide out beneath the feet of the horses. Feed chutes were put in between the stalls, so that the horses eat from the sides of these. This should prevent considerable wastage of feed.

The stable was floored with concrete throughout, and has a deep base of stones and pebbles with some sand. There should be no shelling off or breaking of this floor for many years. Plank were put on top of the concrete for the horse stalls. The water has been connected from the school system

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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system, and the cattle have water in the bowls before them.

The ventilation system appears to work well, we will be better able to judge of this when colder weather comes. A cold air pipe comes from above the roof to about one foot above the floor, in the passage in front of the cattle. Just across the passage a warm air pipe, for the foul air extends from the ceiling through the roof. Each has a cupola above the roof. The low walls of the feed passage, about 30 inches, protect the stock from getting the cold air too direct from the pipe. These pipes can be checked if necessary. The windows are also made to open inward at the top, so as to leave an opening of about four inches and the width of the window, and deflecting this entering air upward.

At one side of the silo is a good box stall, at the other a stall which will accommodate four calves or some young stock. Besides these, there is accommodation for sixteen head of cattle, and six horses.

I may say that this stable is a very fine structure, and a credit to the Department and a splendid addition to the working plant of the School. The Principal of the School has requested me to convey to the Department his appreciation of their kindness in building such an excellent barn for the school.

I may also say that the building reflects credit on the quality of education being given in the Schools, as the work was all done by Indian men who are graduates of the schools. The foreman on the work throughout, concrete, carpenter work, and painting, was Joe Keeper, a member of the Norway House Band and a graduate of some years ago of the Brandon School.

I also appreciate very highly the willingness of the Department to give us for our schools the very best possible in the way of plant, and I have personally given considerable time and thought to this building, to have the maximum of stability and convenience, with the minimum of expense. The contrast between the new stable and the old is very great. The Instructors will now be in a position to teach the boys how horses and cattle should be cared for.

The old buildings have been removed, and the material that could be used has been used in chicken house and hog pen, and hog shelters in the outdoor pen. The ground about the new stable has been graded and levelled, and the improvement in the appearance of the school property is very considerable.

I will endeavor to secure the balance of the accounts due for labor, and forward them as soon as possible.

Your obedient servant

Wm. Gordon

Wm. Gordon.
Indian Agent.

Vote No. 7
Treaty No. 5

Department of Indian Affairs

To The Missionary Society of the
Methodist Church,
Toronto, Ont.

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
1923		
Oct. 1.	For one cottage at Norway House	\$500 00
<i>certified correct -</i> <i>T. Terrill</i>		
<i>Authority. Dept. letter No. 123-5-5. Oct. 2/23.</i>		
I have examined this residence, which has lately been moved onto the government-owned Norway House Boarding School property. The building, which would cost at least \$1200 to erect, is in first class condition and is required by the school. The purchase price of \$500 is fair and just and according to agreement.		
<i>R.T.F.</i> Supt. of Indian Education.		
<i>4101</i> <i>Sent Dec. 11/23.</i>		
TOTAL,		\$500.00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Wm Gordon
Agent.

No. 502.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 7 1923
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Office of the Norway House Indian Agency,

Nov. 22nd 1923

[Handwritten signature]
Sir

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 502, amounting to \$ 500^{xx}

in favour of Methodist Missionary Society, Toronto
for one cottage for N.H. EPB.

[Handwritten signature]

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 123-5-5 dated Oct. 2nd 1923

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: W. Gordon]
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

[Handwritten signature]
For this approval

[Handwritten signature]
This full audit is

[Handwritten signature]
Approved on file date
Oct 4/1923
K. J. B.

Return of Labour on the new waterline for Norway House Boarding School

For week ended October 13th 1923

All payments to be made in presence of person signing as witness.

Receipt No. 799.

NAMES	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.	No. hrs. worked	Price per hr.	Amount of wages	RECEIVED PAYMENT
J.J. Mutchekekwanap	10	10	2				22	35	7.70	J.J. Mutcheke X
Daniel Muewagon	10	10	2				22	"	7.70	D. Muewagon X
Peter Queskekapow	10	10	10	2			32	"	11.20	P. Queskekapow X
Roderick Ross	10	10	2				22	"	7.70	R. Ross
Peter Chubb	10	10	10	2			32	"	11.20	P. Chubb X
David Monias	10	10	2				22	"	7.70	
									<u>\$53.20</u>	

Cheque No. Authority, Dept. letter Aug. 3rd, & 13th, No. 123-5-5.

Balance.....

WITNESS:

Geo Balfour

I hereby certify that the services have been performed and that the prices are fair and just.

Wm Gordon

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RETURN OF LABOR ON NEW WATERLINE AND REPAIRS TO SEWER
NORWAY HOUSE BOARDING SCHOOL. Week ended October 6th, 1923.

Name.	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	No. of hours	Rate.	Amount.	Rec'd Payment.
John Luode Foreman	10	10	10	10	10	10	59	.50	29.50 30.00	L. Luode
Alex Moody	10	10	10	10	10	5	55	.35	19.25	Alex Moody
Jno. Jas, Hart	10	10	10	10	10	9	59	"	20.65	Jno. J. Hart. + his mark
Stephen Muswagon	10	10	10	2			32	"	11.20	S. Muswagon +
Alex. Anderson	10	10	10	10	10	9	59	"	20.65	Alex. Anderson
J.J. Mutchhekekwanape	10	10	10	10	10	9	59	"	20.65	J.J. Mutchhekekwanape
Daniel Muswagon	10	10	10	10	10	9	59	"	20.65	Daniel Muswagon
Joe. White	10	10	10	10	10	5	55		19.25	Joe. White
Peter Queskekapow	10	10	10	10	10	9	59		20.65	P. Queskekapow
Isaac Queskekapow				5	10	5	20		7.00	Isaac Queskekapow
Willie Scribe	10	10	10	10			40	"	14.00 10.50	Willie Scribe
Roderick Ross	10	10	10	10	10	9	59		20.65	R. Ross
Peter Chubb	10	10	10	10	10	9	59		20.65	Peter Chubb + marl
David Moneas				5	10	9	24		8.40	David Moneas
									249.65 3.50 253.15 ✓	

Witness

George P. Balfour

Certified correct
Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

Vote No. 7

Treaty No. 5

Department of Indian Affairs

To Wm. Gordon

Indian Agent.

Norway House

DATE		CASH STATEMENT, Vote 7. ^{SERVICE.} Waterline, October, 1923.	AMOUNT.	
Oct.	6.	Paid for labor for week ended Oct. 6. Rec. 798	253.	15
	13.	" " " " " 13. " 799	53.	20
	27	" " " " " 27 " 810	16.	50
Total expended in October			\$322.	85
Expended in September, Vr. 501A			\$854.	20
" October			322.	85
" to date.			\$1177.	05
For record of explanation, vide my letter of October 8th, No. 11B.				
TOTAL,			\$322.	85

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

No. 502A

Wm. Gordon
Agent.

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Treaty No. 5.

Department of Indian Affairs

To Wm. Gordon

Indian Agent.

Norway House, Man.

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
CASH STATEMENT, Vote 7. Norway House I.B.S. Stable. Oct. 1923.		
Oct. 1.	Cash Balance on hand	100.90
	Expended, -	
	Rec. 795. labor	9.90
	796 "	6.90
	797 "	14.70
	800 "	16.20
	801 "	10.20
	804 "	18.00
	Total expended	75.90
	Balance unexpended	\$25.00
	Amount accounted for	
	TOTAL,	\$75.90

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Wm Gordon

Agent.

No. 503A

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Department of Indian Affairs

To Wm. Gordon

Indian Agent

Norway House.

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
CASH STATEMENT, Vote 7. Clearing land & General, Schools.		
Oct. 1.	Balance on hand , Cheque No. 2002.	1.00
	Expended, clearing land, Rec. 793.	<u>1.00</u>
	Balance on hand, Nil.	
" 1	Balance on hand, General	175.20
	Expended, clearing land, Rec. 793.	<u>50</u>
	Balance on hand \$174.70	
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Amount accounted for		TOTAL, \$1.50

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Wm. Gordon

Agent.

No. 504A.

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123-5-55
INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



Norway House

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 11B
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

November 6th 1923

Sir,—

I have the honor to enclose herewith Cash State-
ments for the month of October, accounting for expenditure
as follows,—

Vr.No.502A. Work on waterline for Norway House Boarding
School, during October, authority letters
Nos.123-5-5 of Aug.3rd and 13th. \$322.85
This account overdrawn \$1177.05.

503A. Labor on stable for Norway House
Boarding School, 75.90
This leaves on hand to this account
the sum of \$25.00

504A. Labor clearing land for Norway House
Boarding School. Cheque 2002. 1.00
This exhausted the amount advanced. I
paid \$.50 out of School funds, General
to complete this work. .50

505A. On Vote 5. I paid the sum of \$10. for
care of an old lady who would have been
in the hospital had we had comfortable
accommodations. For Vote 11. work on Agency
waterline, necessary because of no hospital
being built, for assistance in hauling hay,
for dog fish, etc. I paid \$191.85, making the
expenditure on Votes 5 and 11. General 201.85
This leaves a Balance for \$ & 11 of \$679.74.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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For acceptance

File 99-123
Man. S. & A. Vote

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Department of Indian Affairs

To Wm. Gordon, Indian Agent.

Norway House.

Man.

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
	CASH STATEMENT for December, 1923. Vote 7.	
Dec. 1.	Balance	-123.15
	Received from Department	900.00
	Total Receipts	\$776.85
	Expended, Vote 7.	
	Rec. No. 833. Paid carpenter, stable, \$247.25	
	837. Material for ditch 1.15	
	838. " " & stable 6.12	
	839. " day school & ditch 1.86	
	\$256.38	256.38
	Balance on hand, \$776.85 - 256.38 or \$520.47	
	Amount expended	TOTAL, \$256.38

Receipt on 99-123

For acceptance
J. H. M.
7th Dec 1923

INDIAN EDUCATION

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Wm Gordon

Agent.

No. 517A.

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LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called.

1922. by letter

Due...

Opened..

192. ७३

by

ARTICLES

Norway House Agency

Love, Thea Gov.

Dea Kettle, Dumb Cups

Pitch, w Lead, Pass

Task.

Note Order placed with James Harddown Ware Co.

marked O

270

FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE

REMARKS

UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed-

Interest charged at Eight per cent. on Overdue Accounts

All Claims must be made on receipt of goods

YOUR ORDER

THE
J.H. ASHTOWN HARDWARE CO.
LIMITED
RETAIL DEPARTMENT

Delivered to... **Indian Agent, Norway House Agency**
Norway House, Man.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 26/23 192

SOLD TO... **Dominion Government,**

ADDRESS... **Dept. of Indian Affairs.**

LEDGER FOLIO

SALESMAN

JAN 10 1924

WINNIPEG, MAN.

92748

1	Only Stove, Lumberman Heater # 38-36"	20.00
1	Pce Galv. Sheet Iron 36 x 38 Ga. 22	1.30
1	Only Tea Kettle 12 Qt. Granite Enamelled with cover 012	1.55
6	" Drinking Cups Granite 1/4 pt. handled	2.17
4	Sheets Galv. Iron Gauge #22 -30"x72-76	8.95
1	Roll Asbestos Paper #14 - 50 Lbs	.09
3	Only Closet Bowls Complete #778	11.85
50	Lbs. Pitch	.06
20	" White Lead Good Quality	15.60
10	" XXXXXX RISK Putty	.11
12	Square Window Glass 16 x 28 Sgle	.68
1	Only Stillson Wrench 14" Pattern	1.75
1	" Monkey " 10" "	.70
1	" Steel Square 16 x 24 # 14	2.00
2	Wrenches Crescent 1-6" 1-8" .70 & .90	1.60

15 Aug 23-228785

15 Aug-1923.

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13 Aug 1923

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Order of the

Inspector

See all repairs

to be repaired

burned

\$ 91.96

Form 66R. 100M

Interest charged at Eight per cent. on Overdue Accounts

All Claims must be made on receipt of goods

YOUR ORDER

THE
J.H. ASHTOWN HARDWARE CO.
LIMITED
RETAIL DEPARTMENT

Indian Agent,
Cross Lake Boarding School,
Delivered to... **Norway House Agency,**
Norway House, Man.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 2/23 192

SOLD TO... **Dept. of Indian Affairs.**

ADDRESS

For small repairs for Cross Lake Boarding School

H	3	Doz. Tank Bulbs 2 1/2" JH 927 A	3.00	oz	9.00	-
	3	" Bulb Stems " 3297 B	.40	"	1.20	-
	50	Feet 1 1/2" Fire Hose	.40		20.00	-
	1	Pr. Couplings attached	2.50	pr	2.50	-

--Thirty two 70/100 dollars only.
-- Order of the Inspector had to
catch sterner to ~~Whiskey Jack~~.
Letter 123-5-5-13 Aug 1923.

Material supplied, work performed
prices fair and just.

Certified Correct,

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

\$ 32.70

Form 66R. 100M 1-21 3515

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All Claims must be made on receipt of goods

YOUR ORDER

THE
J. HASHTOWN HARDWARE CO.
LIMITED
RETAIL DEPARTMENT

Delivered to... **Indian Agent, Norway House Agency**
Norway House, Man.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 26/23 192
MAN.

SOLD TO **Dominion Government,**

LEDGER FOLIO.....

ADDRESS **Dept. of Indian Affairs.**

SALESMAN

SS 4572

JAN 10 1924

WINNIPEG, MAN.

V 2 Only # 6 Burgess Batteries

.50

1.00

\$ 1.00

----One dollar.

----Authority.

Order of the Inspector.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Certified Correct,

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Material supplied, work performed
prices fair and just.

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Vote No.

Treaty No.

Department of Indian Affairs



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To James H. Ashdown H'ware Co. Limited,

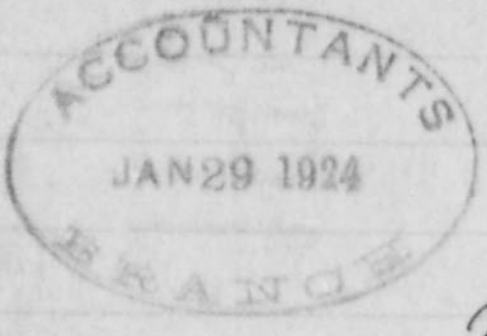
Winnipeg, Man.-

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DATE 1923.		SERVICE. Summary Only.	AMOUNT.	
Jan	10	For Voucher #2769, details attached, <i>Norway House Bdg School</i>	1	00
		do #2770 do do <i>do.</i>	91	96
		do #2771 do <i>Cross Lake Bdg School</i>	32	70
----One hundred and twenty five and 66/100 dollars only.			125	66
----Authority. Quoted on the several vouchers.				
TOTAL,				

INDIAN EDUCATION

Pay



*Int 5-2-24.
5245*

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Ino R. Brown
Inspector of Agents

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE COMPANY

WOOD, VALLANCE LIMITED
REGINA, SASK.

WOOD, ALEXANDER & JAMES
HAMILTON & TORONTO

WOOD, VALLANCE & ADAMS LIMITED
CALGARY, ALTA.

WOOD, VALLANCE HARDWARE CO. LIMITED
NELSON, B.C.

AGENCY



Wood, Vallance Limited.
WHOLESALE
Iron & Hardware Merchants.

INVOICE NO.

51298

IF WRITING PLEASE QUOTE

Winnipeg, Sept. 25th. 1923
Canada.

Sold to The Indian Boarding School
Norway House

EP

Man.

2% 30 DAYS

NET 30 DAYS

DEBIT NOTE					
1	Only	75 R	Yale Door Check	16 15	16 15
1	"	75 L	"	16 15	16 15
				-----	32 30
Should be				18 15	18 15
				18 15	18 15
				-----	36 30
				-----	4 00
Difference					

Voucher No. 528
Vote No. 7
Treaty No. 5

Int. Acc. 25/124
5561

Invoice # 51124 Sept. 22nd.

MATERIAL SUPPLIED
PRICES FAIR AND JUST.

Wm Gordon Indian Agent

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Letter No. 1B.

Office of the Norway House Indian Agency,

February 5th 1924.

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 528, amounting to \$36.30

in favour of Wood, Vallance, Ltd. Winnipeg.

for 2 Door checks for N.H.I.B.S.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated

Your obedient servant,

Wm Gordon

Indian Agent.

INDIAN EDUCATION

[Signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

No. 528.

123-5-5

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 1401-1B
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

[Handwritten signature]

R

Norway House

February 8th, 1924



Sir,—

With reference to the attached Voucher, while this purchase was not authorized, and was made by the Principal of the School, I would recommend that it be paid.

In the summer of 1922, the Department authorized the purchase of two door checks for the outside doors of the boys' and girls' entrances at Norway House Boarding School. These were purchased by Inspector Bunn and sent forward. Unfortunately they were found to be too small and of insufficient strength for the large doors for which they were intended. They were used on other doors to good advantage. Consequently the large doors referred to were left without checks. This is a windy country, and unless caught securely, doors slam with violence, and become broken. The Principal purchased these when in the city last fall. While the purchase under the circumstances was irregular, it was made in the interests of the property of the Department, as it is impossible to save these doors unless they are safeguarded by checks.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon

Indian Agent.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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LISGAR L. LANG
PRESIDENT

ROBERT J. LOUGH
VICE-PRESIDENT

SOMERSET BUILDING.

WINNIPEG. Dec. 6th, 1923. 192

M. Boarding School,

Norway House, Man.

Vote 7.
Treaty 5.

NORWAY HOUSE

IN ACCOUNT WITH

RUSSELL, LANG & CO., LIMITED

BOOKSELLERS AND STATIONERS

AGENCY

6 Geometry Sets @ 1.25

7.50

1 Word Expositor @

.60

Post

.25

\$8.35

per Mr. J. T. Blackford.

Required for Grade 9 and 10. A rush order
as they were required at once.

Voucher No. 525

Vote No. 7

Treaty No. 5

INDIAN EDUCATION

MATERIAL SUPPLIED
PRICES FAIR AND JUST.

Wm Gordon

(Indian Agent)

5560
No. 525- sent Feb 25/24

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No. 1B

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DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 22 1924
RECORDED

Office of the Norway House Indian Agency,

January 31st 1924

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers
Nos. 525, amounting to \$8.35
in favour of Russell, Lang & Co. Ltd. Winnipeg.
for School supplies for N.H.I.B.S.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

INDIAN EDUCATION

Letter No. dated Emergency.

Your obedient servant,

Wm Gordon

Indian Agent.

Payed

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

No. 525.

123-5-5

Vote No. 7.

Treaty No. 5.

Department of Indian Affairs

To Wm. Gordon, Indian Agent,

Norway House

Man.

DATE	CASH STATEMENT/ Vote 7. January, 1924.	AMOUNT.
	Balance shown on hand, Jan. 1.	520.47
	Expended, -	
	Vote 7. Rec. 854. Sawing lumber for Cross Lake Day School	4.00
	855. Freight, shingles, lime, etc. Cross Lake Day School, & dry goods, Cross Lake Boarding School	20.40
	869. Labor, with horses, and some material, for stable, N.H.I.B.S.	254.60
	Balance on hand, Jan. 31. <u>\$241.47.</u>	<u>279.00</u>
	Amount accounted for as expended	TOTAL, \$279.00

INDIAN EDUCATION

For acceptance
6/7 80 7/6 20 2
m.

[Signature]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Wm. Gordon
Agent.

No. 524A.

Form 18

MILLER-MORSE HARDWARE CO. LIMITED

"THE BIG WINNIPEG HOUSE"

WHOLESALE HARDWARE, CUTLERY, STOVES, AUTOMOBILE ACCESSORIES,
SPORTING GOODS, PAINTS, ETC.

Indian Agent,
Selkirk, Man.

We Debit your Account as below. This covers Freight Prepaid on your account, and is a Cash outlay on our part, bearing no profit whatever. Kindly remit as soon as possible in WINNIPEG FUNDS.

To Cash paid Freight on Goods shipped to your address

2	Rolls S Wire
8	Rolls Fencing
4	Gates
1	Keg Staples

---Seven and 57/100 dollars only.

---Authority.

Letter 123-55-5 Date 15 Ap. 1924

Material supplied, work performed
prices fair and just.
March 20/24.

160	27	.43
2810	18	5.06
	WC	2.08
		<u>7.57</u>

Handwritten: Norway House Bd. School No. 1. Dunn
Pay 67

Certified Correct,

Inspector of Indian Agencies.
Agent - E Underwood

Winnipeg Inspector
MAR 11 1924
2861
WINNIPEG, MAN.

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Indian Education Vots
1924-25

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, Mar 31 1925

by Receiver General - 241.47

Refund to 1923-24 Indian

Education Vots. Amount

transferred from Wm Gordon's
personal acct. — Advance

for work on Norway House

Bdy School

89 April 7/25 A.M.

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DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 11 1924
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DEPT OF ACCOUNTANTS
11 1924
CANADA

No. 6733

DUPLICATE, FOR DEPARTMENT.

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m.
DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 11 1924
RECORDED

Bank of Montreal,

\$241.47

April 10th, 1924.

Ottawa,

RECEIVED from Dept.

on account Indian Funds.

the sum of Two hundred and forty one 47/100..... Dollars,
which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this
Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

Ent'd.

A. H. W.
Pro. Manager.

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Vote No. 7

Treaty No. 5

Department of Indian Affairs

To Wm/Gordon

Indian Agent

Norway House.

R

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
1924.	CASH STATEMENT, Vote 7. for March, 1924. Norway House Agency.	
March 1	<u>Receipts.</u> Balance on hand,	241.47
	<u>Expenditures.</u> Vote 7/Rec. 915. Emergency supplies, Cross Lake Day School 2.50 ✓	
	" 916. Lumber for stable, N.H.I.B.S. 46.17 ✓	48.67
	Balance in Vote 7. \$192.80	
	Lumber purchased to replace lumber borrowed to complete school stable. Bought from only person who had it at Norway House, at very reasonable price.	
	Amount accounted for	TOTAL, 48.67

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Wm Gordon

Agent.

No. 532A.

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1 *Am.*
2 *Sec.*

Sir:

Ottawa, April 30, 1924.

I have to authorize you to discuss with the Principal of the Norway House Indian Residential School the type of hen house which is required at that institution. \$600 is available from Parliamentary Appropriation for Indian Education for this purpose. You should be guided in your deliberations by the amount allowed. You may, without further authority, arrange for the purchase of the materials necessary for the hen house and you may engage a competent carpenter, if necessary, to assist the school staff and older boys with the work. If labour is engaged, proper time sheets in duplicate should be kept and should show the receipts of the man employed. You will please secure competitive prices for the materials to be purchased and when submitting a properly certified account, in duplicate, in favour of the firm given the business, you should support it with an Abstract of Tender form showing the firms asked to quote and the prices quoted. If an accountable cheque to pay the labour is required, please requisition for the same. The expenditure authorized, viz.: \$600, should not be exceeded.

Your obedient servant,

Wm. Gordon
J. D. McLean
Wm. Gordon
Wm. Gordon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Norway House, Man.

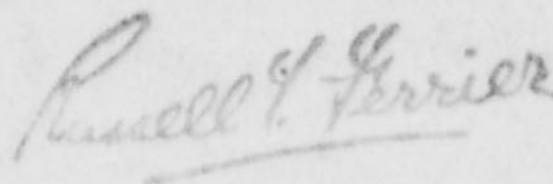
J. D. McLean
J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.



May 17, 1924.

MEMO FOR FILE:

Mr. Indian Agent Gordon, during his visit, reports that the north foundation of the Norway House Indian Residential School is giving trouble every winter during the heavy frost. Replacement or repairs should be made so that the building will be safeguarded. It is suggested that Mr. Gordon have the foreman or contractor for the new hospital examine this foundation early this summer. He will then report to the Department and remedial measures should be taken immediately. There is an item in the Estimates for repairs at this school.



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Night Letter	L

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CANADIAN NATIONAL TELEGRAM

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CHAS. E. DAVIES, ACTING GEN'L MANAGER

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SECRETARY DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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OTTAWA ONT

COLONEL STEVENSON DOMINION FORESTRY INSPECTOR HAS BEEN OFFERED
FROM NAVY FORTY FOOT STEAM PINNACE EX NIOBE HALIFAX FOR
SERVICE ON LAKE WINNIPEG NOT BEING SUITABLE HE SUGGESTS TRANSFER
BE MADE TO INDIAN DEPARTMENT FOR THE NORWAY HOUSE BOARDING
SCHOOL SUCH A BOAT IS AN ABSOLUTE NECESSITY SECURE
IT IF POSSIBLE

T. FERRIER.

USE OUR DIRECT ALL-CANADA SERVICE TO VANCOUVER, VICTORIA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA POINTS

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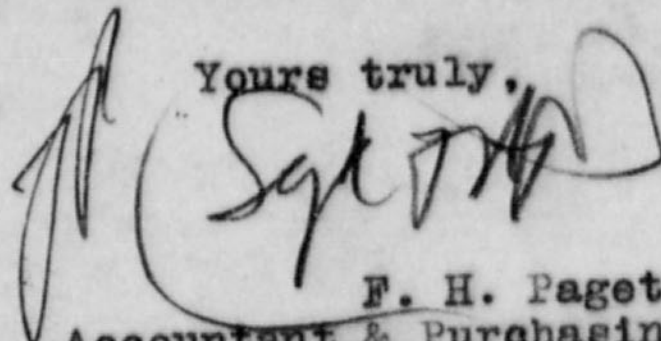
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Ottawa, June 11, 1924.

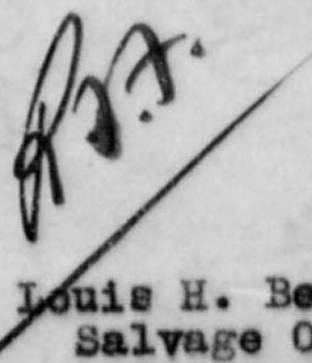
Sir:

This Department requires for the use of the Norway House Indian Residential School a small gas boat. One 25 feet long, drawing not more than 4 feet, would be suitable. It may be that some government department will have a boat of this kind surplus to their requirements and that it could be transferred to Indian Affairs. If a boat is available any great distance from Selkirk, Man., where it would have to be unloaded, it should be in good condition or transfer would be unwarranted because of the heavy freight charges.

Yours truly,



F. H. Paget,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.



Louis H. Beer, Esq.,
Salvage Officer,
Government Contracts
Supervision Committee,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, June 11, 1924.

Reverend Sir:

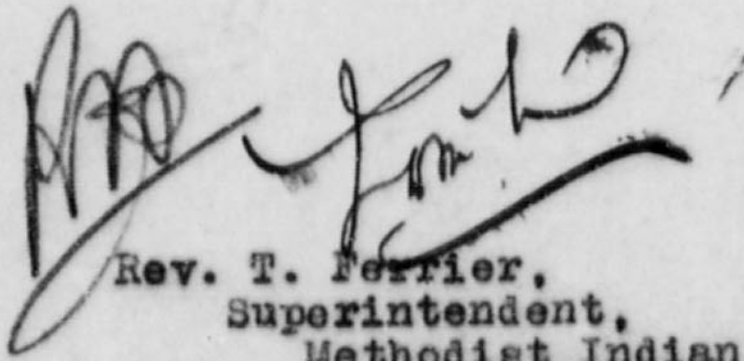
I have your telegram of yesterday's date, with reference to a boat for the Norway House Indian Residential School. In reply I have to inform you that the Department got in touch with the Government Contracts Supervision Committee, as soon as your telegram was received, and it was learned that this boat had been sold. The purchase price of \$300 indicates that the value of the boat was too small to warrant shipment from Halifax to Selkirk.

From time to time there are boats surplus to requirements of other government departments and the Department has written to the Government Contracts Supervision Committee, asking for an intimation in the case of suitable equipment being available for transfer.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent,
Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

BRANDON, June 19th, 1924.

EXTRACT FROM PRIVATE LETTER TO MR. SUTHERLAND FROM THE
SUPERINTENDENT OF INDIAN EDUCATION.

OK

I met Mr. Blackford of Norway House School in Inspector Bunn's office. He was requesting a good wire fence for the school. Inspector Bunn and I know the situation and we agree he should have it. Dogs are terrible on the Norway House Reserve. So please get the Deputy Minister's authority to spend approximately \$450 to properly fence the property on which the school buildings are situated. See Mr. Paget re the purchase. If he will allow competitive prices in Winnipeg, send Inspector Bunn the authority right away. The specifications are very important and are as follows: -

2550 Ft. 15 gauge, 2 Inch mesh, 60 inches high, fox wire (Est. cost \$400),

2550 Ft. barbed wire (for top strand) (Est. cost \$45),

1 Suitable front gate (Est. cost \$5),

60 Lbs. staples (Est. cost \$8).

4 458.00
Let Bunn purchase in Winnipeg way

Please note that if 15 gauge wire is not available it should be 14 not 16. This is the only fence that will keep dogs (huskies) out of property and will last many years. Mr. Blackford has the posts and will do all labour. There is an item of \$900 in for Norway House repairs, etc.

I would have authorized Mr. Bunn to buy, but for the fact that the material is such that Mr. Paget might want manufacturers in East to quote. If they are, give them the fox wire only and let Mr. Bunn purchase gate, staples, and barb wire. If Mr. Paget decides on local purchase, Mr. Bunn should get the specifications and he will work fast as he knows it is advisable to have up the fence soon to protect flower beds, garden and other property.

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Ottawa, June 21, 1924.

Sir:

A request has been received through the Superintendent of Indian Education, who is at present in the West, to supply for the use of the Norway House Indian Residential School sufficient wire, staples, etc., to erect a good wire fence for the protection of the school gardens and other property. He has furnished an estimate of the quantity of fencing, etc., required and states that he has consulted the principal and yourself regarding the matter.

The Department will approve of the supplying of this equipment and I have to request that you will arrange for the purchase and delivery of the same, after obtaining competitive prices from a number of dealers. Properly certified vouchers in duplicate, together with an abstract giving the names of the firms asked to quote and the prices quoted, should be forwarded in the usual manner. The specifications of the fencing, etc., required are as follows:

2550 ft. 15 gauge, 2 inch mesh, 60 inches high, fox wire.

2550 ft. barbed wire (for top strand).

1 suitable front gate.

60 lbs. staples.

Please note that if 15 gauge wire is not available, either 14 or 16 gauge should be obtained. The estimated cost of supplying this fencing is approximately \$458. We understand that the Principal has the posts and will be responsible for all labour in erecting the fence, without charge to the Department. The above purchase should receive your prompt attention.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. R. Bunn, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Chambers of Commerce,
Princess St.,
Winnipeg, Man.

(Original on 150-30.)

Ottawa, July 12th, 1924.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 11th instant, containing particulars regarding a motor launch which the Soldier Settlement Board have for disposal at Castlegar, B.C.

In reply I beg to say it is considered that this boat would not meet the requirements of the Indian residential school at Norway House.

Yours very truly,

sq. F. H. Paget
F. H. Paget, *per S.A.*
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.

L.H.
L.H. Beer, Esq.,
Salvage Officer,
Govt. Contracts Supervision Committee,
Ottawa, Ont.

List of requirements for construction of a Hen House at the
Norway House Boarding School.

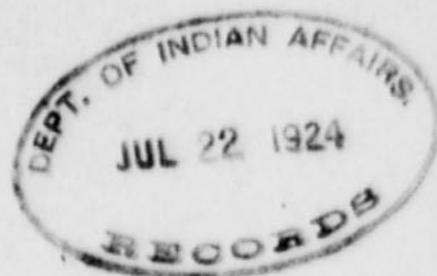
F. O. B. Selkirk.

1500 ft. Clear fir siding
3000 ft. # 1 Shiplap
2000 ft. Boards
6000 Lin ft. 1 x 2.
100 pcs. 2 x 4 - 14.
60 " 2 x 4 - 12.
12 rolls C. F. Tar
12 rolls C. F. Plain
46 bundles Shingles, XXX
50 sax Cement
18 sacks 10 x 18 - 31 lbs. (2 ft. 10 ins. x 1 ft. 10 ins. O. A.)
1 roll Wire Screen, 30 ins. wide.
1 Keg 4 in. Nails
1 " 2½ in. Nails
1 " Shingle Nails.

123-5-5

Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

Brandon, Man. July 18th., 1924.



[Handwritten signature]

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.,

Dear Sir,

On behalf of the Norway House Boarding School a request has been made for provision in the estimates for the construction of a hen house.

In harmony with this request I enclose a list of the material required for a building 56 ft. by 14 ft.

If the Department approves this expenditure I would appreciate very much if you will instruct Mr. Inspector Bunn of Winnipeg to purchase this material and have it shipped at the earliest possible date to Norway House.

By so doing you will greatly oblige

Yours respectfully,

T. Ferrier

Enclo.

[Faint circular stamp: NORWAY HOUSE BOARDING SCHOOL]

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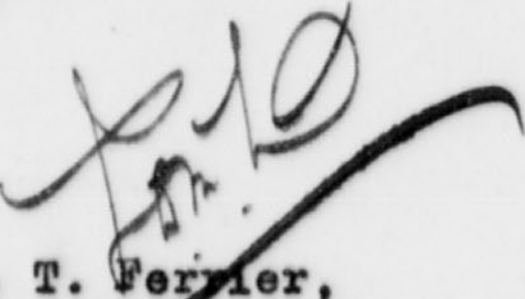
Ottawa, July 23, 1924.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 18th instant, regarding the construction of a hen house at the Norway House Indian Residential School and enclosing a list of the material required. In this connection I have to inform you that Mr. Agent Gordon, Norway House, was authorized by official letter of April 30th, last, to arrange for the purchase of the materials necessary and to engage a competent carpenter to assist the school staff and older boys with the work of erection. He was requested to secure competitive prices for the material. He was informed that the amount provided towards the cost of erecting the hen house was \$500 and that this amount was not to be exceeded. It is therefore presumed that the agent has arranged for the purchase of the material, as instructed.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent,
Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tend^o called.

1924 by ~~letter~~ ~~phone~~

February

1924... Opened.

to buy

1927.... by

by A. J. A. J.[illegible]

UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed 1 No. 1000

Dept. of Indian Affairs

City or town Winnipeg Province Man.

DATE 28 July '74

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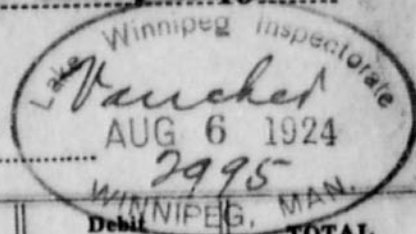
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SELKIRK, Man., July 31st, 1924.

SOLD TO Department of Indian Affairs.

Norway House Boarding School.

Accounts due 7th of following month



Date	ARTICLES	Folio	Credit Amount	Debit Amount	TOTAL
	<u>Shipped by Northern Fish Co.</u>				
July 31st	1 x 6 Fir Siding 1500' @ 39.00	2812		58 50	
	1 x 8 Shiplap #1 3000' @ 35.00			105 00	
	1 x 6 #3 Cedar Bds. 2000' @ 28.00			56 00	
	6000 l.ft. 1 x 2, 1000' @ 37.00			37 00	
	100 2 x 4--14 933'			47 33	
	60 2 x 4--12 480 1413' @ 33.50			55 78	
	11 1/2 M XXX Shingles @ 4.85			33 00	
	30 sax Cement @ 1.10			25 20	
	18 10 x 18 3 lt. sash @ 1.40			18 50	
	12 Rolls L.F. Tarred Paper @ 1.55			16 20	
	12 " " Plain " @ 1.35			4 35	
	1 roll 2" wire screen 30"			5 45	
	1 Keg 4" nails			5 65	
	1 " 2 1/2" "			6 90	
	1 " Shingle nails			474 96	

Four hundred and seventy four & 96/100 dollars only.

Authority,

Letter # 123-5-5
Dated April 30, 1924.
To Agent Gordon.

Certified Correct.

Wm. D. Bunn
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

EXAMINED and found correct.
H. C. G. H. L. ...

Ant Aug. 15/24

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Interest charged at Eight per cent. on Overdue Accounts.

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YOUR ORDER

123-5-5
THE
J.H. ASHDOWN HARDWARE CO.
LIMITED
RETAIL DEPARTMENT

Delivered to Indian Agent, for School,
Norway House, Man.

WINNIPEG, July 5/24 192
MAN.

SOLD TO Dominion Government,

ADDRESS Dept. of Indian Affairs.

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Ledger
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Salesman

Nº 61476

SS 3295

C	17	Rolls Fox Wire English 15 Ga. 48"	17.00	289.00	✓
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---Two hundred and eighty nine dollars only.

---Authority.

Letter 123-5-5,
Date June 21 1924.

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found correct.

CERTIFIED CORRECT

Inspector of Indian Agencies

Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
JUL 29 1924
WINNIPEG

Material supplied, work performed
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SHIPPED TO: Indian Agent Norway House, Selkirk, Man.
 Via. Northern Fish Co.

TERMS 30 days net

10	Spools	4 Pt. Barb Wire	3.95
240	lbs 7 1/2"	Staples	.05
25	lbs 3"	Nails	.05
1	only 4'x4'	Plain Gate with Hinges	3.25

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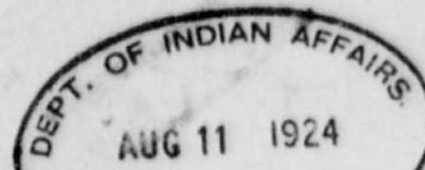
DEBIT MEMORANDUM

**MARSHALL-WELLS
COMPANY LIMITED**



Dom. of Canada

Dept. of Indian Affairs
208 Princess St.



RECORDS



Winnipeg, July 8th 1924

Register Number 7-2-148

2977

WE HAVE CHARGED YOUR ACCOUNT AS FOLLOWS

To Prepaid Freight Charges on shipment to you
at Selkirk, as per copy of expense bill attached \$ 2.63

-----Two & 63/100 dollars only. Frt on Voucher #2990. and

-----Authority,
123-5-5, Date June 21, 1923

found correct.

H. G. G. H. G.

CERTIFIED CORRECT

Inspector of Indian Agencies

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W. T. Herrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Schools and Hospitals in Canada

123-5-5

Brandon, August 19th, 1924.

R



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario

Dear Sir,-

During a recent visit to the Norway House Boarding School I made a particular inspection of the land they are clearing and bringing under cultivation at Hope Island. The principal has about fifty acres cleared and the greater part of it broken. In order to do this work he has found it necessary to build a house for the men to live in during the winter while engaged in cutting down the trees. At another point on the island he has also found it necessary to build another dwelling and a stable for the horses and cattle housed there during the winter. The first house is 18' x 20' and the other 24' x 26'. The stable is about the same size as the second dwelling. All the buildings are well constructed log buildings. The principal has spent about \$800 in cash for flooring, ceiling, window frames, doors, windows and hardware. I would estimate the value of the buildings at about \$2500.

As this is an improvement in connection with the land used for school property I would appreciate it very much if the Department would make a contribution of \$800 towards the construction of these buildings.

Yours respectfully,

T. Herrier



GD

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Indian Boarding School

Norway House, Man. August 19-1924
19

Rev. T. Ferrier
Supt. of Meth. Indian Schools in Can.
Brandon, Man.

Dear Mr. Ferrier,-

As this is a rainy day I have had the engineer, Mr. Parrott, and Mr. Chastellaine at our heater -- you remember this was condemned some years ago-- and later I asked the plumber from the hospital to come over and look at it. These men all say it is not worth sending in to get fixed up. The bottom is weak and the end is leaking again. The plumber from the hospital suggests that a heater of the following dimensions, and attachments be secured.

Please note specifications-

- Extra Heavy Tank-- (This will stand 150 lbs pressure)

- Capacity -----420 gallons
- Size -----36X8
- Openings ----- 1 Top-- 2 bottom - 1 end
- Manifold Coil , inside to heat water
- Manhole in shell
- Safety Valve.

It is imperative that we secure one of these immediately as we need the water for laundry purposes beside the kitchen and bath purposes.

I have interviewed Mr. Gordon, Indian Agent and he advises me he will O.K. this requisition so that you may get quick action on the matter.

Thanking you.

Yours sincerely

James T. Blackford

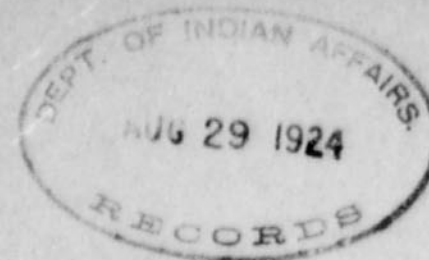
This is a necessary repair.

Wm Gordon

Indian Agent.

123-5-5

J. U. Ferrier
Intendant of Methodist
Schools and Hospitals in Canada



Brandon, August 26th, 1924.

R

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

I am enclosing you a communication from Mr. Blackford,
principal of the Norway House Boarding School.

You will notice it is endorsed by Mr. Gordon, your
Agent and I thought it best to send it on so that it will
save time. If Mr. Bunn, Winnipeg, were given authority to
purchase this tank and it were sent up right away it would
give the plumbers an opportunity to instal it while there.

I trust this will receive the favorable consideration
of the Department.

Yours sincerely,

J. Ferrier

GD

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CANADIAN PACIFIC R.Y. CO.'S TELEGRAM

123-5-5.

FORM T. D. 20

NIGHT LETTERGRAM

J. McMILLAN, General Manager of Telegraphs, Montreal.

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Send the following night lettergram, without repeating, subject to the terms and conditions printed on the back hereof, which are hereby agreed to.

Ottawa, August 29, 1924.

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner, Regina, Sask.

Make arrangements for purchase of one hot water storage tank
thirty-six by eight capacity four hundred and twenty gallons heavy
material to stand one hundred and fifty pounds pressure with one top
two bottom and one end openings manifold coil inside to heat water
manhole in shell and safety valve - STOP - Ship to Agent Gordon for
Norway House Residential School.

A. F. MacKenzie.

CHG. DEPT. I. A.

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Ottawa, August 29, 1924.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 19th instant, with reference to a grant to reimburse the Norway House Indian Residential School management for expenditure, which has been incurred erecting buildings on the property at Hope Island. In reply I regret to inform you that no funds were provided for this purpose and favourable consideration cannot be given.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

T. Ferrier
AFM
Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent,
Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

Ottawa, August 29, 1924.

Sir:

I have to inform you that the Principal of the Norway House Indian Residential School and Mr. Indian Agent Gordon have recommended that a new hot water storage tank be supplied for the school. I have to confirm night letter of today's date, as follows: -

"Make arrangements for purchase of one hot water storage tank, thirty-six by eight, capacity four hundred and twenty gallons, heavy material to stand one hundred and fifty pounds pressure, with one top, two bottom and one end openings, manifold coil inside to heat water, manhole in shell and safety valve. Ship to Agent Gordon for Norway House Residential School."

It was necessary to telegraph you in this connection, as early shipment was advisable so that the plumbers who are now at Norway House could do the installation.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

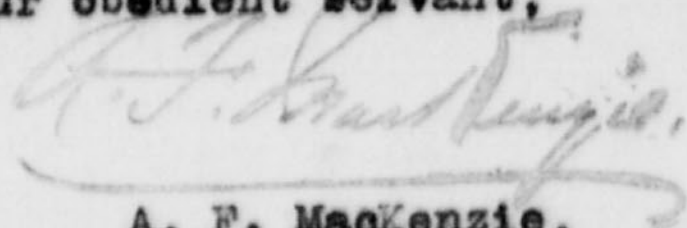
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Ottawa, August 29, 1924.

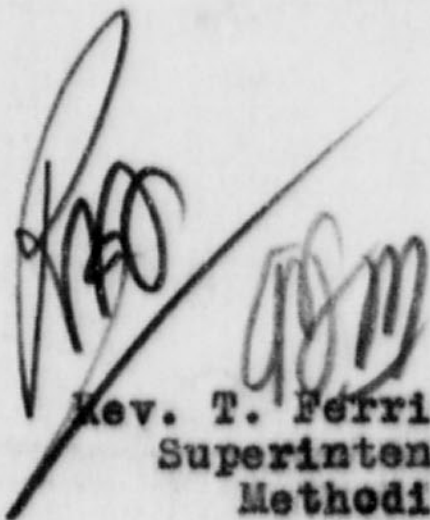
Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 26th instant, with reference to the advisability of supplying immediately a hot water storage tank for the Norway House Indian Residential School. I have noted Mr. Indian Agent Gordon's recommendation. I am pleased to inform you, in reply, that a night letter was directed to Mr. Commissioner Graham, of Regina, authorizing him to arrange for the purchase and shipment without delay.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.



Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent,
Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

123-5-5



Brandon, August 27th, 1924.
Man.

R

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

We are needing the following wire for fencing a yard
in connection with the new hen-house at Norway House:

- 5 rolls of 5' Poultry wire fence
- 5 rolls of Pig Wire fence
- 5 rolls of Barbed wire
- 100 lbs of staples

The pig wire is necessary to run around the bottom
in order to keep out dogs and the barbed is necessary for
the top to prevent climbing over. We ought to sink a barbed
wire around the bottom as well just below the ground.

If Inspector Bunn could be authorized to purchase this
and send it out, I would appreciate it very much. I am
sending Mr. Blackford 100 fowl and would like the fencing
there as soon as possible.

yours respectfully,

T. Ferrier

GD

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Send the following Night Letter, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, September 2, 1924.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Indian Residential School,
Brandon, Man.

Reference your letter of twenty-eighth ultimo relative Norway House henhouse - STOP - Department has authorized expenditure of six hundred dollars - STOP - Accounts for material amounting to four hundred and seventy-five dollars have been paid and remainder may be necessary for labour - STOP - Advise you to make purchase and ship fencing after securing competitive prices - STOP - Account will be given consideration.

A. F. MacKenzie.

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DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS OTTAWA ONT

WIRE ME LOCATION AND SIZE OF OPENINGS TANK NORWAYHOUSE
WHETHER VERTICAL OR HORIZONTAL

W M GRAHAM.

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Send the following Night Letter, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, Sept. 4, 1924.

W.M. Graham,

Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

Reference Norway House School tank size of openings two
inches STOP Horizontal setting STOP Position of openings indicated
my telegram of 29th ultimo.

A. F. MacKenzie.

Chg. L.A.

*Mr. MacKenzie: x.
The original specification of this
tank provided for a horizontal
setting etc. J.P.B.*

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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

123-5-5-



Brandon, September 4th, 1924.
Man.

Immediate
[Signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

I understand from the principal of the Norway House Boarding school that a new battery is required in connection with the electric light plant. He has had the electrician who is installing the plant at the hospital look his over and it appears that unless new ones are sent in they are likely to be in darkness next winter.

It will require 32 cells comprising 250 volt Plants.

I would appreciate very much if the Department would give instructions to have these sent out at the earliest possible date. It would be an advantage to have them out there before the electrician leaves Norway House. I understand that the old batteries were shipped out to be re-charged and fixed up but a number of glasses were broken in transit and the price of repairing would cost as much as new batteries. I believe the cost of the 32 cells will be about \$540 with a 20% discount for cash.

yours respectfully,

T. Ferrier

GD

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 207-11A

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

D REGINA, SASK., Sept. 5th, 1924

Archd
McPherson
Sir:-

R

I have your letter of the 29th ultimo, confirming a telegram which you sent to me on the same date with reference to the purchase of a "storage tank 36" x 8', capacity 420 gallons, heavy material to stand 150 lbs. pressure, with one top, two bottom and one end openings, manifold coil inside to heat water, manhole in shell and safety valve. Ship to Agent Gordon for Norway House Residential School."

You point out that it was necessary to telegraph in this connection as early shipment was advisable. I was in Winnipeg when I received this telegram and I got competitive prices from the Vulcan Iron Works and the Manitoba Bridge and Iron Works. The former's price was \$205.00, with \$15.00 extra for a safety valve; the latter's price was \$201.00 and \$8.50 for the safety valve. After reading the description of what was required to the two companies, they asked me at what particular position on the boiler these openings were to be placed. As your telegram did not make this quite clear, nor did it state what size the openings were to be, or whether the boiler was to be perpendicular or horizontal, I wired you at once from Winnipeg, hoping to get an answer so that I could take it up with the company before leaving.

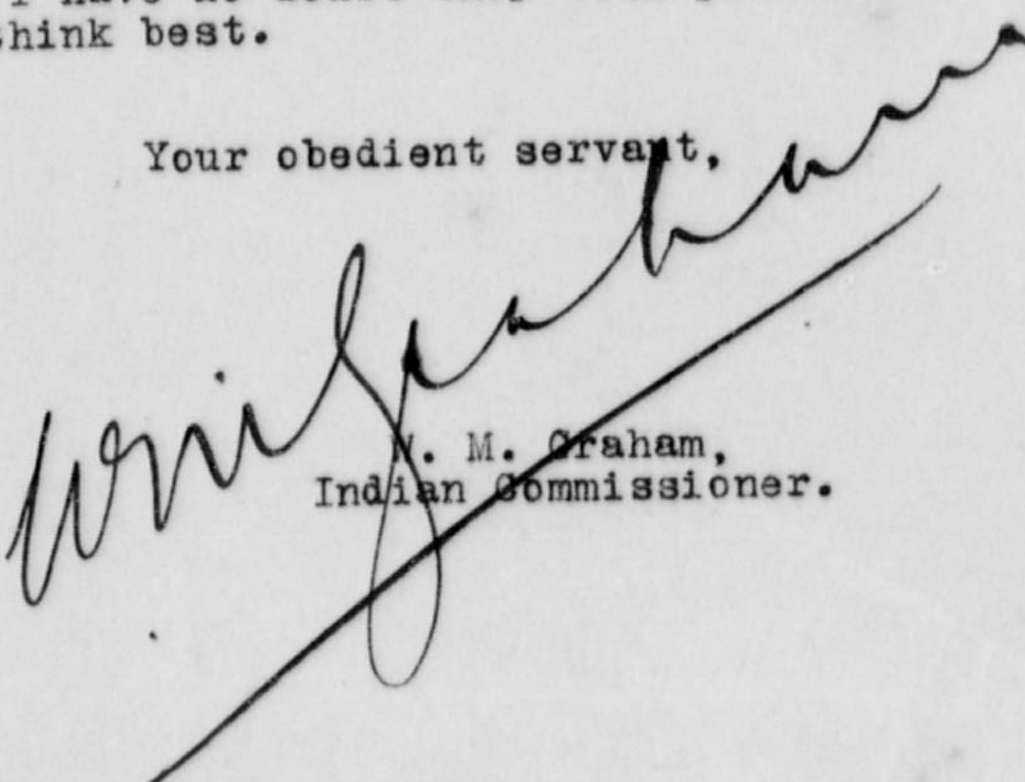
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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As your telegram did not reach me until after I arrived home, in fact only reached me on the 5th, I was compelled to phone long distance in to Winnipeg and give them the information. I may state, however, that it did not give me all the information asked for, as you stated that the position of the openings were indicated in your telegram to me. All your telegram said was that there were to be openings, - "one top, two bottom and one in the end". I suppose the company wanted to know how many inches from the end and at what position on the boiler the openings were to be made. However, I have given them the contents of your telegram and I have no doubt they will place the openings where they think best.

Your obedient servant,


N. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.



123-5-5.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

September 9, 1924.

Memorandum:

No action
Dr. Scott *del*

The Superintendent of Methodist Indian Schools reports that the electrician who is installing the electric light at the Norway House Hospital has stated new cells are needed for the electric lighting plant at the boarding school. It appears that the battery of 32 cells, which was supplied in 1920, was sent out to be recharged and repaired. A number of cells were broken in transit and Rev. Mr. Ferrier states that the price of repairing would cost as much as a new set. He estimates the cost of 32 new cells at \$432.

Mr. Orr informs me that, with proper care, the battery should last longer than 4 years. I shall be pleased to have your instructions.

Russell A. Ferrier

Supt. of Indian Education.

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Mr. [unclear] Secretary
1. [unclear]
2. [unclear]
3. [unclear]

Reverend Sir:

Ottawa, Sept. 10, 1924.

I have your letter with reference to the electric light plant at the Norway House Indian Residential School. I have noted that it may be necessary to purchase new cells for the battery. I regret that the Department cannot give favourable consideration to the question of authority in this connection as the battery, if given proper care, would have lasted longer than four years. You may remember that 32 cells were purchased from J. E. Yates & Co., of Brandon, at a cost of \$700 in 1920. Any necessary replacements this year should be made from per capita grant.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
 A. F. MacKenzie,
 Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R.T.F.
[Signature]
 Rev. T. Ferrier,
 Superintendent,
 Methodist Indian Schools,
 Brandon, Man.





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FORM T. D. 1

CABLE CONNECTIONS TO ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

J. McMILLAN, General Manager of Telegraphs, Montreal.

6RN .. 7:23AM

52 L. BRANDON MAN SEP 21-22-24.

SECY DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
OTTAWA.

A PROPERLY QUALIFIED ENGINEER HAS OVERHAULED STEAM FURNACES AT NORWAY
-HOUSE MANY OF THE FLUES ARE BADLY RUSTEE AND WORM OUT. SECURED ENOUGH
TO FIT UP ONE FURNACE THEY REQUIRE FIFTY NEW TUBES FOURTEEN FEET LONG
DIAMETER THREE AND HALF INCHES MR. BLACKFORD IN THE CITY ,AND WOULD TAKE
THEM OUT ,WIRE INSTRUCTIONS.

T.FERRIER.

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who estimates
cost \$350.
R.F.
Lapier
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123-5-5.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, Sept. 22, 1924.

Memorandum:

Mr. McLean.

OK
A telegram has been received from the Superintendent of Methodist Indian Schools, requesting that fifty new tubes be supplied for the steam furnaces at the Norway House Indian Residential School. A qualified engineer has overhauled these furnaces and has fitted up one with the old flues. The Public Works estimate the cost of 50 tubes at \$350.

John D. [unclear]
As this replacement is necessary, I wish to recommend that authority be given to the church officials to purchase in Winnipeg, after securing competitive prices. Funds can be found in the Appropriation for Indian Education.

Supt. of Indian Education.

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Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, Sept. 22, 1924.

REV. T. FERRIER,
Indian Residential School,
Brandon, Man.

You are authorized to purchase after securing
competitive prices fifty tubes for Norway House furnaces.

J. D. McLean.

Chg. Dept. I.

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OF A BOILER TO HEAT WATER FOR THE NORWAY HOUSE
BOARDING SCHOOL WHAT ACTION WAS TAKEN BY THE DEPARTMENT IF
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Sold to Dept of Indian Affairs

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Ottawa Sept 19 1924

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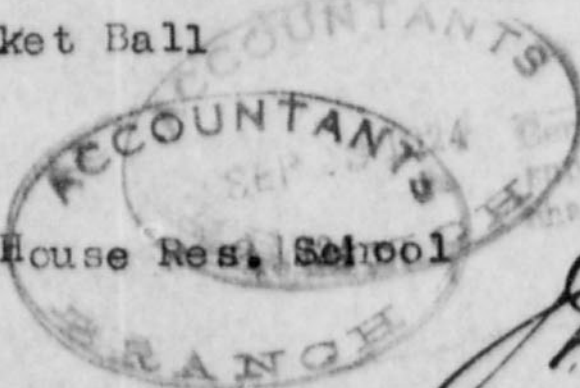
\$23.75

1 Basket Ball

8.00

\$31.75

For Norway House Res. School



J. D. Sutherland
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Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, Sept. 24, 1924.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Indian Residential School,
Brandon, Man.

Mr. Commissioner Graham placed order in Winnipeg
for Norway House water tank on fifth instant.

J. D. McLean.

[Signature]
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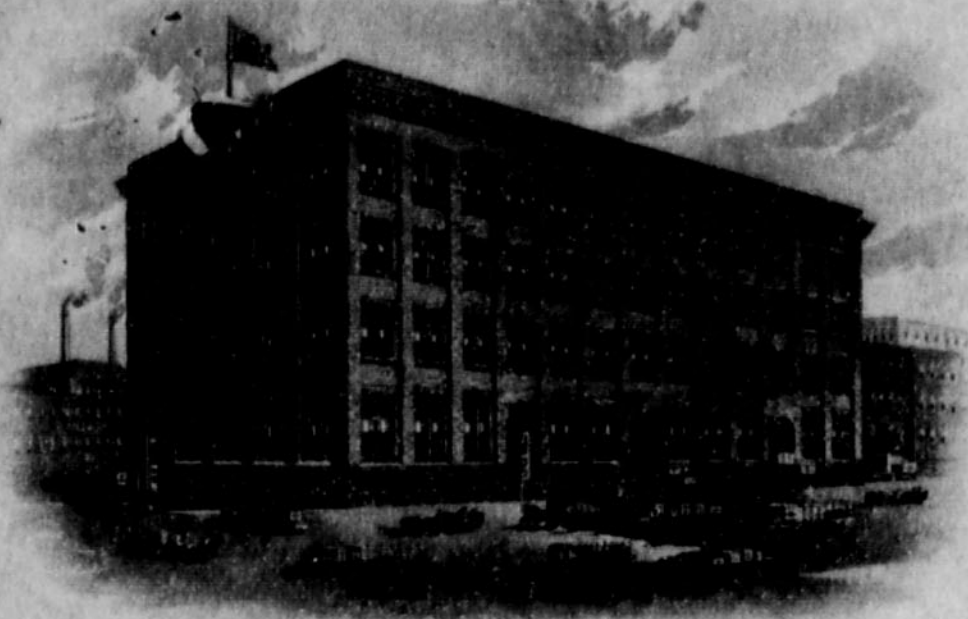
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Iron & Hardware Merchants.

Winnipeg, Sept 23, 1924
Canada.

ADDRESS REPLY TO THE COMPANY

ATTENTION OF W. B. Lawson

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Brandon Industrial School,
Brandon, Man.

Dear Sir,

Referring to your enquiry regarding
Boiler Tubes, we beg to quote on the above
49¢ per foot f.o.b. Winnipeg.

We can make immediate shipment and
trust you will find this price satisfactory.

Yours truly,

WOOD VALLANCE Limited.

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**MILLER-MORSE HARDWARE COMPANY
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WINNIPEG,
CANADA.

Sept. 23, 1924.

Rev. C. Ferrier,
c/o Industrial School,
Brandon, Man.

Dear Sir:-

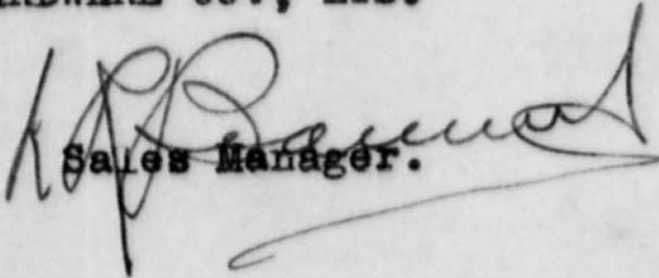
In answer to an enquiry which we received by telephone this morning from your Winnipeg office, we are pleased to quote you price of 49¢ per ft. on a quantity of 50 only Boiler Flues 14 ft. x 3½". This price is F.O.B. our warehouse and subject to immediate acceptance.

Thanking you very much for this enquiry, and assuring you that we will be glad to receive your instructions to make shipment at an early date, we are,

Yours very truly,

MILLER-MORSE HARDWARE CO., LTD.

L.R. Beaumont.
M.D.T.


Sales Manager.

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SOLD TO

WINNIPEG, CANADA Sept. 23rd. 1924

The Indian Boarding School
Norway House
Man.

OUR INVOICE NO. 6374

YOUR ORDER NO.

SHIPPED VIA

INDIAN EDUCATION

c/o Northern Fish Co. Selkirk Man.

2% 30 DAYS

NET 30 DAYS

50 Only 3 1/2 x 14 Ft Boiler Flues ..700 49 N

Wholesale Price

Material supplied. Work performed.
Prices fair and just, each item a proper
charge against the Gov't. of Canada.

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found correct.

[Signature]

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Sent Oct 15/24

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T. Fries
Superintendent

Sent 30-9-24

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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

123-5-5

Brandon, Man.

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The Secretary Department
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont

Dear Sir

Enclosed find tender for
pipe for furnace at Norway
House boarding school
also invoice from Wood Vallance Ltd
whose tender was accepted

The amount \$343⁰⁰

Authority for this purchase
was given by telegram of 22nd

Thanks for the same.

INDIAN EDUCATION

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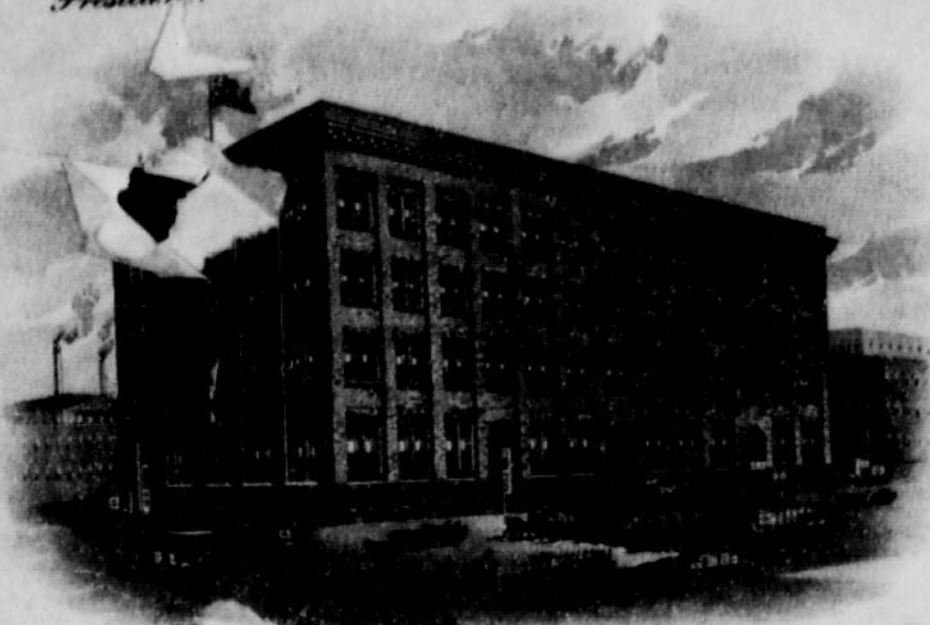
Yours Respectfully
T. Ferrier

W.A. Wood,
President.

J.C. Falls,
Vice Pres. & Gen. Mgr.

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Secy. Treas.



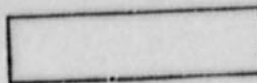
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Wood, Vallance Limited.
WHOLESALE
Iron & Hardware Merchants.



Winnipeg, Oct. 9th, 1924.
Canada.

ADDRESS REPLY TO THE COMPANY
ATTENTION OF J.J. Lawson.

The Secretary, Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Gentlemen:-

We are today in receipt of your remittance
for \$336.14, cheque No. 2824, dated October 3rd, in
settlement of our invoice under date of September 23rd
for \$343.00.

On checking this item up we find this invoice
is net and therefore not subject to 2% discount allowed on
discount purchases. If you will be good enough to check
this item up you will no doubt find this amount is shown in
the net column and not the 2% column. We are therefore
taking the liberty of charging this small amount, namely
\$6.86, back to your account and would ask you to kindly in-
clude same when making your next remittance.

Thanking you for the above, we are,

Yours truly,
WOOD, VALLANCE Limited.

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Ottawa, October 17th, 1924.

Dear Sirs,-

With reference to the inclosed statement, I may say that these accounts have not been received here as yet, and until they are duly certified by the official of this Department to whom the supplies were shipped or or who ordered same, payment cannot be made. As these orders were not placed from here, I would advise you to forward this statement to the official of this Department in Winnipeg or elsewhere who placed these orders with you..

Yours truly,



(F.H. Paget)
Accountant and Purchasing Agent.

The Canadian Fairbanks-Morse Company, Ltd.,
Winnipeg, Man.

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PHONES:
Store Dept. - - 21
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WM. ROBINSON COMPANY, Limited

DEALERS IN

Dry Goods, Men's Furnishings, Groceries, Flour and Feed

Boots and Shoes, Crockery

LUMBER, LATH, SHINGLES, SASH, DOORS, WOOD AND BRICK

ACCOUNT No.

Letter Folio

SELKIRK, Man., Sept. 30th, 19 24.

SOLD TO Indian Boarding School,

Accounts due 7th of following month

Norway House.

Date	ARTICLES	Folio	Credit Amount	Debit Amount	TOTAL
	<u>Completion Hen-House</u>				
Sept. 24	63 pcs. $\frac{1}{2}$ x 12 - 16 1008 @ 25.00	3400		25 20	
	12 " 2 x 4 - 16 128 @ 35.50			4 54	
	3 screw pulleys @ .10			30	
	50 ft. Mosquito netting @ 08			4 00	
	2 Door Latches @ 40			80	
	2 prs. strap hinges @ 30			60	
	20 yds. 8-oz duck @ 40			8 00	
				<u>43 44</u>	
Material supplied, Work performed, Prices fair and just, each item a proper charge against the Gov't. of Canada. <i>J. Service</i> Principal Superintendent 3458 Int. Acct. 24/24 EXAMINED and found correct.					

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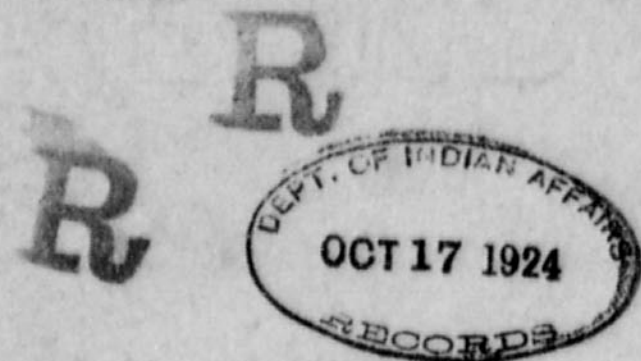
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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

Brandon, October 14th, 1924.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.



Dear Sir,-

Enclosed find an account in favor of William Robinson Co., Selkir, for \$45.44. This was for material necessary to complete the hen-house under construction at Norway House. The principal purchased this on his way north and had to secure it at short notice so took it from the nearest lumber yard to the boat. However, this company is one of the most reliable we have the pleasure of dealing with. I have certified to the account on behalf of the principal.

Yours respectfully,

T. Ferrier

Self

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Oct - 13th

1924

M. & Wm Gordon Indian Agent -
Norway House man

IN ACCOUNT WITH

E. B. SHARPE
CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER

HEAVY CONTRACTS A SPECIALTY BUT NO JOBS TOO SMALL

INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

For Boarding School

July	31	To 17 hr work for tinamith	10 20
"	31	" 36 1/2 bags cement - 1.70	62 05
Aug	3	" 1 1/2 yds sand	7 50
"		" 33 hr. time for plasterer	33 00
"		" 48 " " " laborer.	24 00
"		" 2 lbs galvanized iron	30

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Work on Norway House Boarding School. - repairs, -
repairing cement sidewalk & floors torn up & put in
waterline last fall - also repairs to cave troughs.

Vote To

3457
Oct 24/24

WORK DONE.
CHARGES FAIR AND JUST
Wm Gordon Indian Agent

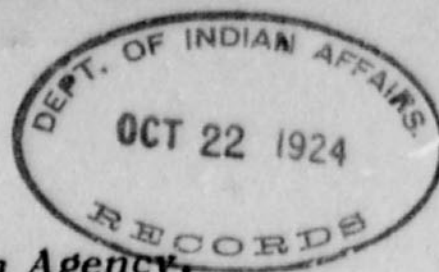
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Letter No. 1647-1B

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Office of the Norway House Indian Agency,

Acft

October 15th 1924

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers

Nos. 550, amounting to \$ 137.05

in favour of E.B. Sharpe, Minnedosa.

for repairs to cement, (School waterline cost) Norway House
Indian Boarding School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated Broken by waterline last fall.

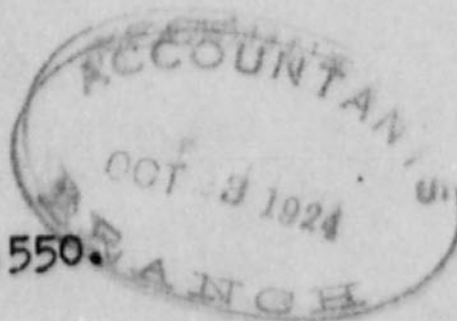
Your obedient servant,

Wm Gordon

Indian Agent.

Vote 7. [Signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



No. 550.

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Rev. T. Ferrier
Superintendent of Methodist
Indian Schools and Hospitals in Canada

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Brandon, November 11th, 1924.
Mail.



Interfile
[Signature]
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

Noted & let.
The following will be required for the Norway House
Boarding School for the next fiscal year:

Workshop costing about \$3,000

An addition made to the kitchen including repairs
to the foundation of the present kitchen which is badly
bulged and broken. This will cost about \$6,000

\$1,000 for general repairs.

Yours respectfully.

T. Ferrier

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LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called.....	September 1924.....	by letter	Due.....	192.....	Opened.....	192.....	by Indian Commissioners
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UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved — tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed W. W. Wallace

Dept. of ~~Industry~~ Affairs. *NY*

DATE Dec. 16, 1924 City or town Regina Province Sask.

Vote No.

Treaty No.

Department of Indian Affairs

To Manitoba Bridge & Iron Works Ltd.,Winnipeg, Man.

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
	For amount of their invoice #3448 date 19th Sept. 1924 as per detailed invoice attached hereto.	213. 88
	Dept. authority by telegram dated 29th of August #123 -5-5	
	<i>Norway House Boarding School</i>	
	INDIAN EDUCATION	
	EXAMINED and found correct. <i>[Signature]</i>	
	<i>Int Rec. 22/24 4615</i>	
	Two hundred & thirteen dollars---88/100 TOTAL,	213. 88

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Voucher #2737

[Signature]
Indian Commissioner

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Phone—N-8341
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STRUCTURAL IRON AND STEEL

C O P Y.

September 19th, 1924

Sold to Dominion of Canada
Ministry of the Interior,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Room 204, 160 Princess St.,
WINNIPEG, Man.

Car
No.

W & S Order

Our
Order

-3448-

Terms:
Net Cash

Our responsibility ceases on delivery of goods to authorized carriers. Prices subject to change without notice.

1 Extra Heavy Black Horizontal
Water Storage Tank, 36" x 8'0"
with Coil and Manhole in body
four 2" openings. 845#

Freight

Federal Tax @ 5%

201.36

2.45

203.81

10.07

\$213.88

Shipped to Wm. Gordon, Indian Agent.
Norway, House. Man.



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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 207-11 A

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

act

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

M

REGINA, SASK., Dec. 16th, 1924

Sir:

I beg to enclose herewith and recommend for payment Regina voucher #2737 in favour of the Manitoba Bridge & Iron Works, Ltd., Winnipeg representing the cost of a storage tank furnished for use at the school at Norway House.

Your obedient servant,

INDIAN EDUCATION

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham
Indian Commissioner,

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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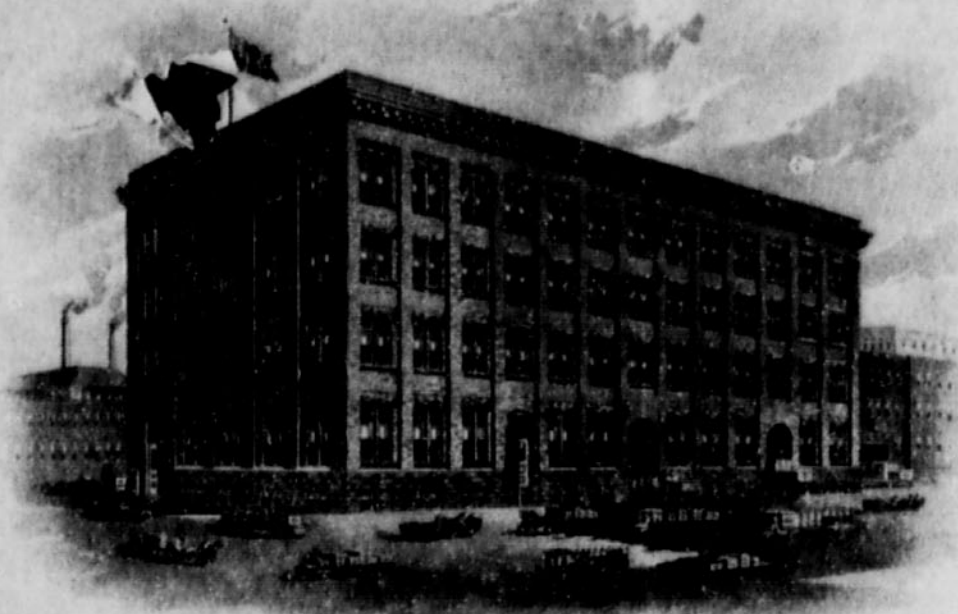
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Winnipeg, Sept 23, 1924
Canada.

ADDRESS REPLY TO THE COMPANY

ATTENTION OF W. B. Lawson

Rev. T. Ferrier,
c/o The Brandon Industrial School,
Brandon, Man.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your enquiry regarding Batteries for your Lighting Plant at Norway House, we wish to quote you on a new set of Batteries of the Glass Jar Type similar to the ones you have been using \$458.00 f.o.b. Winnipeg for 32 Cells.

We note that you only require 28 Cells but as there are 16 Cells in a set we can supply the 2 Sets at less money than we could if we had to break a set. You could use the 28 Cells and the other four cells could be used as replacement in the event any should become broken or damaged.

We might point out that they are 15 Plate Cells slightly larger capacity than the ones you have had. We can supply these Sets immediately.

Trusting to be favored with your order,
we are,

Yours truly,

WOOD, VALLANCE Limited.

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*larger
plate
greater
capacity*

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SOLD TO

WINNIPEG, CANADA

Sept. 23rd 24.

The Indian Boarding School,

Norway House, Man.

OUR INVOICE NO.

6362

YOUR ORDER NO.

SHIPPED VIA

MS.

C/O Northern Fish Co.

2% 30 DAYS

NET 30 DAYS

2 Set Batteries

229 00n

458 00

*For lighting system at
Norway House Boarding
School - Certified Correct*

T. Ferrier

*Ant 13-1-25
5041*

EXAMINED and
found correct.

[Signature]

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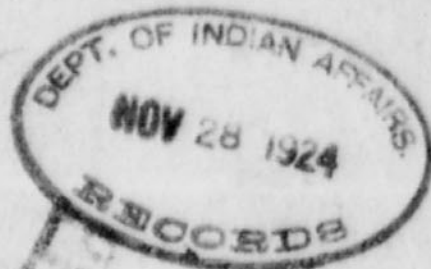
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Brandon, November 25th, 1924.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

Enclosed find a voucher for \$458.00 in favor of Wood Vallance Ltd, Winnipeg. I also enclose you two tenders, one from Wood Vallance and the other from Globelight Battery Co. for battery for the lighting system at the Norway House Boarding School.

tender
I had to accept of the Wood Vallance tender for two reasons. One reason was that it was a slightly larger plant than that tendered for by the other company. The main reason was that I had left Brandon for Toronto before the other one came to hand. As Mr. Blackford was in Winnipeg and was in close touch with the Wood Vallance Co. I 'phoned him to be sure to get the thing he required before leaving the city that he could get it on the last boat leaving Selkirk for Norway House. Mr. W. B. Lawson who has charge of this department in the Wood Vallance Co. accompanied Mr. Blackford to the warehouse giving him a vast amount of time after closing hours. It was through his assistance that we were enabled to get the battery away from Winnipeg and on the boat in time.

Trusting the Department will be able to give this favorable consideration, I am

Yours sincerely,

J. Ferrier

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123-5-5.

Ottawa, January 13, 1925.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of November 25th, last, enclosing a voucher for \$458.00, in favour of Wood, Vallance, Limited, Winnipeg, for a battery for the electric light plant at the Norway House Indian Residential School. I have to inform you that the Deputy Superintendent General has directed that favourable consideration be given and a cheque has been directed to the firm in question.

Enclosure

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent,
Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE



Norway House

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 1967-6A
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

[Handwritten signature]

R

March 9th 1925

Sir,—

I would call the attention of the Department to the large amount of work done and moneys expended by the management of the Norway House Indian Boarding School during the past year on plant. While much of this work was undertaken without the sanction of the Department, some of it was so far agreed to that the material was furnished.—



- I would enumerate some of this work,—
- (a) The whole of the labor in building the hen house.
 - (b) The labor of taking out and replacing the flues in one of the heating boilers.
 - (c) The installation of the boiler for heating water.
 - (d) Considerable fencing.
 - (e) Considerable work on the grounds about the building, levelling, etc.
 - (f) Building of a cottage and stable at Hope Island.
 - (g) Building of a kitchen addition to the engineer's house, and renovating the interior of the house.

For the latter two not only the labor, but the material was supplied by the School. I am assured by the Principal that the lumber cost him over \$900.

As regards the cottage at Hope Island, I may say frankly that I would not have put so much money into this building until production from the Island warranted. There is a possibility that the overhead costs at this point may not be justified by returns.

I would, however, recommend, in view of the large expenditure on both labor and material, which went into the plant that, if it can be arranged, a substantial grant, say \$800.00 be made to the School as compensation in part for this expenditure.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Your obedient servant

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, March 21, 1925.

Sir:

I have your No. 1967-6A of the 9th instant, with reference to the improvements that have been undertaken by the institution management, with some assistance from the Department, at the Norway House Indian Residential School. I note your recommendation that a grant of \$800 be made to assist the authorities in this connection.

In reply I regret to inform you that the Appropriation for Indian Education is completely assigned and that the Norway House School has been assisted as much as possible at the present time. Several costly emergency accounts have had to be paid, in addition to the items voted for this institution.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


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Norway House, Man.

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Indian Agent
Norway House

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Your Order No.

Our Order No.

Invoice No.

Repair parts for Gardner
Mulphre pump 4x6.2 brass cylinder linings 4x6
2 pistons and rods complete
1 stuffing box gland

16 60

38 20

1 85

56 65

2 10

68 75

EXAMINED and
found correct.

Gordon postpaid

Repairs for pump - Norway House
Boarding School - Emergency.

6368

MATERIAL SUPPLIED
PRICES FAIR AND JUST.

Wm Gordon Indian Agent

Voucher No. 584

Vote No. 57

Treaty No. 5

Sent Mar. 25/25

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Letter No. 1 B

Office of the Norway House Indian Agency,

[Handwritten signature]

Sir,

March 5th 1925

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 584,
amounting to \$ 58.75 in favour
of A.R. Williams Machinery Co. Winnipeg.
for repairs for pump at Norway House Boarding School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. dated Emergency.

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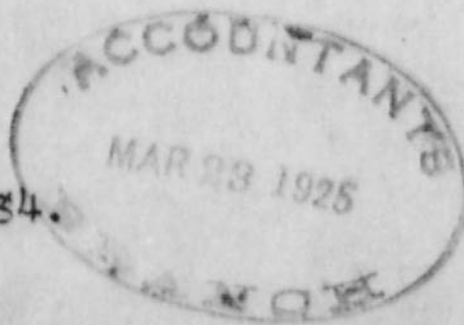
Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Wm Gordon

Indian Agent.



No. 584.

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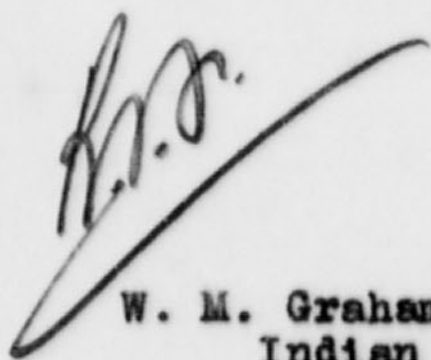
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Ottawa, April 28, 1925.

Sir:

You were informed in the Deputy Superintendent General's letter, 1-1-5 of the 9th instant, that there was available \$2800 for the provision of a carpenter shop and root-house at the Norway House Indian Residential School. Please get in touch with the Rev. Mr. Ferrier, Superintendent of Methodist Indian Schools, as to the type of building that should be provided. He has intimated to me that he considers a carpenter shop with root-house underneath would be quite suitable; but I have informed him that the activity is being placed in your hands and that you will correspond with him. The shipping season on Lake Winnipeg commences about June first, and the arrangements should be made so that materials and instructions could go north from Selkirk at this time. The Rev. Mr. Ferrier was in Ottawa yesterday and intimated that he would be glad to cooperate with you in this connection at an early date.

Your obedient servant,



W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

123-5-5.

Ottawa, April 28, 1925.

Reverend Sir:

I am enclosing, for your information and guidance, a copy of my letter of today's date to Mr. Indian Commissioner Graham with reference to the carpenter shop and root-house at the Norway House Indian Residential School.

Encl.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN *over*

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

[Signature]
Rev. T. Ferrier,
Superintendent,
Methodist Indian Schools,
Brandon, Man.

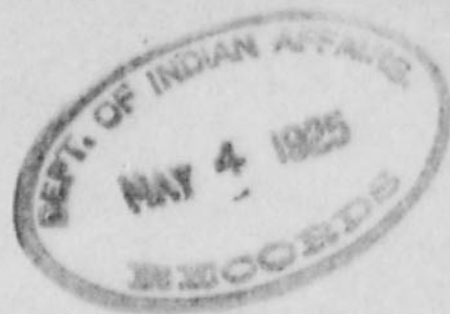
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 207-11 A
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

[Handwritten signature]

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

M

REGINA, SASK., April 30th, 1925

Sir:

Mr. Wm. Gordon, Indian Agent
at Norway House advises me that he has received
a request from the Principal of the Norway House
Boarding School to be furnished with the following:-



75
50
12.50

- $\frac{1}{2}$ case white Alabastine
- $\frac{1}{2}$ " cream Alabastine
- 15 gals. cream paint
- 10 " dark brown paint
- 2 bbls. lime

in order to freshen up the interior of the school
this summer.

[Handwritten signature]

I shall be glad to know if the
Department will consent to this expenditure, which
might well come under the item in the Estimates of
general repairs at this school.

The cost of the Alabastine will be
\$11.00 and the paint will cost \$5.00 per gallon.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
W. M. Graham
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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123-5-5.

Ottawa, May 5th, 1925.

Sir:

I have your No. 207-11A of the 30th ultimo, relative to the request of the Principal of the Norway House Indian Residential School to be furnished with alabastine and paint to freshen up the interior of the school building.

In reply I beg to say that we have no funds available for the purchase of these materials. It is considered that the school authorities should provide for the cost of same from their per capita grant or other receipts.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.


W. M. Graham, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

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By
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M. H. H. H.
30/6/25



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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. **207-11A**

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

D REGINA, SASK., Sept. 3rd 1925



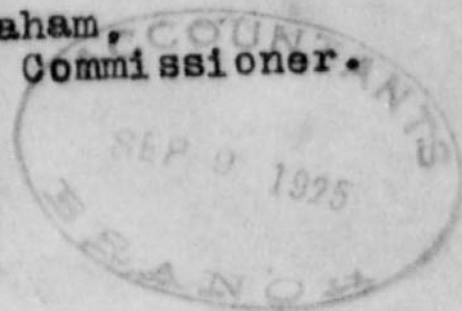
Sir:-

I beg to ask that I be furnished with an accountable cheque for \$1000.00 in connection with the erection of the carpenter shop for the school at Norway House. I might say that the construction of this building is now well under way.

Your obedient servant,

W.M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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Form 6102, replacing Form 2A-T.W.

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Ottawa, Sept. 26, 1925.

W. M. GRAHAM,
Indian Commissioner,
Regina, Sask.

You are authorized expend five hundred dollars
for drain school roothouse Norway House.

J. D. McLEAN.

Chg. Dept. I. A.

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
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Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L

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W. G. BARBER, General Manager

Form 6122
Replacing Form 1-TW

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OTTAWA ONT

REQUIRE FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS TO RUN DRAIN FROM ROTHHOUSE TO
MAIN DRAIN NORWAY HOUSE SCHOOL BLACKFORD IS. AT WINNIPEG AND
LAST BOAT LEAVES IN FEW DAYS WIPING IN MORNING

W M GRAHAM.

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Send the following Night Letter, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, Sept. 27, 1925.

J. T. Blackford,
Y. M. C. A., Vaughan St.,
Winnipeg, Man.

You are authorized to expend one hundred and twenty-five
dollars carpenter tools Norway House school.

J. D. McLean.


Chg. Dept. I. A.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. **207-11A**
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

D REGINA, SASK., Sept. 24th, 1925.....

Sir:-

*See telegram
under of Sept 24th
J.D.*

I am today in receipt of a letter from Mr. J.T. Blackford, Principal of the Norway House Indian Residential School, with reference to the matter of drainage at his school. He informs me that he has laid tile all around the outside foundation of the school, which is taking away the seepage, but he still finds it difficult to make a perfect job, owing to the fact that the water from the roof comes down in large quantities and the pipe line will not carry it away.

The Principal requests that he be supplied with about 200 sacks of cement with which to make a water shed. If you can see your way clear to authorize this I will make the purchase and we will probably be able to get it out this fall so that the work can be carried on in the early spring.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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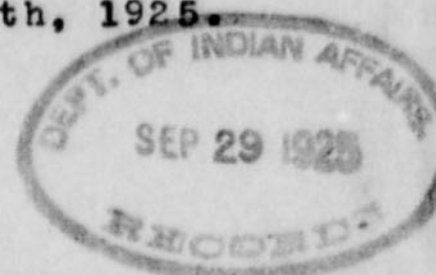
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY HOME MISSIONS

REV. F. C. STEPHENSON, M.D.
SECRETARY
YOUNG PEOPLE'S FORWARD MOVEMENT

TF.M.

September 28th, 1925.

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Dear Sir:

I have a letter this morning from Mr. J. T. Blackford, stating that he must have authority to complete the drain that he is digging from the main building to drain the foundation of the same. This is an absolute necessity and cannot be deferred for future consideration. He states in his letter that the Indian Commissioner does not wish to assume responsibility for further expenditure.

Mr. Blackford also points out that a new engine is required for power and light. The only available engine is a portable one that he has outside, and it is in rather poor condition to depend upon for the winter.

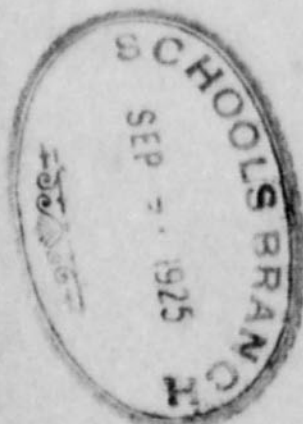
Kindly send instructions to Mr. Blackford by wire, addressing him at the Y.M.C.A., Vaughan St., Winnipeg.

Personally, I fail to see how he will be able to carry on unless the drain is completed and power supplied him.

Yours sincerely,

T. Surrier

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
O t t a w a, Ont.



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Send the following Night Letter, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, Sept. 30, 1925.

Jno. R. BUNN,
Chambers of Commerce,
Princess St.,
Winnipeg, Man.

J. T. Blackford Principal of Norway House school is
at Y. M. C. A. Winnipeg - STOP - He advises Department that another
engine for power and light purposes is required at school -STOP -
Please ascertain from Blackford exactly what is needed and wire
Department your recommendation stating expenditure that would be
involved.

J. D. McLEAN.

Chg. Dept. I. A.



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Replacing Form I-TV

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BLACKFORD SPECIFIED TEN HORSE POWER INTERNATIONAL KEROSINE ENGINE AND
A LEATHER BELT FIFTY FEET BY SIX INCHES COST FOUR HUNDRED
AND FIFTY FIVE DOLLARS RECOMMEND THIS PURCHASE FOR IMMEDIATE SHIPMENT

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JOHN R BURN

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FORM D.L. 2

DAY LETTER

Z.A.L.

PRESIDENT

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO, ONT.

Geo.D.PERRY, GENERAL MANAGER

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SEND the following Day Letter, subject to the terms
on the back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, October 2, 1925. 191

To John R. Bunn, Esq.,
Chambers of Commerce,
Princess Street,
Winnipeg, Man

Purchase for Norway House Residential School ten horse power
kerosene engine and belt (stop) If possible secure competitive
prices and arrange for immediate shipment (Stop) Forward
voucher in usual manner covering expenditure incurred.(stop)
Cost not to exceed your estimate.

J. D. McLean.

Chgo. D.I.A.

SENDER'S ADDRESS
FOR ANSWERSENDER'S TELE-
PHONE NUMBER

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C. J. Mackenzie

Ottawa, October 2, 1925.

Reverend Sir:-

Replying to your letter of 28th ultimo regarding the drain at the Norway House Residential School and the securing of a new engine, I beg to say with reference to the drain that Mr. Indian Commissioner Graham was authorized to expend \$500.00 for this work.

Mr. Inspector Bunn has been authorized to purchase a ten horse power kerosene engine and belt, this being the type of engine required by the Principal. He was instructed to arrange for immediate shipment.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. Mackenzie
(A. F. Mackenzie)
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

T. Ferrier
S. R. McVitty
Rev. T. Ferrier,
c/o Rev. S. R. McVitty,
Mt. Elgin Institute,
Muncey, Ont.

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Shipper's No. 2126

Agent's No.

WINNIPEG, MAN

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The Rate of Freight from.

to is in Cents per 100 lbs. Special

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(Mail Address—Not for purposes of Delivery.)

Consigned to.....*Ordinan Agent for Norway State*.....

Destination Horway House { Province or Man
State of Man County of

Route..... Car Initial..... Car No.

No. Packages	DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES AND SPECIAL MARKS	WEIGHT (Subject to Correction)	CLASS OR RATE	CHECK COLUMN	If charges are to be pre- paid, write or stamp here "To be Prepaid."
1	Engine	2250			To be Prepaid
1	Box Parts				
1	Roller				
1	Skid				
					Received \$..... to apply in prepayment of the charges on the property described hereon.
					Agent or Cashier.
					Per
					(The signature here acknowledges only the amount prepaid.)
					Charges advanced:
					\$.....

INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER COMPANY OF CANADA LIMITED Shipper

Per ClarkPer W. K. ...

(This Bill of Lading to be signed by the shipper and the agent of the carrier issuing same)

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If Special

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to Indian Agent for Norway (Mail)
Norway House { Province or State of Man

{ Province or
State of

County of San Diego

Car Initial.

Car No.

of **OCT 17 1925**
WINNIPEG, MAN.

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1	Box Parts				
1	Pulley				
1	Skid				

INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER COMPANY, Shipper CANADA LIMITED

Per

Per.

Agent

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International Harvester Company of Canada, Ltd.



INVOICE

ACCOUNT OF

Winnipeg, Man. Oct. 3rd, 1925.

Branch House

Date

Invoice No.

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Date of Order

Block

Date or No. Your Order

Department of Indian Affairs
of Canada,
Ottawa, Ont.



Shipped to: (If different from "Account of")
Indian Agent for
Norway House School,

Norway House, Manitoba.

For Indian Residential School,
Norway House, Man.

GOODS DESCRIBED BELOW ARE THIS DAY SHIPPED YOU AS PER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF CONTRACTS BETWEEN US. PRICES ARE EXTENDED ON THIS INVOICE FOR CONVENIENCE OF ACCOUNTING. COMMISSION GOODS WHEN SOLD MUST BE SETTLED FOR ACCORDING TO THE TERMS AND PRICES SPECIFIED IN THE AGENCY CONTRACT.

MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO
THE ORDER OF THE COMPANY

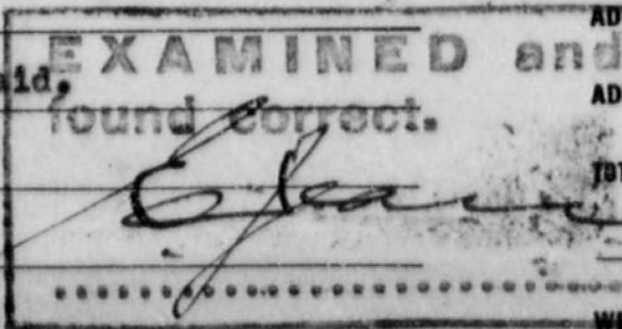
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1	10	H.P. International Engine w/		400 90		
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----Four hundred and eight & 56/100 dollars only.						
----Authority,			Certified Correct.			
Telegram from J.D.McLean.			<i>Ro. R. Thun</i> Inspector of Indian Agencies.			
Octr. 2nd, 1925.						
Via C.P.R. c/o Northern Fish Company, at						
Selkirk, Man.						
"Ship at once"						
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ADVANCE FREIGHT (Net, not subject to discount)			7 66			
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DATE SHIPPED . 10-5

VIA Frt Pre-paid,

CAR INITIAL & No.

FROM



ADVANCE CHARGES COLLECTED, OUR GOODS . \$

ADVANCE CHARGES COLLECTED, OTHER GOODS, \$

TOTAL ADVANCE CHARGES COLLECTED FROM R. R. CO. . \$

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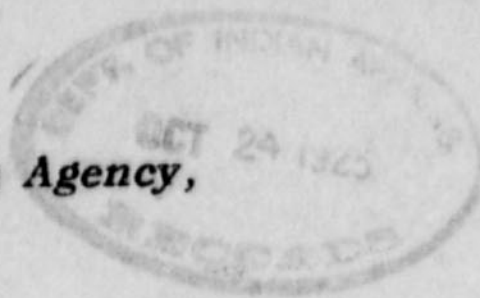
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Letter No.

Office of the



Indian Agency,



apet.
Sir,

192....

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 3460.....,
amounting to \$ 408.56..... in favour
of International Harvester Co. Winnipeg, Man. --
for 1...10-H.P. Kerosine Engine, and 1 x 20" F.C.
Pulley. \$400.90 and frt \$7.66.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

J. D. McLean
Letter No. Telgram dated 2nd Oct., 1925.

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Your obedient servant,

W. A. Dunn
Inspector of Indian Agencies

Pay
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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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MONTREAL, OCT. 5TH.

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TERMS: NET CASH 30 DAYS

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P. O. B. Selkirk.

ORDER No.

J. A. BUNN.

For Indian Residential School
at Norway House Man.-

50' X 6" VIKING SINGEE

1.44

72.00

20-10%

--Fifty one & 84/100 dollars only

--Authority. Telegram J.D. McLean

Oct 2, 1925 3295

Certified Correct.

EXAMINED and

found correct.

SHIPPED TO INDIAN AGENT, NORWAY HOUSE, MAN.

FOR METHODIST NORWAY HOUSE SCHOOL.

C.P.R.

NOTE: WE ARE THE SOLE AGENTS FOR CANADA, FOR
FERODO LIMITED, ENGLAND, MANUFACTURERS OF THE
HIGHEST GRADE FRICTION LININGS IN THE WORLD.
WRITE US FOR PARTICULARS.

SPECIALTIES

"Viking"
Waterproof Belting

"Peerless"
Planer Belts

"Peerless"
Hydraulic Washers

Inspection
Rub. Aprons, Textile
Straps, etc.

Leather Link Belting

If it is made of Leather
we make it.

1925
OCT 17 1925
WINNIPEG

Material supplied, work performed
prices fair and just.
51.84 ✓

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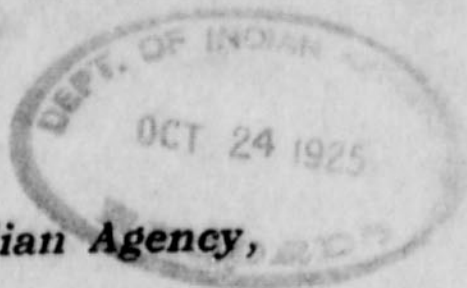
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Letter No.....

Office of the.....



Indian Agency,.....



at

Sir,

192....

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 3461.....

amounting to \$51.84.....in favour

of The J.C. McLaren Belting Co. Montreal, Que.....

for Belting, Leather, 50' x 6".
for Indian Residential School at Norway House.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Telegram

Letter No. J.D. McLean dated 2nd Oct., 1925.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Pay

Your obedient servant,

W. A. Brown
Inspector of Indian Agencies

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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The Indian Boarding School,

Oct. 1911.

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DATE

INVOICE No.

Forward

87 56

NET 30 DAYS

1	Set D.R. Irwin Auger Bits	7 00
1/12	Doz 12" Ext. Bit Holders	19 90
1/12	" 20x9 Tria. Squares	10 10
1/12	" N.R.100 "	49 75
1/12	" 26x8 Outside Calipers	13 20
1/12	" 90 Marking Gauges	6 95
1/12	" #1x6 Mtd. Oil Stones	9 05
1/12	" #4 W.V. Bench Axes	23 25
1/6	" Sets 32 Univ. Clamps	32 00
1/6	" 1 1/2" Iron Bench Screws	15 50
1/12	Gro. W.V. Carp. Pencils	8 65
	Casing	40

7 00
166
84
411
110
58
73
194
533
258
72
40

11460

Certified Correct
Prices (Wholesale) fair
& just.

3934

EXAMINED and
found correct.

[Signature]

James H. Blackford
Principal

Tools for Carpenter Shop
Norway House Residential Sch

Nov. 4/25

NO CREDIT WILL BE ALLOWED for
GOODS RETURNED without our permission.

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WOOD, VALLANCE LIMITED

WHOLESALE E. M.
HARDWARE, SPORTING GOODS AND AUTOMOBILE ACCESSORIES

SOLD TO

WINNIPEG, CANADA Oct. 1st. 1925

The Indian Boarding School,
Norway House, Man.

OUR INVOICE NO. 54686

YOUR ORDER NO.

SHIPPED VIA Freight

2%30 DAYS

NET 30 DAYS

1/6	Doz.	#80	Nail Hammers	19 00	317	
1/12	"	#81	" "	18 00	130	
1	Set	#15	Chisels	4 70	470	
1	Only	4 1/2	Plane	4 30	430	
1	"	60	"	5 45	545	
1	"	110	"	93	93	
1	"	45	"	12 70	1270	
1	"	993x8	Corner Brace	6 90	690	
1	"	8310	Brace	4 85	485	
1/12	Doz.	660x4	Perf. Halc. Screwdriver	3 75	31	
1/12	"	6	" "	5 30	44	
1/12	"	8	" "	7 10	59	
1/12	"	237x18"	Levels	4 75	475	
1/6	"	26"	Sold Coin Hand Saws	24 00	400	
1/12	"	23x12	Compass Saws	7 20	60	
1/12	"	23x14	" "	7 50	62	
1	Only	1002	Mitre Box	19 10	1910	
1/12	Doz.	4x24	Back Saws	58 15	484	
1/12	"	#3	Saw Clamp & Guide	6 50	650	
1/12	"	#7	Taintor Saw Sets	15 75	131	
					8756	

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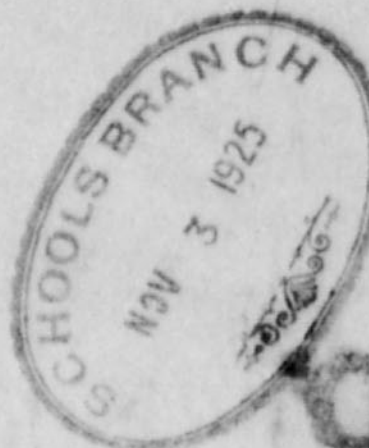
Indian Boarding School



Norway House, Man. Oct. 16th. 1925

J. D. McLean Esq.,

Assistant Deputy & Secretary
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa,



Sir,--

Your telegram of Sept. 27th.
came to me just before I left Winnipeg.

I am very grateful to the Department
for their very generous gift of tools for our carpenter's
shop. This equipment will give our boys some practical
experience in the use of tools with which they are not
familiar. To build their own homes and boats will be
a very wonderful help to the natives here.

On receipt of telegram I went to
the wholesale hardware firm with which we deal and personally
inspected the purchases. The prices I was assured were the
lowest that could be procured for the same quality of goods.

INDIAN EDUCATION
Ltd., Winnipeg.

I am certifying to the invoices
and forwarding for payment to be made direct to Wood, Vallance
Ltd., Winnipeg.

Again thanking you very much

Yours truly

James A. Blackford
Principal

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Vote No.

Treaty No.

Department of Indian Affairs

To James T. Blackford (in trust)Imperial Bank of Can. Main St.,Winnipeg, Man.

DATE		SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
1925			
Oct.	16	1242 Feet Tile laid @ .40¢ per foot	496.80
		Labour in connection with the Drain, Indian Boarding School Norway House, Man.	
		Authority Department wire September 26th, 1925.	
		EXAMINED and found correct. <i>H. L. L. L. L.</i> <i>Ant 16/11/25</i> 4117	
		Four Hundred & Ninety-six - - - - -80/100 ^{TAL.}	496.80

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

#3462

W. J. L. L. L.
Indian Commissioner

A. J. L. L. L.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

NO. 207-11A

ED-

REGINA, SASK., 3rd November, 1925.

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

EXD

Sir:-

I beg to forward herewith Regina Voucher No. 3462, \$496.80, in favour of James T. Blackford, in trust, c/o The Imperial Bank of Canada, Main St., Winnipeg, Man., for the labor laying Tile and making the drain at the Indian Boarding School, Norway House, Man.

In this connection I note the Principal did not take any receipts or keep any time sheets of the men he employed. He took the stand that .40¢ a foot being allowed for the work. The discharged cheques would be vouchers showing the expenditure at the school.

Department authority for the above work was given by wire September 26th, 1925.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham

W. M. Graham
Indian Commissioner

The Secretary,
Indian Department,
Ottawa, Ont.

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M. Dept. of Indian Affairs

to Norway House

In Account With

William Robinson Co.
Limited
Carpet Shop



Oct. 13	5 rls. Jubilee tar paper	8 50
	3 pcs 9', 8 pcs 10' wall bd.	18 19
	2 rls Jubilee tar paper	3 40
		<u>30 09</u>

--Thirty & 09/100 dollars only.

our slips # 530/531

--Authority.

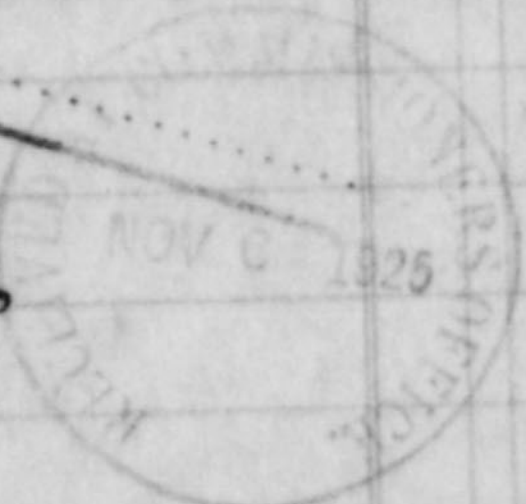
Commr's Letter #207-11A.
3rd Sept. 1925.

(H. George.) Certified Correct.

EXAMINED
found correct.
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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18-11-25



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M. Dept. of Indian Affairs

Harway House

In Account With

carpenters shop

William Robinson Co.
Limited



Oct. 12 17 1x8-14 boards 1591-

8 -16 85

244 34 ✓ 8 29

--Eight & 29/100 dollars only.

--Authority.

Commr's Letter 307-11A.

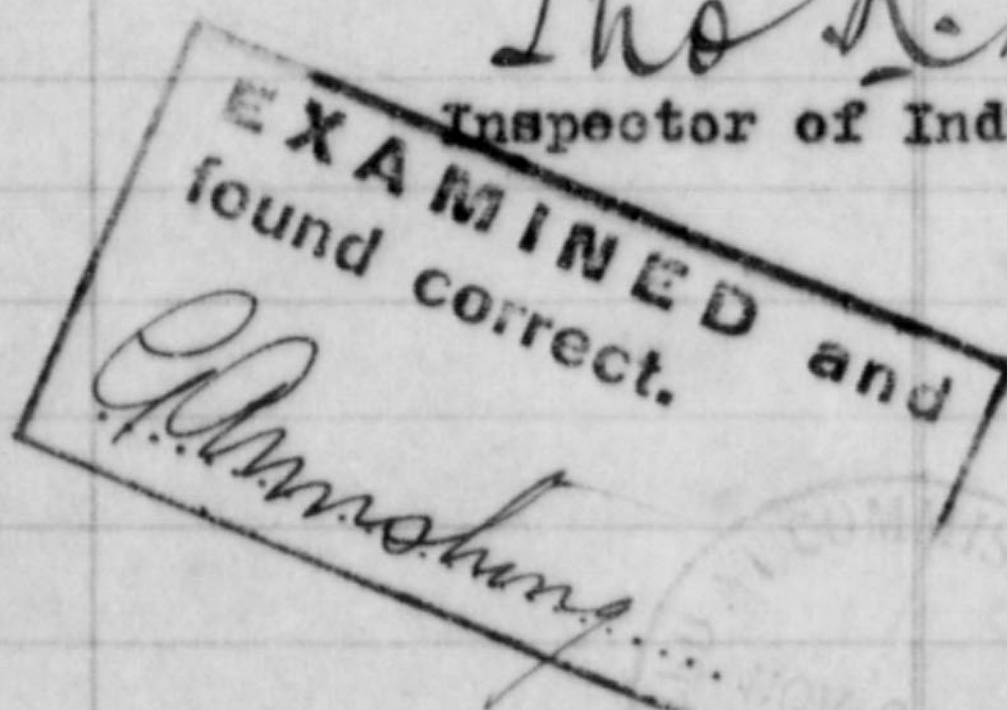
our slip # 7009
3rd Sept, 1925.

(H. George.)

Certified Correct.

W. R. Bunn

Inspector of Indian Agencies.



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Dept. of Indian Affairs

To Norway House

In Account With

William Robinson Co.

Limited

To Vch. 3516 Rest Ho. Div. Acc.

15 00
+ 20

Oct. 2	2	4'0 x 4'0 16 lt. sash	✓	15 00
		80 tin. ft. wdw. stop	✓	2 20
			✓	16 20

---Sixteen & 20/100 dollars only.

---Authority.

Commr's Letter #207-11A, date 3rd Sept. 1925.
(H. George.) our slip # 6824

Certified Correct.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

150.09
138.29
53.38
2470
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Selkirk, *Rep 9* 1925
Dept of Indian Affairs
Mr. W. H. Brown

Bought of **F. W. HOOKER, Ltd.**

DEALER IN
PINE, SPRUCE, FIR AND OAK LUMBER, SASH,
DOORS, MOULDINGS AND

8 per cent interest charged on overdue accounts

SELKIRK RECORD PRINT



To Account Rendered
50 Port Cement
50 Port

90 ✓ 4500 ✓
20 ✓ 1000 ✓
5500

---Fifty five dollars only.

---Authority

Commr's Letter, #207-11A.
3rd Sept, 1925.

(Wireless Agt. Gordon.)
8 Sept, 1925.

4169
Material supplied, work performed
prices fair and just.



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Selkirk, Sept 1st 1925
Department of Indian Affairs
Doctor's Residence Norway St

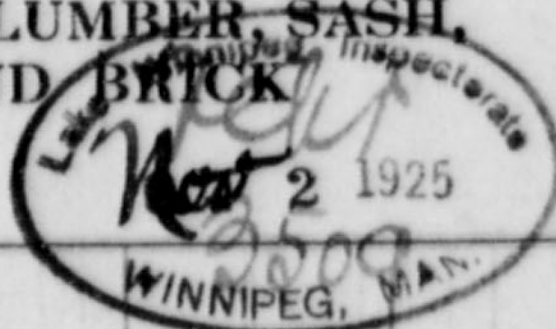
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50 Bag Cement
50 Bags

90 4500
30 1000

5500

--Fifty five dollars only

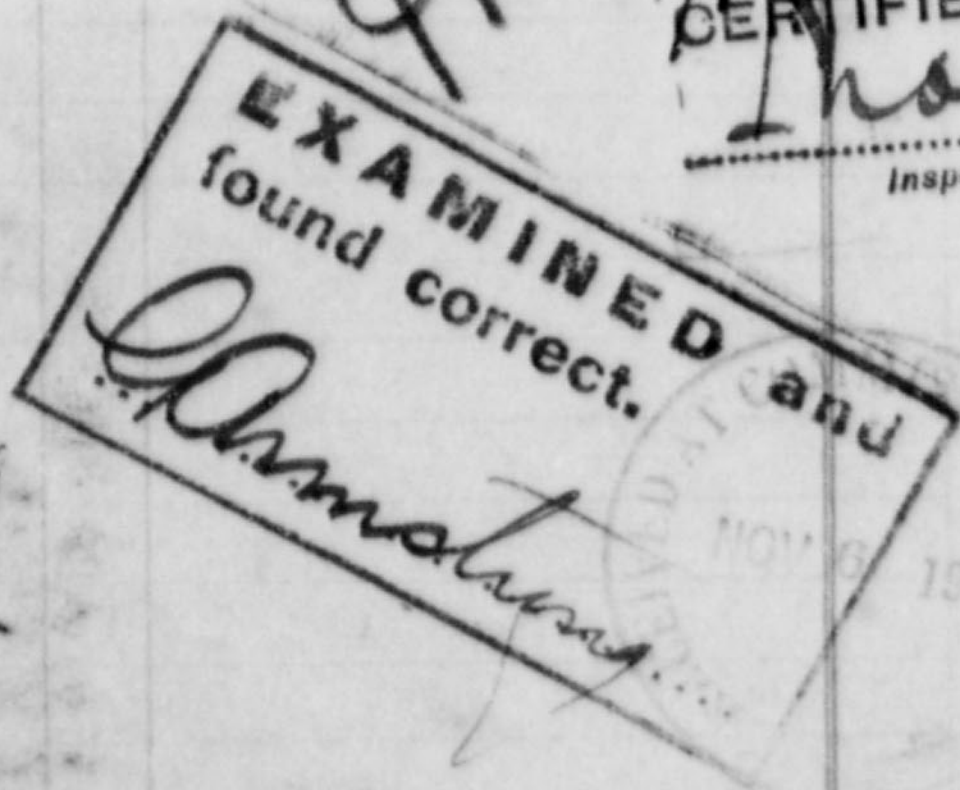
--Authority.

Commr's Letter #207-11A,
3rd Sept, 1925.

4169/11000
Material supplied, work performed
prices fair and just.

CERTIFIED CORRECT

Inspector of Indian Agencies



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Interest charged at Eight per cent. on overdue Accounts

All Claims must be made on receipt of goods

YOUR ORDER

THE
J.H. A. DOWN HARDWARE CO.
 LIMITED
 RETAIL DEPARTMENT

Indian Agent,

Delivered to.....Norway House.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 3, 1925. 19
Man.

SOLD TO.....Dept. Indian Affairs.

ADDRESS.....



No. 77086

Salesman's No.

SS 6303

For Root House & Carpr's Shop Norway House
 Letter H. George 17 Sept. 1925.

G	2 Gals. Outside White Dia. A. Paint	4.50	9.00
	1 Gl. Red Barn Dia. A. Paint		2.65

-----Eleven & 65/100 dollars only.
 -----Commr's Letter 207-11A.
 Sept, 3rd, 1925.

Certified Correct

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

\$11.65

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YOUR ORDER

THE
J.H. ANDERSON HARDWARE CO.
 LIMITED
 RETAIL DEPARTMENT

Indian Agent,
 Delivered to Norway House.

Winnipeg, Oct. 1, 1925. 19
 Man.

SOLD TO Dept. Indian Affairs.

ADDRESS

NOV 2 1925 No. 77067
 WINNIPEG, MAN. Salesman's No. SS 6309

for Wiring Root House & Carpr's Shop at Norway House.

B 1 Angle Brace #993x10

\$7.50

-----Seven & 50/100 dollars only.
 -----Authority. Commr's Letter #207-11A.
 3rd Sept, 1925.

Certified Correct.

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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YOUR ORDER

THE
J.H. ASHDOWN HARDWARE CO.
LIMITED
RETAIL DEPARTMENT

Ind. Agent,
Delivered to.....Nor. House, Man.

WINNIPEG, Sep. 17/25.....19
Man.

SOLD TO.....Dept. Indian Affairs.

Authority, Commr's Letter 207-11A
3 Sept. 1925

ADDRESS.....

For Root House & Carpenter's Shop,
Norway House Agency.

No. 71680

Salesman's No.

SS 5827

V

300 ft. Wire 12"

620 " " 8"

3 Only Switches

9 " Drops (Wprf. Sockets)

1 " Knife Switch

1 " Fuse Block & Fuses

50 ft. Drop Cord

40 Only Dble. Cleates

8 " Porcelain Tubes

24 " Single Cleates

9 " Rosettes

9 " Chain sockets & Bushings

3 Rolls Friction Tape

4 Only Screw Porcelain, to connect Bldg.

2 " Pole, insulators & Sags

1 Gro. 2x9 F. H. Screws

Forty eight

F

EXAMINED
found correct.

1.75	5.25
3.25	20.15
.37	1.11
.20	1.80
	.98
	.28
2.50	1.25
.72	8.80
.02	.16
.02	.48
.17	1.53
.43	3.87
	.72
.25	1.00
.25	.50
	.59

\$48.47

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Inspector of Indian Agencies

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YOUR ORDER

THE
J.H. ASHDOWN HARDWARE CO.
LIMITED
RETAIL DEPARTMENT

Ind. Agent,
Delivered to.....Norway House.

WINNIPEG, Sep. 17/25.....19
Man.

SOLD TO.....Dom. Govt.,

Dept. Indian Affairs.

ADDRESS.....

No. 73252

Salesman's No.

SS 5827

EXAMINED
found correct.

One & 27/100 Express prepaid

Authority,
Commr's Letter 3rd Sept, 1925.
207-11A.

Certified Correct.

\$1.27

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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Interest charged at Eight per cent. on overdue Accounts

All Claims must be made on receipt of goods

YOUR ORDER

THE
J.H. ASHDOWN HARDWARE CO.
LIMITED
RETAIL DEPARTMENT

Delivered to

WINNIPEG,
Man.

19

SOLD TO

ADDRESS

For Root House & Carpenter's Shop,
Norway House, Man.

Authority.

Commr's Letter # 207-11A, 3rd Sept, 1925.

---eighty-six cents only

---Authority.

Commr's Letter #207-11A
3 Sept, 1925

EXAMINED and
found correct.

CERTIFIED CORRECT

Inspector of Indian Agencies

Material supplied, work performed
prices fair and just.

Interest charged at Eight per cent. on overdue Accounts

All Claims must be made on receipt of goods

YOUR ORDER

THE
J.H. ASHDOWN HARDWARE CO.
LIMITED
RETAIL DEPARTMENT

Indian Agent,
Delivered to Norway House, Man.

WINNIPEG,
Man.

Sep. 11/25

19

SOLD TO Dept. Indian Affairs.

ADDRESS



No. 68827

Salesman's No.

55 5829

1 Pr. Electrician 3" wires with connectors
---One & 83/100 dollars only.
---Authority,
Letter 207-11A---Sept, 3rd, 1925.

\$22.00 Dz.

\$1.83

CERTIFIED CORRECT

Inspector of Indian Agencies

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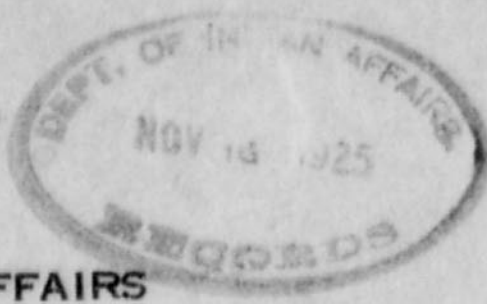
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

REGINA, SASK., 11th Nov. 1925.

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TO
OF THIS LETTER

act

FIXED

Sir:-

I beg to forward herewith
for payment, Winnipeg Inspectorate Vouchers
as shown below, covering sorting orders for
material shown on the face of the Vouchers,
being material used in the Carpenter's Shop
and Root House at Norway House Residential
School.

Department authority was given
April 9th, 1925.E.

No. 3499	J.H.Ashdown Hdwe. Co. Winnipeg	.86	✓	
" 3500	" " " " "	1.83	✓	
" 3501	" " " " "	48.47	✓	
" 3503	" " " " "	1.27	✓	
" 3504	" " " " "	7.50	✓	
" 3505	" " " " "	11.65	✓	\$71.58 ✓
" 3509	F.W.Hooker, Ltd. Selkirk, Man.	55.00	✓	
" 3510	" " " " "	55.00	✓	110.00 ✓
" 3515	Wm. Robinson Co. " "	15.00	✓	
" 3517	" " " " "	8.29	✓	
" 3518	" " " " "	30.09	✓	53.38 ✓

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PW
[Signature]

Abstract of Tenders accompanied Vouchers
3446 and 3439, October 20th, for Cement and Lumber,
etc.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
W. M. Graham
Indian Commissioner

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Vote No.

Treaty No.

Department of Indian Affairs

To Wm. Robinson Company, Ltd.Saskatoon,Man.

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
1925		
1st.	8 3 pcas. 2x10x18 - 90 ft.	
	8 " 2x10x20 - 267 ft. - 357 ft. @ \$39.00	13.92
	20 " 2x4x16 - 213 ft. @ \$36.75	7.82
	1x10 fir shiplap 2000 ft. \$34.00	68.00
	36 " 2x2x14 - 168 ft. @ \$35.00	5.88
Material for the Root House and Carpenter Shop at the Residential School, Norway House, Man. Department authority April 9th, 1925E. This charge is deducted from their invoice of September 30th, wherein they charge these items against the Doctor's Residence. <i>Sent 3-12-25</i> <i>4472</i>		
Ninety-five and 62/100 Dollars		TOTAL, 95.62

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Wm. G. Graham
Indian Commissioner

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Treaty No.

To Wm. Robinson Co. Ltd.,

Selkirk,
Man.

EXAMINED and
found correct.
C. H. Moline

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#3510

Wm Graham
Indian Commissioner ~~1894~~

- Bought of -

WM. ROBINSON CO. LTD.

Selkirk, Man., Oct. 13th, 1925.

Department of Indian Affairs.

Norway House

Carpenters Shop

5 Rolls Jubilee Tarred Paper @ \$1.70

\$ 8.50 ✓

Charge

Certified correct
Henry George

Dept Authority
April 9th 1925 E
Vchr 3510

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Vote No.

Treaty No.

Department of Indian Affairs

To Wm. Robinson Co. Ltd.,

Selkirk,

Man.

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
1925 Nov. 26	To amount of their invoice dated Sept. 30, 1925, for Brick and Lumber.	23.76
EXAMINED and found correct. <i>Christie</i> Used for Root House and Carpenters Shop at the Residential School, Norway House. Department authority dated April 9th, 1925E. 23.76 8.50 95.62 127.88 4471- sent 3-12-25		
Twenty-three and 76/100 Dollars		TOTAL, 23.76

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Wm. Graham
Indian Commissioner

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PHONES:
Store Dept. - - 21
Lumber Dept. - 13

WM. ROBINSON COMPANY, Limited

DEALERS IN

Dry Goods Mens Furnishings, Groceries, Flour and Feed

Boots and Shoes, Crockery

LUMBER, LATH, SHINGLES, SASH, DOORS, WOOD AND BRICK

ACCOUNT NO.

Letter Folio

SELKIRK, Man., Sept. 30/25 19

SOLD TO Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Accounts due 7th of following month

Norway House - Carpenters Shop

Date	ARTICLES	Folio	Credit Amount	Debit Amount	TOTAL
Sept. 22	500 brick	6684		12 00	
	30 pes. 2x4-16 320			11 76	
				<u>\$23 76</u>	
<i>certified correct</i> <i>Henry George</i>					
<i>Dept authority</i> <i>April 9. 1925</i> <i>Ychr 3509</i>					
<i>EXAMINED and</i> <i>found correct.</i> <i>W. M. Robinson</i>					
NOV 10 1925					
NOV 8 1925					

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 207-11A
ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

ED

REGINA, SASK., November 26th, 1925.

Sir:-

I beg to forward herewith and recommend for payment, the undermentioned Regina Vouchers for extra building material required for the Root House and Carpenter's Shop at the Residential School, Norway House. Abstract of Tenders accompanied my letter of the 20th ult. with Winnipeg Voucher No. 3446.

The above expenditure is under the Department authority dated April 9th, 1925E.

*Sub
G. M. P.*

No. 3509 Wm. Robinson Co. Ltd., Selkirk, Man. Brick and Lumber	\$23.76
No. 3510 Wm. Robinson Co. Ltd., Selkirk, Man. Tarred Paper	8.50
No. 3511 Wm. Robinson Co. Ltd., Selkirk, Man. Lumber	95.62

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Graham
W. M. Graham
Indian Commissioner

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA, Ont.

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WOOD-VALLANCE CO. LIMITED
CALGARY, ALTA.

WOOD-VALLANCE HARDWARE CO. LIMITED
NELSON, B. C.

WOOD, VALLANCE LIMITED

WHOLESALE

MM.

HARDWARE, SPORTING GOODS AND AUTOMOBILE ACCESSORIES

SOLD TO

WINNIPEG, CANADA Oct. 13th. 1925.

The Indian Boarding School,
Norway House, Man.

OUR INVOICE No. 56757

YOUR ORDER No.

SHIPPED VIA Freight.

2% 30 DAYS

NET 30 DAYS

1/12	Doz.	D 8 24 Panel Saws	32 40
1/6	"	D 8 26 Hand "	33 75
1/12	"	#4 Diss. Dble Edge. Saws	41 05

2 70

3 63

3 42

11 75

4530

7/25

Certified Correct

NO CREDIT WILL BE ALLOWED for
GOODS RETURNED without our permission

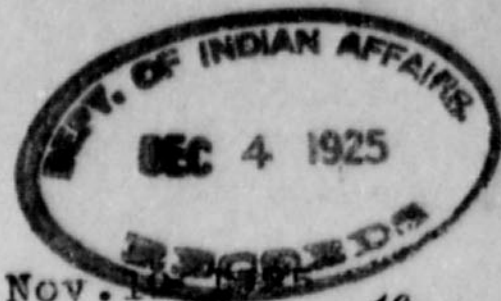
Tools for
Shop.

James E. Blackford
Sent

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Indian Boarding School



Norway House, Man.

Nov. 1 1925

J. D. McLean Esq.,

Assistant Deputy & Secretary

Dept. of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,-

With further reference to your telegram to me of the 27th. Sept. and my letter to you of Oct. 16th.--- I beg to say that at the time I forwarded the certified invoices covering purchase of tools for carpenters shop the attached invoices were not received --- these evidently just missed the last summer mail.

I am now attaching certified invoices covering part of the purchase of tools authorized. The total amount exceeds by \$1.35 the amount authorized. This can be left as a debit charge against the school. I will remit the amount to Wood, Vallance Co., Winnipeg,

Again thanking you

Yours very truly

James A. Blackford
Principal

INVOICE

PHONE 13

SELKIRK, MAN.,

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Sold to:

Nº 6885

On

Terms

Shipped via

Order No.

PIECES		FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT
	1 x 8 x 10 Shiplap	1000		34 00
<i>Certified Correct</i> <i>Prices fair & just</i> <i>James L. Blackford</i> <i>Principal</i> <i>L.B.S. Norway House</i>				
AGENTS FOR McCormick - Deering and John Deere Farm Implements, Tractors and Threshing Machinery.				

PLEASE KEEP THIS INVOICE FOR REFERENCE
"EVERYTHING FOR A BUILDING"

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Selkirk, Man. Oct. 24/25 192

Dept. of Indian Affairs

Porway House

In Account With Indian Boarding school
William Robinson Co.
Limited

Oct. 7 1000 ft. 1x8 & 10 shiplap 34 00

Ordered by Mr. Blackford.

Material supplied. Work performed.
Prices fair and just, each item a proper
charge against the Gov't. of Canada.

Repeat order
Payment recommended
J. Currier
H.P.

Not Rec 7/25
4538
Selk
Pay
[Signature]

Extract from Rev. T. Ferrier's letter of December 7th, in which he made the requests for 1926-27 for the Methodist Church Indian Residential Schools. The original is on 160-3.

NORWAY HOUSE:

Painting material, sufficient to paint the building inside and outside, is required, also Alabastine all plastered inside work. Eave troughing is needed for barn, henhouse, cold storage and carpenter shop, also conductors from the eaves of the main building into the drain or cistern. These have never been provided.

A new Generator for the Electric Plant is required. The one now in use is worn out and was originally installed just for the main building. Now that all the outbuildings are connected, it would not do to attempt repairing it, as it is too small.

The Steam Plumbing is in need of general refitting inasmuch as the pipe is rusted out in many places.

Lumber is needed for the horse stalls and walls of cold storage plant.

The Principal has been clearing and breaking a lot of new land on the island, for which we have spent some hundreds of dollars and we would like a grant of \$500 to assist in this work.

A considerable amount of cement is required to replace that which was broken around the building and in the basement for the laying of drain tile to drain the foundation of the building.

The total cost will be at least \$5,000.

The present building is filled to its full capacity and we have a waiting list of some 25 or 30 pupils. It is very necessary that our accommodation be increased to at least 140 or 150 pupils. This can be done for an outlay of about \$40,000.

You will remember, in an interview last June, I brought before you the scheme that was on foot to erect a monument to the memory of the Rev. James Evans, our first missionary at Norway House. You kindly assured me that \$1000 would be granted by the Department towards a \$10,000 proposition.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. **207-11A**

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

REGINA, SASK., Dec. 9th, 1925

Sir,-

I beg to ask for an accountable advance cheque to complete payment of labour in connection with Norway House School Bldgs. Three Hundred Dollars will be required.

*See
sum
JH 4631*

Your obedient servant,

W.M. Graham

W.M. Graham
Indian Commissioner.

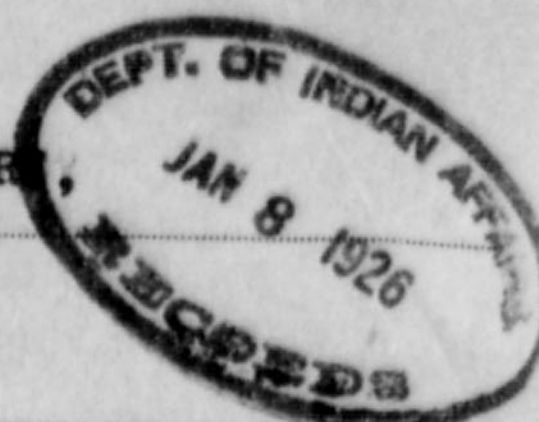
The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Ant Dec 14/25

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

OTTAWA. ONTARIO.



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CO., CHICAGO

FOUNDED BY R. T. CRANE, 1852

STATEMENT

L. F. _____

IN ACCOUNT WITH

CRANE CO. LIMITED

93 LOMBARD STREET
WINNIPEG, MAN.

DEC 31 1925

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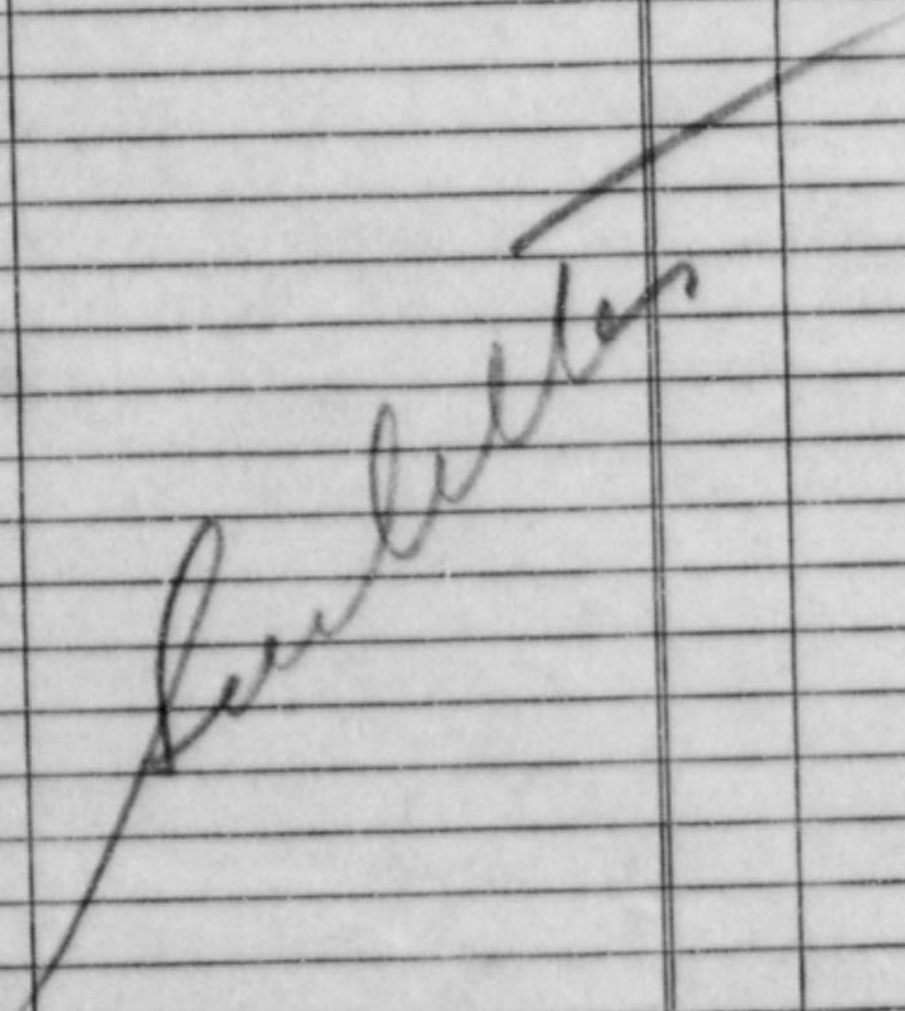
PAY EXCHANGE
ACCOUNTS OVER SUBJECT TO INTEREST

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Indian Boarding School,

Norway House,

Mar.

1925.								
Oct.	13	ACCOUNT REND.		35	54			
								

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EXD
Ottawa, January 9th., 1926.

Dear Sirs,-

With reference to your statement of account amounting to \$35.54 for goods supplied to the Indian Boarding School on October 13th last, kindly send a detailed account in triplicate to the official who ordered the goods in order that he may forward the same to the Department for payment.

Yours truly,

F.H. Paget
Chief Accountant and Purchasing Agent.


Messrs. Crane Ltd.,
93 Lombard St.,
Winnipeg, Man.

5M-9-25

BRANCH OF CRANE LIMITED, MONTREAL

2% CASH DISCOUNT FOR PAYMENT BEFORE
20TH. OF MONTH FOLLOWING THAT OF
INVOICE DATE, OTHERWISE NET 60 DAYS.

BOUGHT OF **CRANE**
LIMITED

93 LOMBARD STREET
WINNIPEG, MAN.

Indian Boarding School,
Norway House,
Man.

NO CLAIMS FOR SHORTAGE ALLOWED UNLESS MADE WITHIN FIVE
DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF GOODS. NO CLAIMS WILL BE ALLOWED
FOR LABOR OR DAMAGES. GOODS WHICH HAVE PROVEN DEFECT-
IVE IN MANUFACTURE WILL BE DUPLICATED IF CLAIM IS MADE
WITHIN SIXTY DAYS FROM DATE OF SHIPMENT.

WINNIPEG, MAN., Oct. 13th, 1925.

SALESMAN W.W.

ORDER DATED 10-12-25. REC'D.

ORDER NO. J.T. Blackford -

SHIPPED TO Same c/o Northern Fish Company,
Selkirk, Man.

QUANTITY ORDERED	QUANTITY SHIPPED	REGISTER NO.	LIST	GROSS	DISCOUNT	TOTAL
		5 1 3 7				
	3	0-12736 Closet Bowls	9.50			28.50
	2	1 1/2" #124 Rad. Valves	6.40	12.80	45%	7.04
						\$35.54

A SHORTAGE ORDER HAS BEEN MADE FOR ALL ITEMS NOT EXTENDED ON INVOICE AND WILL BE FORWARDED AT EARLIEST DATE

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3	3	C-12736	closet Bowls	9.50			28.50
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							\$35.54

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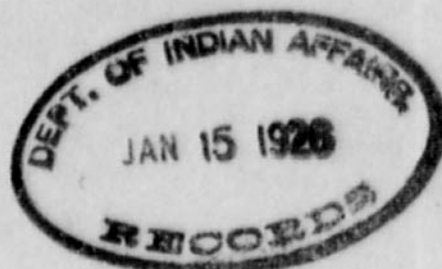
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LIMITED**

93 LOMBARD ST.

WINNIPEG, MAN. Jan. 12th, 1926.

HAMILTON, ONT.
TORONTO, ONT.
OTTAWA, ONT.
SHERBROOKE, QUE.
QUEBEC, P. Q.
HALIFAX, N. S.
ST. JOHN, N. B.

ack
Mr. F.H. Paget,
Chief Accountant & Purchasing Agent,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.



Dear Sir:- File No. 123-5-5.

Referring to your letter of January 9th with reference to our statement of account - \$35.54. This invoice was for material shipped to the Indian Boarding School at Norway House, and as we do not suppose there is any mail connection at the present time, we feel that it will probably be useless to forward a new invoice. We are, however, enclosing copies of the invoices for your information in case you are able to do anything for us in this connection; otherwise, we assume that it will just have to remain outstanding until communication again opens up.

Yours truly,

C R A N E L I M I T E D

RCM:L.
Encl.

By

R. C. Morton
R. C. Morton,
Credit Manager.

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EXD
Ottawa, January 16th, 1926.

Dear Sirs,-

Replying to your favour of the 12th instant respecting your account for \$35.54, will you kindly inform me who ordered these supplies. If they were ordered by Inspector Bunn at Winnipeg, and if you have a railway shipping bill showing that the goods were delivered, Mr. Bunn can then certify to your account and forward it here for payment, without waiting for the certificate of the Principal of the Boarding School at Norway House.

You might take this question up with Mr. Bunn with a view to having your account paid forthwith.

Yours truly,


(F.H. Paget)
Chief Accountant.

R.C. Morton, Esq.,
Credit Manager,
Crane, Limited,
93 Lombard Street,
WINNIPEG, Man.

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**CRANE
LIMITED**

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93 LOMBARD ST.
WINNIPEG, MAN.

Jan. 19th, 1926



Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sirs:-

Attention Mr. F. H. Paget,
Chief Accountant.

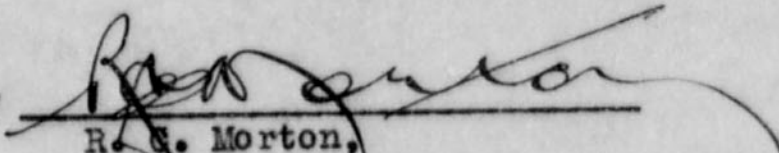
We thank you for your letter of January 16th. We have been in communication with Inspector Bunn and he has advised us that he presumes this invoice should be paid by Mr. Blackford, the Principal at Norway House. He has also given us information which will enable us to send copies to Mr. Blackford, which we are doing today; and at the same time we are tracing this shipment in order to make sure that it caught the last boat as it was intended.

If we are unsuccessful in this matter, we may again take it up with you, but do not anticipate any further difficulty, and thank you for your attention.

Yours truly,

CRANE LIMITED.

RCM:L.

By 
R. E. Morton,
Credit Manager.



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Vote No.

Treaty No.

Department of Indian Affairs

To W. M. Graham, In Trust,

Indian Commissioner,

Regina, Sask.

CREDIT VOUCHER.

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
	RE: Norway House School	
Sept. 14	Accountable Advance Cheque No. 2689	1000.00
Nov. 3	Unexpanded Balance. Transferred to House Acct.	1000.00
Dec. 17	Accountable Advance " " 4631	300.00
		<u>1300.00</u>
Sept. 17	M. Chastellaine Hauling gravel etc. Receipt No. 19701	48.00
	Jas. Hart - Carpenter " " 19702	9.00
	Alex Gunn 3 days @ \$3.00 " " 19703	9.00
	Abel Ross 3 days @ \$3.00 " " 19704	9.00
	F. Parrett 10 days @ \$2.00 " " 19705	20.00
Nov. 4	Henry George To October 31st " " 19813	305.00
	Alex Grandeau " " 17th " " 19814	110.00
	Joe Dugit " " 24th " " 19815	148.00
	J. Keeper " " 17th " " 19816	132.00
	Kenneth Thomas " 10th " " 19817	48.00
	Henry George - 2 Weeks " " 19818	120.00
	J. Dugit - To Sept. 19th & 26th " " 19819	90.80
	Alex Grandeau " " " " 19820	90.80
	K. Thomas " " " " 19821	45.40
	J. Keeper " " " " 19822	87.60
	Wm. Parrott - Electric Wiring (part of " " 19824) (see No. 3635 for Receipt)	15.00
Dec. 21	Cheque enclosed for balance	12.40
	TOTAL,	<u>13010.50</u>

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

No. 3634

Indian Commissioner

Agent

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Letter No. 207- 11A

Office of the Indian Commissioner ~~Indian Agency,~~

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Sir,

Credit

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 0000 3634

amounting to \$ ~~12.40~~ / 300.00 in favour

of W.M. Graham

for Advances re Norway House School

Expended, \$1287.60
Balance 12.40 \$1300.00

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated

Your obedient servant,

Commissioner,
Indian Agent.

1 Mr. [unclear]
2 Mr. [unclear]
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

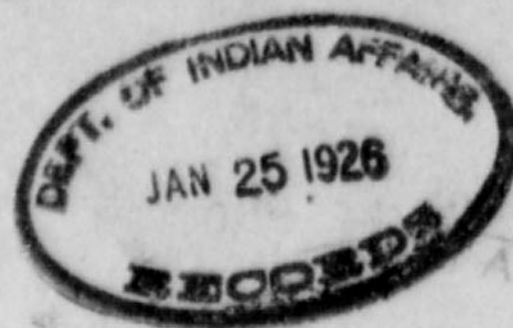
For credit

[Signature]

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DUPLICATE, FOR DEPARTMENT.

No. 3429

Bank of Montreal,

\$ 12.40

Ottawa, Jan. 23/26

RECEIVED from W.M. Graham
on account Indian Funds
Twelve 40/100---
the sum of Dollars,
which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this
Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

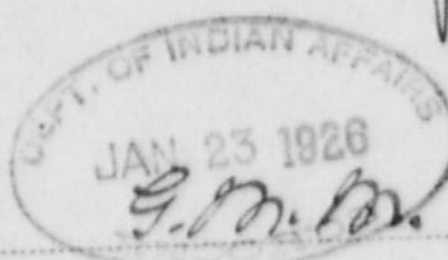
Ent'd.....

Pro. Manager.

BANK RECEIPT No.

Amt. \$12.40 chg

Date



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Entered Journal No.

Folio

Adt

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HARDWARE, SPORTING GOODS AND AUTOMOBILE ACCESSORIES

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Treaty 5*

SOLD TO

WINNIPEG, CANADA Oct. 7th. 1925

The Indian Boarding School, **NORWAY HOUSE**
Norway House, Man.

OUR INVOICE No. 55917

YOUR ORDER No.

SHIPPED VIA

AGENCY

2% 30 DAYS

NET 30 DAYS

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Only 3" Jenkins Gate Valves

10 50 H.

hnt 1-2-26
5740 Certified correct
James Y. Blackford
Emergency - for heating plant. Norway House Boarding School

NO CREDIT WILL BE ALLOWED FOR
GOODS RETURNED without our permission.

MATERIAL SUPPLIED
PRICES FAIR AND JUST.

Wm Gordon Indian Agent

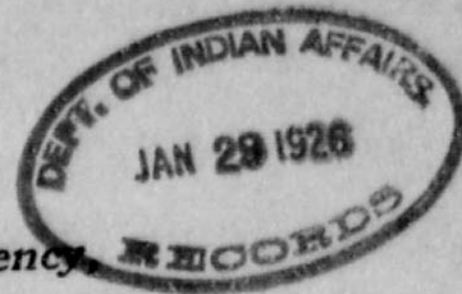
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Letter No. 1B.



Office of the Norway House Indian Agency

act

EP

January 1th 1926

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 658,

amounting to \$21.00 in favour

of Wood, Vallance, Ltd. Winnipeg, Man.

for valves for heating plant repairs, Norway House Boarding School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated Emergency.

Sub
Pay
PD

Your obedient servant,

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

No. 658.

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Indian Boarding School

Nov. 26-1925

Norway House, Man......19

Wm, Gordon Esq.,

Indian Agent, Norway House

Dear Mr. Gordon,-

I am attaching invoices from Wood, Vallance and Crane Co. Ltd., for equipment — *Kr. 658* that was wired for when I was absent. Invoices from the former Co. are in triplicate and certified to. Invoice from Crane Co. Ltd. came single -- I am — *Kr. 660* writing asking them to forward in triplicate -- this also is certified to.

There was no possibility for me to get authority for the purchase of these articles when I was informed by our engineer they were needed, I had to act at once, as there was but one more boat to come north at that time.

Under these circumstances I would appreciate it if you will forward these to the Dept., asking them if they will honor the purchases and send cheque to cover these amounts to the companies mentioned. Thanking you,

P.S. I may mention that two only closet bowls were needed. One was ordered for spare JLB

Yours truly

James H. Blackford
Principal

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ter No. 1B.

Office of the Norway House Indian Agency,

January 11th 1926

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 660,

amounting to \$28.50 in favour

of Crane, Ltd. Winnipeg.

for 3 closet bowls for Norway House Boarding School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated Emergency.

Your obedient servant,

Wm Gordon
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

No. 660/

(Copy)

INDIAN OFFICE

Norway House
January 6th, 1926

File 340-20B

Sir:-

Mr. Paulin, the contractor who installed the furnace and plumbing in the residence of the doctor, had some extra fittings over when he completed his work. I had told him that I would take over some of these when the work would be completed, such as 4 inch soil pipes, some elbows etc. at Winnipeg prices. Unfortunately, I was not at home when the work was completed, and the plumber, I think, must have left everything he had over. I received the attached statement a few days ago.

It is very necessary that we have a supply of repairs for waterlines, plumbing, etc. on hand, both for the hospital the Agency, and especially for the school, as the latter system was installed several years ago and is constantly requiring some repairs. The eave trough we can use to advantage, as we have several buildings which should be equipped with eave trough to protect the foundations. Repair parts cannot be secured here in winter.

The prices, so far as I can discover, are fair. A few items listed I have been unable to find, and I have made corrections in red ink. I have certified that the material has been received.

If you can authorize the payment of this account and require my signature to the vouchers, please have Paulin and Swayze send to me the account in quadruplicate, when I will complete them.

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd.) Wm. Gordon

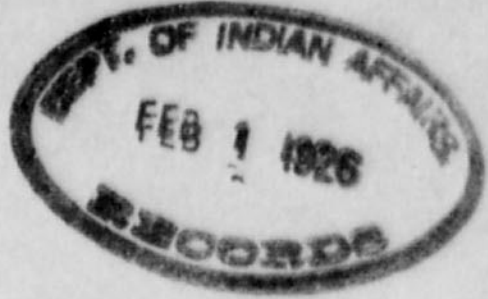
Indian Agent.

The Indian Commissioner,
Indian Office,
Regina.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

IN YOUR REPLY REFER

No. 207-4A

ALSO TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

D REGINA, SASK., Jan. 28th, 1926

Sir:-

I am enclosing herewith a copy of a letter that I received from Indian Agent Gordon; also a copy of an invoice for a lot of odds and ends that were left there by Messrs. Paulin & Swayze who did the plumbing work at the school last year.

Had it been anyone else but Mr. Gordon these men would have brought home their supplies, but as I have told you before, he is an easy mark, and as long as the Government is paying for it he will find an excuse to justify anything.

Would you advise having these supplies sent back, or paying for them? I cannot see that everything that is there will be used; certain piping may be required, and a few odd tees. The Agent had no authority whatever to instruct Messrs. Paulin and Swayze to leave their goods at Norway House.

Your obedient servant,

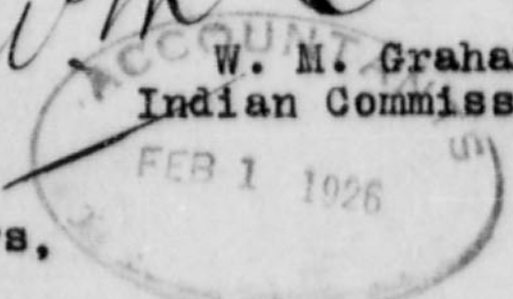
W. M. Graham,
Indian Commissioner.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

I think they should be returned

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